Rules for entry and return to the Czech Republic (as of 19th July 2021)

PART B

country with a

low risk

citizenship, long-term residence

permit or permanent residence

permit in this country is required

necessary to fill in the

Passenger Locator Form

third-country nationals who do not have any residence permit issued by the Czech Republic or a long-term or permanent residence permit issued by other EU+ country

third-country nationals who have a short-term visa issued by the Czech Republic before 11th May 2020 or short-term or long-term visa issued by other EU+ country

it is possible to enter the country only for the reasons listed in the Ministy of Health (MoH) Protective Measure

Third-country nationals, who do not have any residence permit issued by the Czech Republic or long-term or permanent residence permit issued by other EU+ country, or who are not residents of countries with a low risk, are not allowed to enter the Czech Republic. There are several exceptions from this ban that are listed in the part II. / 2. of the MoH Protective Measure.

country with an

extreme risk

entry ban





country with a medium risk

find out if you are allowed to enter the Czech Republic according to the MoH Protective Measure

> necessary to fill in the Passenger Locator Form

negative antigen / PCR test before or after arrival exception from testing for these persons:

country with a high risk

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country with a

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very high risk

necessary to fill in the Passenger Locator Form

negative PCR test before arrival

From which country

are you arriving?

PCR test after arrival

self-isolation exception from

testing for these persons:

Rules for testing:

I Testing before starting the travel to the Czech Republic:

- 1) PCR test no older than 72 hours
- 2) antigen test no older than 48 hours

Testing after arrival to the Czech Republic - within 5 days after arrival I from countries with a low and medium risk and 5th day after arrival from a country with a high or very high risk at the earliest

Self-isolation - until receiving a negative result of a test undergone in the Czech Republic; time periods for undergoing testing in Czechia are mentioned above

Travellers from all countries have an obligation to fill in the Passenger Locator Form before the arrival.



There are several exceptions from the obligation to fill in the Passenger Locator Form or undergo testing. All rules and exceptions can be found in the Ministry of Health Protective Measure.



A list of countries with a low, medium and high risk of Covid-19 transmission and list of countries with an extreme risk of Covid-19 transmission can be found here. A country listed in neither list of countries is considered as a country with a very high risk of Covid-19 transmission.





Groups of persons, who do not have the obligation to undergo testing and self-isolation after the arrival:

persons who had Covid-19 in last 180 days (it is necessary to have a written medical certificate in English from EU+ country where the isolation was completed or a digital EU certificate)

persons fully vaccinated in the EU+ countries - 14 days after the application of the last dose (it is necessary to have a national certificate or a digital EU certificate)