

EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

FOR ATHLETES & SPECTATORS

DANGEROUS WEATHER CONDITIONS & ON-COURSE EMERGENCIES pose a unique challenge to an event the size of a Marathon or 1/2 Marathon.

SAFETY IS

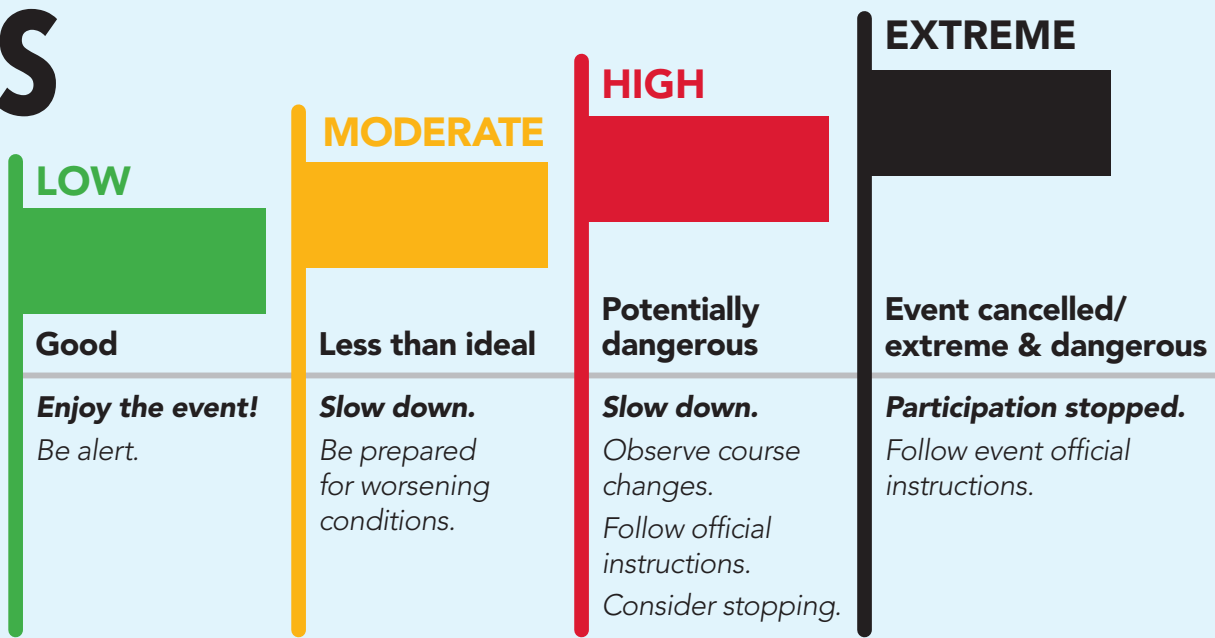
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The Nationwide Children's Hospital Columbus Marathon & 1/2 Marathon puts the safety of its participants, spectators, staff and volunteers first.

KNOW THE COURSE

ALERT LEVELS

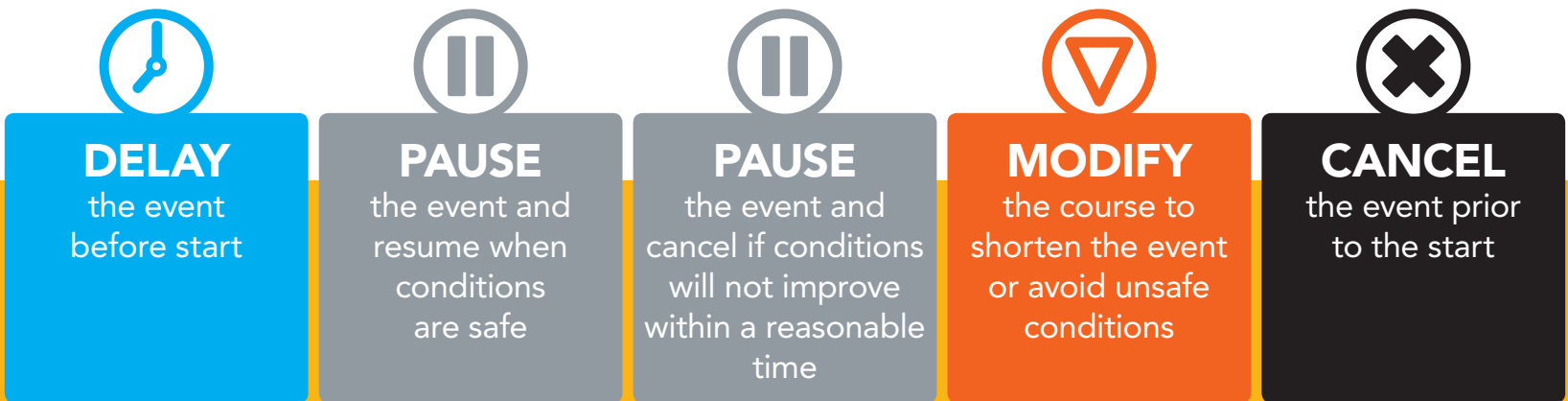
THE FLAG SYSTEM at each aid station will advise you of course conditions ahead.



KNOW THE POSSIBLE

RESPONSES

ONE OF FIVE possible options in response to unsafe conditions on the course will be determined by race officials, in consultation with law enforcement, fire/EMS and other officials and communicated promptly with athletes, spectators and volunteers.



SEEK

SHELTER



In the event of dangerous weather, adverse conditions or race cancellation, please seek shelter immediately.

All Police and Fire Personnel, as well as Water Stop and Course officials, can direct you to the nearest shelter and emergency transportation pick-up zones.

STAY

INFORMED



Sign up for **RT/RT.me Mobile App** and enable alerts to be directly notified of changes in course conditions and emergency actions.