

## COVID-19 FLIGHT AND TRAVELLER RESTRICTIONS

**A HEALTH DECLARATION FORM IS REQUIRED FOR ALL PASSENGERS AGED 12 YEARS OR OLDER TRAVELLING TO AND FROM THE NETHERLANDS. PLEASE REFER TO <https://www.government.nl/topics/coronavirus-covid-19/documents/publications/2021/07/20/covid-19-and-flying-health-declaration-form>**

### **EU-ENTRY BAN (1/4):**

ALL NON-SCHENGEN RESIDENTS AND NON-EU RESIDENTS ARE **PROHIBITED TO ENTER THE NETHERLANDS BY ORDER OF THE MINISTRY OF JUSTICE AND SECURITY.**

### **EXEMPTIONS ON ENTRY BAN:**

- I. RESIDENTS FROM A SAFE COUNTRY WITH A LOW COVID-19 RISK (PLEASE REFER TO THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE FOR A CURRENT LIST: <https://www.government.nl/topics/coronavirus-covid-19/visiting-the-netherlands-from-abroad/checklist-entry>),
- II. PASSENGERS WHO HAVE BEEN FULLY VACCINATED WITH A COVID-19 VACCINE THAT IS AUTHORIZED BY THE EUROPEAN MEDICINES AGENCY OR WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (WHO).<sup>1</sup>
  - **NOTICE 1:** FULLY VACCINATED MEANS THE ADMINISTRATION OF TWO EMA OR WHO-AUTHORIZED VACCINES<sup>1</sup> (AND A WAITING PERIOD OF 14 DAYS AFTER VACCINATION) NO LONGER THAN 270 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE, OR AN ADDITIONAL BOOSTER VACCINE. EXCEPT WHEN A PERSON HAS CONTRACTED COVID BEFORE AND/OR HAS HAD THE JANSSEN VACCINE ADMINISTERED. IN BOTH CASES, ONE DOSE OF THE VACCINE WILL SUFFICE.
  - **NOTICE 2:** A WAITING PERIOD OF 28 DAYS IS REQUIRED FOR TRAVELLERS WHO HAVE BEEN ADMINISTERED THE JANSSEN VACCINE.
  - **NOTICE 3:** A VACCINATION DECLARATION IS NEEDED IN CASE A TRAVELLER DOES NOT HAVE AN EU DIGITAL COVID CERTIFICATE, PLEASE REFER TO THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE FOR THE DECLARATION FORM: <https://www.government.nl/topics/aviation/documents/publications/2020/07/07/information-for-passengers-flying-to-and-from-the-netherlands>
- III. PASSENGERS WHO HAVE RECOVERED FROM COVID-19 AT LEAST 11 DAYS AGO.
  - **NOTICE 1: PROOF OF RECOVERY IS NEEDED:**
    - VALID FOR A MAXIMUM OF 180 DAYS; AND
    - THAT IS ISSUED BY A COUNTRY TAKING PART IN THE EU-DIGITAL COVID CERTIFICATE (DCC) SCHEME. PLEASE REFER TO THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE FOR THE RELEVANT COUNTRIES: [https://ec.europa.eu/info/live-work-travel-eu/coronavirus-response/safe-covid-19-vaccines-europeans/eu-digital-covid-certificate\\_en#map](https://ec.europa.eu/info/live-work-travel-eu/coronavirus-response/safe-covid-19-vaccines-europeans/eu-digital-covid-certificate_en#map)
- IV. MEDICAL PERSONNEL IN THE INTEREST OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND PATIENTS (ONLY NECESSARY),
- V. CROSS-BORDER COMMUTERS,
- VI. INDIVIDUALS WHO WORK IN THE GOODS TRANSPORT SECTOR, AND OTHER ESSENTIAL TRANSPORT PERSONNEL, INCLUDING CREW MEMBERS ON CONTAINER SHIPS, BULK CARRIERS (E.G. ORE AND COAL), TANKERS (FUEL AND CHEMICALS) AND FISHING VESSELS. IT ALSO INCLUDES INDIVIDUALS WHO WORK IN THE ENERGY SECTOR, INCLUDING OIL AND GAS PLATFORMS AND OFFSHORE WIND FARMS, OFFSHORE COMPANIES THAT PROVIDE SERVICES

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<sup>1</sup> PLEASE REFER TO THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE FOR A LIST OF EMA AND WHO APPROVED VACCINES: <https://www.government.nl/topics/coronavirus-covid-19/visiting-the-netherlands-from-abroad/requirements-for-proof-of-vaccination>

- TO THIS SECTOR,
- VII.** DIPLOMATS IN THE EXERCISE OF THEIR WORK,
  - VIII.** STAFF OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS AND PEOPLE INVITED BY INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS WHOSE PHYSICAL PRESENCE IS REQUIRED FOR THE WELL-FUNCTIONING OF THESE ORGANISATIONS,
  - IX.** MILITARY PERSONNEL AND CIVIL PROTECTION PERSONNEL IN THE EXERCISE OF THEIR FUNCTIONS,
  - X.** HUMANITARIAN AID WORKERS IN THE EXERCISE OF THEIR WORK,
  - XI.** EU OR SCHENGEN RESIDENTS. ADDITIONALLY NON-DUTCH RESIDENTS HAVE TO PROVE THAT THE NETHERLANDS IS NOT THEIR END DESTINATION,
  - XII.** PASSENGERS TRAVELLING FOR IMPERATIVE FAMILY REASONS (FIRST- OR SECOND DEGREE) SUCH AS ATTENDING A FUNERAL OR VISITING A TERMINALLY ILL FAMILY MEMBER,
  - XIII.** SEAFARERS WHO POSSESS A SEAMEN RECORD BOOK IF THEY ARE TRAVELLING IN THE EXERCISE OF THEIR WORK OR WHOSE PHYSICAL PRESENCE IS REQUIRED FOR WORK. THE EXEMPTION DOES NOT APPLY TO SEAFARERS ON COMMERCIAL YACHTS AND PLEASURE CRAFTS,
  - XIV.** PERSONS IN NEED OF INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION OR FOR OTHER HUMANITARIAN REASONS,
  - XV.** PERSONS ON BOARD OF A STATE FLIGHT,
  - XVI.** ELITE ATHLETES AND THEIR SUPPORT STAFF,
  - XVII.** PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISTS,
  - XVIII.** RESEARCHERS,
  - XIX.** STUDENTS WHO WISH TO COME TO THE NETHERLANDS TO STUDY FOR A PERIOD OF LESS THAN THREE MONTHS,
  - XX.** HIGHLY SKILLED MIGRANTS WHO WISH TO COME TO THE NETHERLANDS FOR WORK FOR A PERIOD OF LESS THAN THREE MONTHS,
  - XXI.** PERSONS IN THE INTEREST OF THE DUTCH ECONOMY AND SOCIETY,
  - XXII.** PROFESSIONALS IN CULTURAL AND CREATIVE SECTORS,
  - XXIII.** PARTNERS IN A LONG-DISTANCE RELATIONSHIP,
  - XXIV.** AIRCREW (CREW MEMBERS OR PERSONNEL OPERATING PASSENGER OR CARGO FLIGHTS OR TRAVELLING AS PASSENGERS TO OR FROM THEIR DEPARTURE BASE).

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE REFER TO:

<https://www.government.nl/topics/coronavirus-covid-19/visiting-the-netherlands-from-abroad/exemptions-to-the-entry-ban>.

**FLIGHT BAN (2/4):**

**NOTICE:** CURRENTLY THERE ARE NO FLIGHTBANS IN EFFECT.

**TESTING (3/4):**

**NOTICE:** CURRENTLY THERE ARE NO TESTING REQUIREMENTS IN EFFECT.

**QUARANTINE (4/4):**

**NOTICE:** CURRENTLY THERE ARE NO QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS IN EFFECT.

**DURATION OF TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS:**

THE TEMPORARY TRAVEL RESTRICTION IS APPLICABLE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, REGARDLESS OF THE INDICATED ENDING TIME OF THE NOTAM. ANY POSSIBLE CHANGE OF THIS PERIOD SHALL BE ASSESSED DEPENDING ON FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS.

