



NOTICE TO AIRLINES OPERATING IN JAMAICA

Entry Requirements for Jamaica Nationals and Non-Nationals March 18, 2022 – April 15, 2022

Effective March 18, 2022, the entry requirements for Jamaica have been further adjusted.

1. All persons aged 12 and over travelling to Jamaica will still be required to obtain a COVID-19 test conducted within three (3) days prior to the date of travel.
2. **Airline crew who enter Jamaica but are not landed in Jamaica will be exempt from this requirement.** Airline crew who are landed in Jamaica are subject to health screening but will be exempt from any pre-testing or testing on arrival as per requirements described below if they are staying in Jamaica only until the next return flight.

Please note that the date of the test (i.e., sample collection) and not the date of the result is what will be assessed against the 3-day time frame. Please note also that for travellers with connecting flights to Jamaica, the test must be conducted within 3 days, as applicable, prior to departure from their point of origin. For example, for a traveller departing from Zurich on March 18, 2022 for Kingston, via New York, the traveller must conduct their test no earlier than March 15, 2022.

Only PCR or Antigen tests that have been authorized by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) under an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) or meet the standards of the World Health Organisation (WHO) will be accepted. The test should be performed at a medical laboratory that is accredited by the relevant national health authorities. For example, for the United States of America, the medical laboratory should be certified under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments (CLIA).

Travellers are required to present their COVID-19 negative test certificate (either hard copy or electronic) at the airport in order to check in for/board their flight to Jamaica.

Note the following requirements in relation to the test certificate:

- It must indicate the name and address of the laboratory at which the test was conducted
- The name and date of birth of the individual on the test certificate must match those on the passport

- The test must be either a PCR test or Antigen test that has been authorized by the United States FDA under an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) or meets the standards of the WHO. PCR or Antigen tests which have not been approved by those organisations or other tests such as antibody tests will not be accepted.

We continue to place the highest priority on the safety and well-being of all who reside in Jamaica, and all who are visiting. In order to ensure a seamless and convenient experience for all, we look forward to working with you our valued partner to welcome persons to Jamaica.



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