

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE – Requirements for travelling to Dubai**

Dubai is fully committed to following all guidelines and measures to ensure visitors' health remains top priority.

## What are the international travel requirements for travelling to Dubai?

- Fulfill entry visa requirements to visit the UAE (check link below). Visas can be obtained through Emirates, visa application centre or any travel agents.
- Ensure you have medical travel insurance before travelling. In the event you do not have international coverage, sign a declaration to bear all costs of quarantine and treatment.
- All passengers arriving in Dubai from any destination, must have a negative COVID-19 test certificate to be accepted on a flight. The test must be taken a maximum of 96 hours before departure. This excludes children under the age of 12 and passengers who have a moderate or severe disability.
- If the UAE government has specified a <u>designated laboratory</u> in your country of origin, then you must get your certificate from that lab (check approved labs below). If it is not specified, please use an accredited lab in your country of departure.
- As of the 1<sup>st</sup> August Dubai has released a list of countries whose passengers will be required to take a second PCR swab test when they land in the Emirate from August 1. They are:

**Asia:** Afghanistan, Bangladesh, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, the Philippines, Sri Lanka, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan.

**Middle East and Africa:** Djibouti, Egypt, Eritrea, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon, Nigeria, Somalia, Sudan, South Africa and Tanzania.

Europe: Armenia, Montenegro, Russia and Serbia.

**The Americas:** Brazil, the US– Dallas Fort Worth, Houston, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Fort Lauderdale and Orlando, including passengers originating from California, Florida and Texas who connect to an Emirates flight from any airport to Dubai.

- If you take a test at the airport, you must remain in your hotel or residence until you receive the test result. If the test result is positive, you will be required to undergo isolation and follow the Dubai Health Authority guidelines. You must also download the COVID-19 DXB Smart App. <u>iOS</u> <u>Android</u>.
- You will also be asked to complete a Health Declaration Form before departure stating you have no COVID-19 symptoms.
- Please note that your Covid-19 test result only covers your stay in Dubai. The regulations differ in Abu Dhabi and you may be subject to 14 days of quarantine

Visa requirements

https://www.visitdubai.com/en/travel-planning/travel-tools/visa-and-entry-information **Approved laboratories** https://c.ekstatic.net/ecl/documents/health-screening-documents/approved-laboratories.pdf

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