

Current snapshot of COVID-19 situation in Vietnam as of 15 Nov 2021

Confirmed infections	1,026,522
Recovered cases	863,311
Deaths	23,082

From November 2021, international tourists (foreigners and Vietnamese residing abroad coming from key and potential tourism markets of Vietnam) who meet the following conditions may travel to Vietnam.

Having a certificate showing vaccination against COVID-19 recognized by a competent authority in Vietnam. The timing of the 2nd or 1st dose must be at least 14 days and not more than 12 months prior to entry. Or have a certificate of recovery from COVID-19. The time between hospital discharge and entry date must not exceed 6 months.

Having a negative result for SARS-CoV-2 from an RT-PCR/RT-LAMP-method test within 72 hours (from the time of the same collection) before boarding the plane.

Have medical or travel insurance that covers COVID-19 treatment with a minimum liability at \$50,000.

Participating in an approved package tour program of a travel agency.

Screening centers and health hotlines

Travellers with symptoms of COVID-19, or those concerned that they may have been exposed to the SARS-CoV-2 virus, should call Vietnam's health hotline: 1900 3228

Vietnam has appointed 180 authorized testing facilities to carry out testing and diagnosis of COVID-19 disease. For the full list of screening centres, please see this [link](#).

For a full overview of the COVID-19 situation in Vietnam as it relates to travellers, as well as daily updates, please see our travel advisory [here](#).

Travel requirements

The 72 countries and territories whose COVID-19 vaccine certificates and/or recovery documentation Vietnam currently accepts (according to the [Consular Department](#)): *Poland, the United Arab Emirates, the Republic of Korea, Kazakhstan, Mongolia, Oman, Thailand, Romania, Japan, New Zealand, Brazil, Sri Lanka, the Czech Republic, Morocco, Saudi Arabia, Armenia, Germany, Russia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Ireland, Austria, San Marino, Laos, Singapore, Belgium, Spain, Denmark, the United States, Italy, Bulgaria, Slovakia, Norway, Sweden, Israel, France, Turkey, Azerbaijan, India, Switzerland, China, Pakistan, Greece, Kuwait, Colombia, the Netherlands, Australia, Finland, Chinese Taipei, Hungary, Belarus, Cambodia, Algeria, Canada, Indonesia, Nepal, Mexico, Bolivia, Croatia, Portugal, Turkmenistan, Palestine, Qatar, Libya, Egypt, Timor Leste, Ukraine, the Philippines, Malaysia, Luxembourg, Argentina, Jordan, and Brunei Darussalam.*



All travelers entering Vietnam are required to:

- Have a vaccination certificate recognized by a competent authority in Vietnam. The second dose or first dose must have been administered at least 14 days and not more than 12 months before entry. Alternatively, show a COVID-19 recovery certificate issued within 6 months before entry.
- Have a negative test certificate of SARS-CoV-2 taken by RT-PCR/RT-LAMP-method test issued within 72 hours (from the time of sampling) before boarding.
- Show that children under 12 years of age traveling with a parent or guardian have taken a RT-PCR test, showing a negative result, within 72 hours before boarding.
- Have medical/travel insurance that covers COVID-19 treatment with a minimum of \$50,000 cover.
- Participate in a package tour from an approved travel agency.

Travel protocols

1. Book a package tour

- Select and register to participate in travel programs of appointed travel agencies. The program must provide:
 - Flight information
 - Accommodation
 - Tour services
 - Itinerary

2. Visa issuance: Visa application through travel agencies (if required)

- Travelers provide travel agencies with required documents.
- Travel agencies carry out procedures for visa application as per regulations. Visas are issued at diplomatic missions of Vietnam overseas, or at border gates, depending on the requests of the travel agencies.

3. Preparations before the flight

- Conduct RT-PCR/RT-LAMP test within 72 hours before boarding.
- Before entering Vietnam, the travel agency should advise travelers to monitor their health and consider not traveling to Vietnam if experiencing symptoms of COVID-19.
- Practice precautions against COVID-19 on means of transportation before entering Vietnam.
- Prepare copies of required documents, except for electronic copies accepted by the Vietnamese authorities.
- Prepare the negative RT-PCR/RT-LAMP test results (taken within 72 hours before boarding) to present to the airline and immigration authorities upon request.
- Children under 12 years of age traveling with a parent or guardian must have a negative RT-PCR/RT-LAMP test result taken within 72 hours before boarding.

4. Immigration process

- All travelers are required to undergo health screening at the international airport of entry, and:
 - Proceed through the temperature checkpoint.
 - Install the **IGOVN** and **PC-COVID**.
 - Use the above Applications during your stay in Vietnam.
- Carry out immigration procedures at the international airport as per regulations.
- Travel agencies should support and guide travelers while preparing their entry documents.

Roadmap to welcome international travellers

Health checks on arrival



All travelers entering Vietnam need to submit mandatory [Health Declarations](#) on arrival. This form can be filled out electronically at airports and border crossings, or submitted online on the day of entry into Vietnam. Travelers are legally responsible for ensuring the information is true and accurate. All foreigners will need to comply with official health procedures when in Vietnam.

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- Tourists must

- Self-monitoring of health.
- Comply with the Ministry of Health's 5K message: khu trang (face masks), khu khuan (disinfection), khoang cach (distancing), khong tu tap (no gatherings), and khai bao y te (health declarations).
- Comply with the infection prevention and control measures as prescribed.
- Immediately notify the health authorities at the airport if you have any health abnormalities such as cough, fever, sore throat, shortness of breath, body aches, fatigue, chills, decrease or loss of taste and smell.

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Online trackers and official government sites



Travelers are required to download and use these applications during their stay in Vietnam: PC-COVID (from [Apple Store](#) or [Android Market](#)) or IGOVN (an App by the Ministry of public security).

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