

Press Release

Rapid Antigen Testing Units – 13 February 2022

Based on the decisions of the Council of Ministers, and aiming at the suppression of the dispersion of the virus SARS-CoV-2, in places where SafePass is required, individuals aged 6 and above must hold one of the following:

- 1. Certificate of full vaccination.
- 2. Proof that they have been infected with COVID-19 during the last three months.
- 3. Certificate of a negative rapid antigen test, valid for 7 days, for individuals aged 6-11 years old.
- 4. Certificate of a negative PCR or rapid antigen test, valid for 72 hours, for individuals aged 12-17 years old.
- 5. Certificate of a negative PCR test, valid for 72 hours, or rapid antigen test, valid for 48 hours, for individuals aged 18 and over, and at least one dose of the vaccine where required by Decree.

According to the Ministerial Decision, only the following groups of citizens may be served through the mobile rapid antigen testing units:

- **Minors up to 17 years old**. It is understood that children aged 12-17 who do not have the consent of their parents/legal guardians for vaccination may carry out a rapid test free of charge through the programme of the Ministry of Health.
- Persons aged 18 years or over who cannot be vaccinated, provided they possess a medical certificate, and after their request has been examined by the Cyprus Medical Association and the Ministry of Health and has been approved. The approval must be presented to the testing unit. Pregnant women fall in this category, provided they possess a relevant approval from the ad hoc committee of the Cyprus Medical Association.

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- Persons who have been vaccinated with the 1st dose of the vaccine, only for the period required between the 1st and 2nd dose of the vaccine. For verification purposes the Vaccination Card must be presented.
- Persons who have completed their vaccination scheme and the period of
 7 months has elapsed without receiving the booster dose, until further
 notice. For verification purposes the Vaccination Card must be presented.
- **Persons who received the booster dose** of the vaccine, but wish to take tests for health monitoring purposes or for other reasons. It is understood that the Vaccination Card must be presented.
- Persons holding a COVID-19 **recovery certificate** within the last 90 days but wish to take tests for health monitoring purposes or for other reasons. It is understood that the recovery certificate must be presented.

In addition to the above verification certificates, it is reminded that **all citizens must carry proof of identity** (e.g. Identity Card, Driver's Licence, Passport, etc.), for identification purposes.

On **Sunday**, **13 February 2022**, the testing units under the control programme of the Ministry of Health, will be operating, only for the abovementioned groups of citizens, in the following areas:

District	Location of testing units	Operating hours	Telephone
Lemesos (15 units)	My Mall Limassol (Entrance D, next to "Public" store)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Pano Polemidia Cultural Events Hall	9 am - 6 pm	99969931
	Atlantica Oasis Hotel, Germasogeia (hotel lobby)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Former "Orphanides" Shopping Mall, Polemidia	9 am - 6 pm	26100377
	Conference Centre of Kolossi (close to Apostolos Loukas Church)	9 am - 6 pm	99942219
	Cyprus University of Technology (TEPAK), 'Tassos Papadopoulos' building	8:30 am - 6 pm	99790687

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	Germasogeia municipal parking area, (former 'Skaros' Tavern)	9 am - 5 pm	77774400
	IC' (Ágios Spyridonas) Primary School, 18 Miltonos Street	8:30 am - 6 pm	99154344
	D' Primary School of Limassol (55, Misiaouli and Kavazoglou Street)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99177224
	Tricherousa 26th Primary School	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	K' Primary School, Agios Panteleimonas	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Agios Athanasios Municipality building, underground parking area	8:30 am - 5 pm	96659317
	Pissouri Central Square	9 am - 12 pm	77774400
	Episkopi Community Clinic	1 pm - 5 pm	77774400
	Kyperounta Community Council	9 am - 5 pm	99790687
	Metropolis Mall (entrance 5, underground parking area)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Multifunctional social centre of Larnaka (former Community Centre)	9 am - 6 pm	96678224
	Makariou Housing Community Council, Kamares area, Larnaka (5 Agios Vasileios Street)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
Larnaka	Former Cooperative Bank of Aradippou (parking area)	9 am - 6 pm	96812424
(12 units)	Livadia Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Kiti Old Nursery School	9 am - 6 pm	99146623
	Ormideia Community Council (underground area)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Kornos Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	70000166
	Athienou Municipal Building	9 am - 6 pm	99742888
	Anglisides Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	99365616
	Kalavasos Event Hall (Museum)	9 am - 4 pm	99154344
	Lefkara Conference Centre	9 am - 4 pm	99965920
	Mall of Cyprus (underground parking area)	9 am - 6 pm	96625766
	Nicosia Mall	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Agios Dometios Municipality (event hall)	9 am - 6 pm	99365616
	Agios Georgios Church, Latsia	10 am - 6 pm	99969931
Lefkosia (26 units)	Panagia Evangelistria Church, Palouriotissa	10 am - 6 pm	94041843
()	Tis tou Theou Sofias Church, Strovolos	10 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Dali Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Anthoupoli Old Community Clinic (next to the Community Council)	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Agios Charalampos Church hall, Geri (aftostegasi)	9 am - 6 pm	96678224

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	Agios Demetrios Church, Akropolis	10 am - 6 pm	94056785
	Agios Andreas Church, Aglantzia	10 am - 6 pm	96659317
	Agia Paraskevi Church, Lakatameia	10 am - 6 pm	70000166
	Neo Plaza Retail and Fun Park, Kokkinotrimithia	9 am - 6 pm	96625766
	Agios Spyridonas Church, Lefkosia (behind the Police Station of Lykavitos)	9 am - 6 pm	99146623
	Lakatameia Municipal Gallery	9 am - 6 pm	99965920
	European University Cyprus (East Wing, Ground Floor)	8:30 am - 6 pm	96812424
	Psimolofou Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	99154344
	Palaiometocho Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Peristerona Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	99742888
	Agion Konstantinou and Elenis Church, Tseri	9 am - 6 pm	99965920
	Kakopetria Community Council	9 am - 5 pm	99969931
	Lythrodontas Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Metropolis of Tamasos and Oreinis, Episkopeio	9 am - 6 pm	96812424
	Akaki Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Livadero Park, Palaichori	11 am - 4 pm	77774400
	Agrokipia Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	96659317
	Kings Avenue Mall, Pafos (main entrance)	9 am - 6 pm	94057623
Pafos	Hadjimitsi Residence (behind Geroskipou Municipal Hall)	9 am - 6 pm	94057623
(6 units)	Former District Officer Residence	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
(o units)	Chloraka Church	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Polis Chrysochous Cultural Centre	9 am - 6 pm	99177224
	Multifunctional hall of Empa Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
Ammochostos	Paralimni Municipal building (covered parking area)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
(4 units)	Deryneia Senior Citizen's Centre	8:30 am - 6 pm	96678224
	Avgorou Senior Citizens' club	8:30 am - 6 pm	96659317
	Ethnikofrona Somateia of Liopetri	9 am - 6 pm	77774400

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