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Press Release

Rapid Antigen Testing Units – 16 January 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 six 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,



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- provided they possess a relevant approval from the ad hoc committee of the Cyprus Medical Association.
- **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 the reassessment of the measure on January 15, 2022. 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 180 days but wish to take tests for health monitoring purposes or for other reasons. It is understood that the recovery certificate must be presented.
- Persons declared as **close contacts** who are entitled to a rapid test on the 3rd and 5th day through contact tracing.

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, 16 January 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 (10 units)	My Mall Limassol (Entrance D, next to "Public" store)	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843



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	Pano Polemidia Cultural Events Hall	8:30 am - 6 pm	99942219
	Atlantica Oasis Hotel, Germasogeia (hotel lobby)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99790687
	Conference Centre of Kolossi (close to Apostolos Loukas Church)	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Cyprus University of Technology (TEPAK), 'Tassos Papadopoulos' building	8:30 am - 6 pm	26100377
	Former "Orphanides" Shopping Mall, Polemidia	8:30 am - 6 pm	99177224
	Germasogeia municipal parking area, (former 'Skaros' Tavern)	8:30 am - 5 pm	96799002
	Pissouri Central Square	8:30 am - 12 pm	99790687
	Episkopi Community Clinic	1 pm - 5 pm	99790687
	Kyperounta Community Council	9 am - 5 pm	77774400
Larnaka (12 units)	Metropolis Mall (entrance 5, underground parking area)	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Livadia Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Makariou Housing Community Council, Kamares area, Larnaka (5 Agios Vasileios Street)	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Multifunctional social centre of Larnaka (former Community Centre)	8:30 am - 6 pm	95595919
	Former Cooperative Bank of Aradippou (parking area)	8:30 am - 6 pm	95595919
	Kiti Old Nursery School	8:30 am - 6 pm	99154344
	Ormideia Community Council (underground area)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99365616
	Kornos Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	70000166
	Athienou Municipal Building	8:30 am - 6 pm	99142888



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	Anglisides Community Council	8:30 am - 6 pm	99965920
	Kalavastos Event Hall (Museum)	9 am - 4 pm	77774400
	Lefkara Conference Centre	8:30 am - 4 pm	96812424
Lefkosia (24 units)	Mall of Cyprus (underground parking area)	8:30 am - 6 pm	96625766
	Nicosia Mall	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Agios Dometios Municipality (event hall)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99365616
	Agios Spyridonas Church, Lefkosia (behind the Police Station of Lykavitos)	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Agios Georgios Church, Latsia	10 am - 6 pm	70000166
	Panagia Evangelistria Church, Palouriotissa	10 am - 6 pm	99965920
	Tis tou Theou Sofias Church, Strovolos	10 am - 6 pm	96812424
	Aglantzia Healthcare Centre (entrance opposite Lefkoniko Municipality)	8:30 am - 6 pm	96799002
	Dali Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	96625766
	Anthoupoli Old Community Clinic (next to the Community Council)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99146623
	Agios Charalambos Church hall, Geri (aftostegasi)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99969931
	Lakatamia Municipal Gallery	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	European University Cyprus (East Wing, Ground Floor)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99142888
	Psimolofou Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	99154344
	Palaiometochos Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Neo Plaza Retail and Fun Park, Kokkinotrimithia	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Peristerona Community Council	8:30 am - 6 pm	99965920
	Agion Constantinou and Elenis Church, Tser	8:30 am - 6 pm	94056785



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	Kakopetria Community Council	9 am - 5 pm	99965920
	Lythrodontas Community Clinic	8:30 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Metropolis of Tamasos and Oreinis, Episkopeio	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Akaki Community Council	8:30 am - 6 pm	99969931
	Livadero Park, Palaichori	1 pm - 4 pm	77774400
	Agrokipia Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	96799002
Pafos (5 units)	Kings Avenue Mall, Pafos (main entrance)	8:30 am - 6 pm	99177224
	Chloraka Church	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Town Hall Square (next to "Efseveia" Club)	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Multifunctional hall of Emba Community Council	8:30 am - 6 pm	99989795
	Polis Chrysochous Cultural Centre	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
Ammochostos (4 units)	Paralimni Municipal building (covered parking area)	8:30 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Deryneia Senior Citizen's Centre	8:30 am - 6 pm	96799002
	Avgorou Senior Citizens' club	8:30 am - 6 pm	99969931
	Ethnikofrona Somateia of Liopetri	8:30 am - 6 pm	96799002

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