

## Shortening or exempting quarantine period for arrivals who have a valid vaccination certificate

- With a valid vaccination certificate, you can <u>shorten your quarantine period of 14 days at home</u> or in the place you're staying if you are entering from
  "undesignated countries/regions", whose travelers are <u>not</u> required to stay at the government-designated accommodation, or
  "designated countries/regions", whose travelers are <u>required</u> to stay for 3 days at the government-designated accommodation and report to the Ministry of Health, Labour, and Welfare (Health Monitoring Center for Overseas Entrants (HCO)) the negative test result (PCR Test or Quantitative Antigen Test) on or after the 10th day after entering Japan.
  With a valid vaccination certificate, you are <u>exempt from the 3-day stay at the government-designated accommodation</u> and the test on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day after entering Japan if you are entering from the "designated countries/regions", whose travelers are required to stay for 3 days at the government-designated accommodation. However, you still need to stay at home or in the place you're staying during the designated quarantine period.
- X You must follow the instructions by the quarantine station or public health office, even if the above requirements are met.
- \* The above measures are not applied to children who are not able to get vaccinated because of the age restriction.

Countries /regions you are from	A valid vaccination certificate	Day 0 (date of entry)	Days 1 to 3	Days 4 to 10	Days 11 to 14	
(1)	NO	Test at quarantine	Stay at home or in the place you're staying			
	YES	Test at quarantine	• Stay at home or in the place you're staying (In case you choose not to take the test after 10 days after entering Japan)			
	YES	Test at quarantine	<ul> <li>Stay at home or in the place you're staying</li> <li>Take the test and report to the HCO the negative result on and after 10 days after entering Japan</li> </ul>		Quarantine period shortened with the notice from the HCO	
(2)	NO	Test at quarantine	<ul> <li>Stay at the government- designated accommodation</li> <li>take the test on the 3rd day</li> </ul>	Stay at home or in the place you're staying		
	YES	Test at quarantine	<ul> <li>Stay at home, or in the place you're staying (exempt from staying at the government designated accommodation)</li> <li>(In case you choose not to take the test after 10 days after entering Japan)</li> </ul>			
	YES	Test at quarantine	<ul> <li>Stay at home, or in the place you're staying</li> <li>Take the test and report to the HCO the negative result on and after 10 days after entering Japan</li> </ul>		Quarantine period shortened with the notice from the HCO	

Countries/regions you stayed in

- (1)"undesignated countries/regions": Travelers <u>from this country/region</u> are <u>not</u> required to stay at the governmentdesignated accommodation
- (2)"designated countries/regions" : Travelers <u>from this country/region</u> are required to stay for 3 days at the government-designated accommodation

	Quarantine station, Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare, Japanese Government (2021. 10. 8)					
• P	lease submit <u>a copy of the vaccination certificate</u> to the quarantine station.					
<ul> <li>※For an electric vaccination certificate, please ask the quarantine officer.</li> <li>● The vaccination certificate is valid only if it meets the following criteria ① to ⑤.</li> </ul>						
1	<ul> <li>The certificate must be <u>issued by a public institution in a country or region listed in the attached table</u>.</li> <li>※ For a vaccination certificate issued in Japan, the following certificates or records are valid.</li> <li>Vaccination Certificate of COVID-19 issued by the Japanese government or local governments in Japan</li> <li>Certificate of vaccination for COVID-19 issued by local governments in Japan</li> <li>Record of vaccination for COVID-19 issued by medical institutions in Japan</li> <li>Other certificates that are considered equivalent to documents listed above</li> </ul>					
2	<ul> <li>The following items must be listed in Japanese or English</li> <li>Name • Date of birth • Vaccine name/manufacturer • Date of vaccination</li> <li>Doses of vaccines administered</li> <li>※ If date of birth is not included in the certificate, other personal identification – e.g., passport number, could be an alternative to confirm the authenticity of the vaccination certificate.</li> <li>※ If the vaccination certificate is written in a language other than Japanese or English, it will be considered valid if it is accompanied by a Japanese or English translation and the contents can be identified.</li> </ul>					
3	<ul> <li>The name/manufacturer of the vaccines administered must be one of the following.</li> <li>COMIRNATY / Pfizer</li> <li>Vaxzevria / AstraZeneca</li> <li>COVID-19 Vaccine Moderna / Moderna</li> <li>※ Vaccine name/manufacturer above are those used in Japan.</li> <li>※ From 0:00hrs on October 12, 2021 (Japan time), Covishield vaccine manufactured by Serum Institute of India will be treated as identical to Vaxzevria vaccine manufactured by AstraZeneca.</li> </ul>					
4	You must be administered <u>at least 2 doses</u> of the vaccines listed in ③ ※ If you are administered 2 different types of vaccines, both vaccines must be listed in ③.					
5	On the date of entry, <u>at least 14 days must have passed since the second dose of the vaccine</u> <u>was administered</u> . * The day of the second dose does not count as one of the 14 days.					
• S <sup>-</sup>	teps for shortening the 14-day quarantine period after entry into Japan (For the shortest schedule)					
	Date of entry       Days 1 to 8       Day 9       Day 10       Day 11 morning         *Not included in quarantine period       File later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the quarantine period       *The later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the quarantine period       *The later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the quarantine period       *The later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the quarantine period       *The later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the quarantine period       *The later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the end of the end of the negative result       *The later the results are reported, the later the notification of the end of the en					
	<ul> <li>You need to choose designated medical institutions or sanitary inspection stations for 10th day test. PCR Test or Quantitative Antigen Test is required.</li> <li>To get a test to end the quarantine, you cannot use public transportation.</li> </ul>					

Countries and regions Applies from 0:00hrs on October 12, 2021 (Japan time)

No.	Countries and regions				
	North America				
1	Any area of the USA (CDC Card)				
2	Northern Mariana Islands, the USA				
3	New York State, the USA				
4	New York City, the USA				
5	Virginia State, the USA				
6	Philadelphia City, Pennsylvania State, the USA				
7	Maryland State, the USA				
8	Louisiana State, the USA				
9	Washington D.C., the USA				
10	Washington State, the USA				
11	Oregon State, the USA				
12	Guam, the USA				
13	California State, the USA				
14	Arizona state, the USA				
15	Alberta State, Canada				
16	British Columbia State, Canada				
17	Yukon Territory, Canada				
18	Quebec State, Canada				
19	Ontario State, Canada				
20	Newfoundland and Labrador State, Canada				
21	New Brunswick, Canada				
22	Manitoba, Canada				
23	Saskatchewan, Canada				
24	Nova Scotia, Canada				
25	Northwest Territories, Canada				
26	Nunavut Territory, Canada				
	Europe				
27	Ireland				
28	Andorra				
29	Italy				
30	The United Kingdom				
31	Estonia				
32	Austria				
33	The Netherlands				
34	Cyprus				
35	Greece				
36	Croatia				
<u> </u>	Switzerland				
<u>37</u> 38	Sweden				
<u>39</u> 40	Spain Slovakia				
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41	Slovenia				
42	The Czech Republic				

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No.	Countries and regions			
43	Denmark			
44	Germany			
45	Hungary			
46	Finland			
47	France			
48	Bulgaria			
49	Belgium			
50	Poland			
51	Portugal			
52	Malta			
53	Latvia			
54	Lithuania			
55	Romania			
56	Luxembourg			
57	Kosovo			
58	Belarus			
	Asia			
59	Indonesia			
60	Singapore			
61	Sri Lanka			
62	Thailand			
63	Vietnam			
64	Hong Kong			
65	Malaysia			
66	Maldives			
	Oceania			
67	Samoa			
68	Palau			
69	Papua New Guinea			
	Latin America and the Caribbean			
70	Ecuador			
71	Costa Rica			
72	Belize			
73	Paraguay			
74	Honduras			
	Middle East and Africa			
75	Tunisia			
76	Turkey			
77	Lebanon			
78	Gabon			
79	Japan			
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