

**UPDATE: Summerfest Says There Absolutely Will Be Refunds for People Who Don't Want Vaccinations**  
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Summerfest CEO Don Smiley tells me Summerfest absolutely will provide refunds to individuals who want to cancel tickets to Amphitheatre shows during the festival because of the requirement for a Covid vaccination or a negative test.

The window for the refunds is not open yet. Smiley says there will be a 72-hour window for people to request refunds and it will be publicly announced. Some people are already trying to request refunds but have been unsuccessful because the window time period has not started.

Smiley says working with Ticketmaster which controls all ticketing hasn't been easy but he guarantees there will be a refund period.

This does not apply to shows at the Summerfest grounds before and after the festival that are NOT part of Summerfest as those shows are not promoted by the festival.

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