

Departures from Greece to Italy

We present an updated information regarding the conditions that are valid for the entry into Italy from Greece in order to limit the spread of the coronavirus COVID-19 (Ordinance of the Italian Minister of Health - 14.12.2021).

The submission of the digital Passenger Locator Form (dPLF) available at <https://app.euplf.eu/#/> is mandatory for anyone who enters Italy from Greece for any length of stay, via any means of transport. One form must be completed for each adult passenger; accompanied minors can be registered on the form of the accompanying adult. In the case of unaccompanied minors, the dPLF must be completed by the parent or legal guardian before departure. Transit passengers should select “Italy” as the destination country, regardless of their final destination. Once the form has been sent, passengers receive the dPLF in PDF and as a QR Code at the email address entered during registration, which must be shown directly from a smartphone (in digital format) when boarding. Alternatively, passengers can print a copy of the dPLF to show when boarding.

Entry into Italy for travellers, who have resided or made a transit through Greece within the previous 14 days from the date of arrival in Italy, is allowed under the following conditions:

1. Presentation to the carrier upon boarding and to whoever else has the authority to carry out controls, of the Passenger Locator Form in digital format or in hard copy;
2. Presentation to the carrier upon boarding and to whoever else has the authority to carry out controls, of the Covid-19 green vaccination or recovery certificate (or equivalent certificate);
3. Presentation to the carrier upon boarding and to whoever else has the authority to carry out controls, of a negative molecular COVID-19 test dated not older than 48 hours or a negative antigenic COVID-19 test dated not older than 24 hours before arrival in Italy.

In case of non-presentation of the Covid-19 green certificate of vaccination or recovery (as referred in b) and without prejudice to the obligation to undergo the molecular or antigenic test (as referred in c), it is mandatory to undergo health surveillance and fiduciary isolation of five (5) days at the address indicated in the Passenger Locator Form, with the obligation to undergo a molecular or antigen test, carried out by means of a swab, at the end of that period.

Certificates may be written in Italian, English, French or Spanish and may be submitted in either written or digital form.

Children under 6 years of age are exempt from the pre-departure molecular or antigen swab test.

Minors are exempt from quarantine (where provided) only if they are accompanied by an adult (parent or other escort) holding a green certificate (or the EU digital COVID certificate).

With the obligation to complete and submit the electronic dPLF (digital Passenger Locator Form) and provided that there are no symptoms of COVID-19, the presentation of an EU digital COVID

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certificate or a green certificate and the performance of molecular or antigenic test before arrival in Italy, do not apply to:

- whoever enters Italy for a period of less than 120 hours for proven reasons of work, health or urgency, with the obligation, at the end of the above period, to leave Italian territory immediately or, if this is not possible, to enter a period of monitoring or preventive self-restriction.
- whoever transits, by his own means, through the Italian territory for a period of up to 36 hours, with the obligation, at the end of the above period, to leave the Italian territory immediately or, if this is not possible, to enter a period of monitoring or preventive self-restriction.