

PRESS RELEASE

Rapid antigen testing units – 3 June 2021

Aiming at the continuous surveillance of the community and the workplaces, the free programmes of rapid antigen testing of the general population and employees are in progress.

For the smooth and safe operation of businesses that have been activated according to the Decrees, employers in businesses, as well as the Heads of Departments/Services in the public and wider public sector, are obliged to coordinate the rapid testing of the employees, so that the **mandatory weekly rapid antigen testing of at least 50% of the personnel working with physical presence**, is ensured.

Additionally, the self-employed and the domestic employees and/or people caring for elders or disabled persons or people providing assistance to individuals who are unable to take care of themselves are obligated to participate in the program.

It is understood that exempt from the above regulation are the **employees who have received the 1st dose of a licenced vaccine and three weeks have elapsed from their vaccination**. For example, if a company/organization/department of the public/wider public sector employs 20 people with physical presence, of which 12 have received the 1st dose of the vaccine, the obligation for weekly testing concerns the other 8 individuals (4+4).

On **Thursday, 3 June**, the testing units will be operating in the following areas:

District	Location of testing units	Operating hours
Lemesos (20 units)	“Grigoris Afxentiou” Square, Lemesos	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	‘Andreas Themistocleous’ TEPAK building, Agia Zoni (old land registry, Athinon street)	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	“Marios Tokas” Square, Mesa Geitonia	8.30 a.m. –

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	Tsireio Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	“Sigma Bakery” parking area, Kapsalos (Agias Filaxeos Street, next to Scandia)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Polemida Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Former “Orphanides” Shopping Mall, Polemida (rear side)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Ypsonas Town Hall Square	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Linopetra Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	My Mall Limassol	8.00 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Hotel Atlantica Oasis, Germasogeia (hotel lobby)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Municipal parking area, former ‘Skaros’ Tavern, Germasogeia	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Agios Athanasios Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Erimi Community Stadium	7.30 a.m. –

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	Multifunctional Centre, Pyrgos, Lemesos	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Former Cooperative Bank of Pachna Hall	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Pelendri Community Council Square	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Kolossi Lyceum	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Pano Platres Cultural Centre	9.00 p.m. – 2.00 p.m.
	Agios Athanasios Industrial Area (MEDOCHEMIE parking area)	8.00 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.
Larnaka (9 units)	Kition Athletic Centre	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Petrakis Kyprianou Gymnasium, Larnaka	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Agios Nicolaos Church, Drosia	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Makariou Housing Community Council, Kamares area, Larnaka (5 Agios Vasileios Street)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.

	Livadia Lyceum	1.30 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Aradippou Sunday Schools (11, 1st April Avenue)	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Amphitheatre of Dromolaxia and Meneou Municipality	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Old Market Building, Xylotympou	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	KEPO Lefkara	9.00 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.
Lefkosia (25 units)	Lefkotheo Indoor Gym, Egkomi	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	European University Cyprus, Egkomi (graduation platform, next to the cafeteria)	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	University of Nicosia, Egkomi (UNESCO Amphitheatre)	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agios Spyridonas Church, Lefkosia (behind the Police Station of Lykavitos)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Eleftherias Square, Lefkosia (area under the bridge)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Agios Dometios Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. –

		6.00 p.m.
	Archbishop Makarios III Gymnasium, Platy, Aglantzia	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Palouriotissa Gymnasium (entrance from Lysippou Street)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Agios Polydoros Church, Kaimakli	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Latsia Lyceum (“Sotiris Messios” Athletic Centre)	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agios Georgios Lyceum, Lakatamia	1.30 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Mall of Cyprus, Strovolos (underground parking area)	8.00 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Agios Vasileios Gymnasium, Strovolos	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Constantinoupoleos Gymnasium, Strovolos	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Acropolis Lyceum (entrance from Patroclou Kokkinou Street)	1.30 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Agios Charalambos Church, Geri	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.

	Agios Nicolaos Church, Kato Deftera	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Nicosia Mall	8.00 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Kokkinotrimithia District Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Dali Lyceum	1.30 p.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Analiontas Cultural Centre Square	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agia Varvara Gymnasium	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Arediou Community Council	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Metropolis of Tamasos and Oreinis, Episkopeio	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Kakopetria Community Council	9.00 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.
Pafos	Former House of the District Officer, Pafos (Griva Digeni Street)	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.

(7 units)	“Stelios Kyriakides” Stadium, Pafos (West Grandstand, A1 Gate, former Pafiako Stadium)	7.30 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	King’s Avenue Mall, Pafos (main entrance)	8.00 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Geroskipou Sculpture Park	7.30 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Polis Chrysochous Cultural Centre	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Christou Genniseos New Church, Tala	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Mesogi Industrial Area (Licencing Authority)	8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.
Ammochostos (6 units)	Spiritual Centre of the Metropolitan Church of Paralimni	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.
	Parking area of ‘Zorbas’ Bakery, Paralimni (next to the Kapparis roundabout)	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Ammochostos District Land Office, Paralimni	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Kokkinochoria “Panos Ioannou” Gymnasium, Frenaros	8.30 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	“Onisilos” Union, Sotira	7.30 a.m. –

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	Deryneia Municipal Amphitheatre	7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.

It is clarified that citizens **must carry proof of identity** (e.g. Identity Card, Driver's Licence, Passport, etc.), for identification purposes.

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