

Rescission: Requirement for Negative Pre-Departure COVID-19 Test Result or Documentation of Recovery from COVID-19 for all Airline or Other Aircraft Passengers Arriving into the United States from Any Foreign Country

On June 10, 2022, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) rescinded the Order titled "Requirement for Negative Pre-Departure COVID-19 Test Result or Documentation of Recovery from COVID-19 for All Airline or Other Aircraft Passengers Arriving in the United States from any Foreign Country."

This rescission takes effect for flights departing to the United States from a foreign country **at or after 12:01am ET (4:01am GMT) on June 12, 2022**, and will be published in the Federal Register.

To view the Rescission, click here 📙 [PDF – 4 pages].

Frequently Asked Questions

Is the proof of vaccination requirement for noncitizen nonimmigrants still in effect?

CDC's Amended Order: *Implementing Presidential Proclamation on Safe Resumption of Global Travel During the COVID-19 Pandemic* requiring proof of COVID-19 for noncitizens who are nonimmigrants is still in effect. For information about this Amended Order and the associated attestation see the webpage.

Amended Order: Requirement for Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test Result or Recovery from COVID-19 for All Airline Passengers Arriving into the United States

On December 02, 2021, The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) amended its October 25, 2021 Amended Order, titled, "Requirement for Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test or Recovery from COVID-19 for All Air Passengers Arriving in the United States."

This amendment updates COVID-19 testing requirements for air passengers 2 years or older boarding a flight to the United States.

This Amended Order went into effect for flights departing to the US from a foreign country at or after 12:01am EST (5:01am GMT) on December 6, 2021, and was published in the Federal Register 12 on December 7, 2021.

View the Order 📙 [PDF – 30 pages].

View the Attestation 🔼 [PDF – 5 pages].

This Order and attestation will no longer be in effect as of 12:01am ET [4:01am GMT], June 12, 2022).

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Amended Order: Requirement for Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test Result or Recovery from COVID-19 for All Airline Passengers Arriving into the United States

On October 25, 2021 The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) amended its January 25, 2021 Order, titled, "Requirement for Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test or Recovery from COVID-19 for All Air Passengers Arriving in the United States."

This amendment updates COVID-19 testing requirements for air passengers 2 years or older boarding a flight to the United States, depending on COVID-19 vaccination status.

This Amended Order was **effective on November 8, 2021** at 12:01am EST (5:01am GMT), and was published in the Federal Register

View the Attestation 🔼 to the October 25, 2021 Order.

This Order will be replaced at 12:01 EST on December 6, 2021

View the Order 📙 [PDF – 65 pages].

On November 10, 2021, CDC reposted this Order to correct minor grammatical and typographical errors. The legal substance of the Order remains the same.

Order: Requirement for Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test Result or Recovery from COVID-19 for All \land Airline Passengers Arriving into the United States.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) issued an Order on January 12, 2021 requiring proof of a negative COVID-19 test or documentation of having recovered from COVID-19 for all air passengers arriving from a foreign country to the US. On January 25, 2021, CDC posted a revision to this order. This Order was effective as of January 26, 2021 and was published in the Federal Register $rac{1}{2}$ on January 28, 2021.

This Order was replaced at 12:01 EST on November 8, 2021.

To view the order, click here 📙 [PDF – 9 pages].

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