

Rapid antigen testing for employees and the general population – Testing units 25 March 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 testing of the personnel**, through the rapid antigen test, is ensured as follows:

- Businesses/services employing **up to 3 people**, all employees should be tested.
- Businesses/services employing **between 4 to 10 people**, at least 4 employees should be tested.
- Businesses/services employing **more than 11 people**, at least 5 people or 30% of employees should be tested, whichever is higher in number.

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 recalled that **all teachers and school staff without exception are required to undergo a weekly check with a rapid antigen test**. The negative result certificate should be presented during the checks. At the same time, according to the Decree, dated 2 March, as of 8 March, students aged 12 and over are required to submit a negative rapid test certificate on a weekly basis. It is noted that mobile testing units will be located in public and private Lyceums and Technical Schools, however, staff and students can be tested at the various testing units, as well.

Thus, employees may proceed to the testing units operating in all Districts, according to the plan designed by the employer/head. On **Thursday, 25 March**, the testing units will be operating as follows:

District	Location of testing units	Operating hours
Lemesos (12 units)	Agios Ioannis Eleimon Church, Lemesos	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	'Andreas Themistocleous' TEPAK building, Agia Zoni (old land registry, Athinon street)	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.

	Apostles Peter and Paul Church, Kapsalos	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Tsireion Stadium (West side – Main entrance, VIP area)	8.00 a.m. – 4.00 p.m.
	Irinis Square, Agios Athanasios (in front of the Town Hall)	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Productivity Centre, Linopetra (next to the parking area, 1 Elpidas Street)	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agia Varvara Church, Zakaki	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Hotel Atlantica Oasis, Germasogeia (hotel lobby)	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Germasogeia Cultural Centre	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Erimi Healthcare Centre (Opposite former Cyprus Cooperative Bank)	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Panagia Chrysaifilotissa Church, Agia Fila (Mavrokordatou Street, near CYTA)	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Multifunctional Centre of Pyrgos, Lemesos	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
Larnaka (8 units)	“Agios Georgios Kontos” Cultural Centre, Larnaka	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Larnaka Municipal Theatre	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Apostolos Varnavas Church, Larnaka (Krasia area)	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.

	“Agios Savvas” Spiritual Centre, Livadia	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	“Ermis Aradippou” Union, Aradippou	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Timiou Prodromou Church, Dromolaxia	10.00 a.m. – 9.00 p.m.
	Athienou Municipal Building (covered area)	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Old Market Building, Xylotympou	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
Lefkosia (15 units)	State Fair, Engomi (in front of the East Entrance)	9.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Agios Spyridonas Church, Lefkosia (behind the Police Station of Lykavitos)	10.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agios Georgios Church, Agios Dometios	10.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Apostolos Andreas Church, Aglantzia (Kyrenia Avenue)	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Panagia Evangelistria Church, Palouriotissa	11.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agios Georgios Church, Latsia	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Agios Chrysostomos Church, Pano Lakatamia	10.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Tis tou Theou Sofias Church, Strovolos	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.

	Kakopetria Community Council	9.00 a.m. – 5.00 p.m.
	Agios Dimitrios Church, Acropolis	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Geri Municipality	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Agios Georgios Church, Deftera	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	«Home of the Volunteer», Kokkinotrimithia	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Dali Health Centre	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Arediou Community Council	9.00 a.m. – 5.00 p.m.
Pafos (5 units)	Municipality Square, Pafos	9.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Former House of the District Officer, Pafos (Griva Digeni Street)	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.
	Apostolos Andreas Church, Polis Chrysochous	10.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Geroskipou Square (in front of the Post Office)	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Christou Genniseos Church, Tala (new church)	10.00 a.m. – 5.00 p.m.
Ammochostos	Spiritual Centre of the Metropolitan Church of Paralimni	10.00 a.m. – 7.00 p.m.

(3 units)	“Onisilos Union”, Sotera	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.
	Senior Citizens’ Centre Deryneia	9.00 a.m. – 6.00 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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