



Organizer Guide

WHAT IS PANDEMIC SURVIVAL?

Pandemic Survival is a competitive *Pandemic* event where teams of 2 players each compete to be the first team to complete the game's win condition or be the sole surviving team after all other teams have lost. During this unique experience, all teams face the same initial setup: identical roles, starting board state, starting hands, and the preset player deck as specified by the scenario. A team's strategy will be what determines victory or defeat!

Since 2015, players from around the world have competed in Pandemic Survival tournaments from the local level to an international championship. A Survival season starts with Regional tournaments, with the winners of each Regional advancing to Nationals, after which each participating country will declare a champion to send to the World Championship.

REGIONAL REQUIREMENTS

To host an official Regional qualifier:

- You must have at least 4 teams participating.
- You must provide at least 1 Judge for every 4 teams, as well as a Game Master to oversee the entire event:

# OF TEAMS	# OF JUDGES	# OF KITS
4	1*	1
5-8	2	1
9-12	3	2
13-16	4	2

**If needed, the Game Master can double as the one required Judge for a small event (4 teams) if they are able to fulfill both roles.*

- Players must be residents of the country where the event is being held. (For example, only US residents can compete in stores and conventions in the US.)
- Only players who are of the legal age to compete in your country can participate in an official Pandemic Survival event. (Some countries have laws regarding a minimum age to compete in certain kinds of gaming events.)
- You must purchase and use the current year's official Regional kits from Z-Man Games, which contain the required scenario and prize support.
- You must register by the deadline for Regional events (i.e., early enough that a Regional winner could arrange travel to a National event). Check with the Pandemic Survival contact in your country for your specific Regional event deadline.
- You must communicate to players that Regional event winners must be able to arrange their own travel to their National Championship.



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HOW TO REGISTER

Indicate your interest by filling out the current season's form at:
www.zmangames.com/events/pandemic-survival/current-season.

Your Pandemic Survival contact will follow up to confirm and help you purchase kits. Note that you must register to host an event prior to your country's Regional event deadline.

Note: Your event is not official until confirmed by your Pandemic Survival contact. There are a limited number of spaces for Regional events, and we will try to accommodate as many requests as possible to hold events in a variety of locations.

If you have questions, please contact events@zmangames.com.

REGIONAL KIT CONTENTS

The kit's contents include the event scenario, game materials, and prize support. One Regional kit will provide materials to facilitate an event for up to 8 teams (16 players). If you expect more than 8 teams, you will need to order additional kits to meet your event's demand. Regardless of the number of kits you order, only one team will be able to advance to the National level from your Regional qualifier.

For example, the *Reign of Cthulhu* kit includes dividers, judge lanyards, a scenario and the corresponding decks, and 16 sets of metallic purple shoggoth and cultist miniatures for players to take home as participation prizes: