

# Travel to and from Finland during the COVID-19 epidemic

At the moment, Finland does not impose any restrictions on entry to the country because of the COVID-19 epidemic. All restrictions on entry have been lifted.

All health security measures at Finland's borders under the Communicable Diseases ended on 30 June 2022. This means that travellers arriving in Finland are no longer obliged to present any COVID-19 certificates or to be tested for COVID-19.

All restrictions on external border traffic have likewise been lifted. The restrictions on internal border traffic were lifted earlier.

Pre-pandemic practices have been reinstated at border checks. Travellers arriving from non-EU and non-Schengen countries must still have normal travel documents, i.e. a passport and, if necessary, a visa.

## Travelling abroad from Finland

The COVID-19 pandemic remains a risk to travel safety, and the situation may change unpredictably in any country or region.

- [Country-specific travel advice | Ministry for Foreign Affairs](#) 

The Finnish Institute of Health and Welfare recommends that all people travelling abroad obtain full vaccine protection against COVID-19 before travel.

If you are planning to travel, it is important to remember that all countries can impose restrictions on entry at their borders, and it may not be possible to travel to all countries.

Before travelling, please remember the following:

- Always check the current entry regulations with the authorities of your destination country by contacting that country's diplomatic mission, for instance. Countries may also impose entry restrictions on transit traffic.
- Check the requirements of airports and airlines regarding wearing face masks or showing proof of a negative COVID-19 test, for example.
- Remember to also check the instructions of any other transport operators you will use.

## EU Digital COVID Certificate

In Finland, it is no longer necessary to show your EU Digital COVID Certificate when attending events, visiting food and beverage service businesses or entering the country. However, the situation may be different in other countries. If you are planning to travel, it is important to check the current requirements for entry into your country of destination with that country's authorities.

The EU Digital COVID Certificate contains information on COVID-19 vaccinations, negative test results and/or recovery from COVID-19. The COVID-19 certificate is available in the My Kanta Pages.

- [Vaccination certificates | Ministry of Social Affairs and Health](#) 
- [COVID-19 vaccination certificates | Finnish Institute of Health and Welfare](#) 

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## See also

## Press releases

### Restrictions on external border traffic extended until 30 June

NEWS ITEM 2.6.2022 15.09

### Restrictions on external border traffic extended until 30 June

PRESS RELEASE 2.6.2022 13.57

### Restrictions on external border traffic extended until 5 June

NEWS ITEM 6.5.2022 10.34

### Restrictions on external border traffic extended until 5 June

PRESS RELEASE 5.5.2022 14.23

### Restrictions on external border traffic extended until 8 May

PRESS RELEASE 7.4.2022 15.14

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### Instructions for travellers and employees arriving in Finland | [thl.fi](https://thl.fi)

The Finnish Institute for Health and Welfare (THL) provides instructions on the health safety of travellers arriving in Finland. You can use the traffic light system on their website to assess the need for self-isolation and the risk of COVID-19 infection associated with travelling abroad.

### Foreign Ministry's travel advice notices

The COVID-19 pandemic remains a major global risk to travel safety, and the situation may deteriorate abruptly and unpredictably in any country or region.

### Air travel during COVID-19 | [finavia.fi](https://finavia.fi)

What do travellers need to take into account before departure, at the airport and when returning from a trip? Where can I fly from Finland?

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