

ANNEX TO SELF-DECLARATION FORM JUSTIFYING TRAVEL TO ITALY

COVID-19 TRAVEL GUIDANCE

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Italian Covid-related travel guidance features lists of Countries from which entry to Italy is subject to different restrictions, also in relation to the date of entry, as specified below:

A – San Marino and Vatican City: no restrictions apply.

B – Countries and territories with a low epidemiological profile, which will be identified – among those in list C below – by the Ministry of Health, in agreement with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation. Persons travelling to Italy from any of these Countries will only need to fill in a self-declaration form specifying (i) the Country(ies) they visited in the last 14 days before arriving in Italy and (ii) their reasons for travelling. Currently, **there are no countries in this list.**

C – Belgium, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Croatia, Denmark (including the Faroe Islands and Greenland), **Estonia, Finland, France** (including Guadeloupe, Martinique, Guyana, Reunion, Mayotte and excluding other overseas territories outside the European mainland), **Germany, Greece, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands** (excluding territories located outside the European continent), **Poland, Portugal** (including the Azores and Madeira), **Czech Republic, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain** (including territories in Africa), **Sweden, Hungary, Iceland, Norway, Liechtenstein, Switzerland, Andorra, Monaco.**

Persons travelling to Italy from any of the Countries in list C (provided that, in the last 14 days, they did not transit through or visit any of the Countries in lists D and E, including the United Kingdom and Brazil, to which specific rules apply) will need to inform the Prevention Department of their local health authority that they have arrived in/returned to Italy and present a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result carried out within the last 48 hours before arriving in Italy (failing which they will be required to self-isolate). Exceptions to this rule are shown below.

D – Australia, Japan, New Zealand, Rwanda, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Thailand: persons travelling to Italy from any of these countries will need to fill in a self-declaration form and self-isolate under medical supervision for 14 days, at their final destination in Italy, which they must reach by private transport only or connecting flight (without leaving the airport transit area). Exceptions to this rule are shown below.

E – All other countries not included in the previous lists (except for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Brazil and Austria, to which the special rules shown below shall apply): there are no restrictions on travel to Italy from all other countries not included in the above lists for Italian/EU/Schengen citizens and family members, as well as holders of long-term resident status and family members (Directive 2004/38/EC), and unmarried partners in a proven stable relationship (regardless of whether or not they cohabit) with Italian/EU/Schengen citizens or long-term residents, if travelling to their partner's home or place of residence (in Italy).

Persons not belonging to any of the groups mentioned above may enter Italy from group E countries only for specific reasons, such as, work, study, health, or other absolutely essential reasons, or to return to their home or place of residence.

Persons must reach their final destination in Italy only by private transport or connecting flight (without leaving the airport transit area).

They will need to fill in a self-declaration form and self-isolate under medical supervision for 14 days at their final destination in Italy, which they must reach by private transport only or connecting flight (without leaving the airport transit area). Exceptions to this rule are shown below.

Exceptions to the self-isolation and swab testing requirements

Provided that the persons travelling to Italy do not show any Covid-19 symptoms and did not visit or transit through the United Kingdom, Brazil or Austria (for more than 12 hours) in the last 14 days before entering Italy, the self-isolation or swab testing requirements do not apply to:

- transport crew members;
- haulage workers;
- persons entering Italy for work reasons regulated by specific security protocols approved by the competent health authority;
- persons entering Italy for reasons that cannot be postponed;
- persons entering Italy for a period not exceeding 120 hours for proven work, health, or absolutely essential reasons, subject to the obligation to immediately leave the country at the end of the said period, or, if unable to do so, to self-isolate under medical supervision;
- persons travelling through Italy, by private transport, for a period of no more than 36 hours, subject to the obligation to immediately leave the country at the end of the said period, or, if unable to do so, to self-isolate under medical supervision;
- citizens and residents of the countries and territories included in lists A, B, C and D entering Italy for proven work reasons (persons arriving in Italy after visiting the Countries in List C shall nevertheless be required to take a (molecular or antigenic) swab test);
- health personnel entering Italy to practice a healthcare profession, also on a temporary basis, pursuant to Article 13 of Decree Law 18/2020;
- cross-border workers entering and leaving the country for proven work reasons and returning to their home or place of residence;
- employees of corporations or entities with headquarters or branch offices in Italy and travelling abroad for proven work reasons for no longer than 120 hours;
- officials and other servants, however designated, of the European Union or international organisations, diplomatic agents, administrative and technical staff of diplomatic missions, consular officials and personnel, and members of the armed forces and law enforcement agencies engaged in their official duties;
- students attending a study programme in a country other than the country of residence or home country, to which they return on a daily basis or at least once a week;
- persons travelling on "Covid-tested" flights, in accordance with the order issued by the Minister of Health of 23 November 2020, as amended;
- athletes, sportspersons, coaches, sports judges, match commissioners and accompanying personnel entering Italy to participate in professional sports competitions – recognised as being of pre-eminent national interest by the Italian Olympic Committee (CONI) and the Italian Paralympic Committee (CIP) – with a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result taken within the last 48 hours.

Guidance for travel from the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Travellers visiting or transiting through the UK in the last 14 days before arriving in Italy are allowed entry only if resident in the country since before 23 December 2020 or for essential reasons (in which case they must specify, in the self-declaration form, whether they are returning home or their essential reason for travelling). In these cases, travellers are allowed entry to Italy only if they:

- a) present to the carrier on boarding, and to any other control authority, a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result carried out within the last 72 hours before entering the country;
- b) accept to take a molecular or antigenic swab test on arrival at the airport, port or border crossing, where possible, or within 48 hours from entering the country at their local health authority. Travellers entering Italy with a flight from the UK must take a swab test on arrival at the airport;
- c) undertake, regardless of the swab test result under point b) above, to self-isolate under medical supervision for a period of fourteen days, at their home or other place of residence, subject to communication of their arrival to the Prevention Department of the competent local health authority.

Transport and haulage personnel engaged in transporting passengers and freight shall not be required to self-isolate in Italy (except if they have the symptoms of Covid-19) but shall nevertheless be required to take a molecular or antigenic swab test on arrival at the airport, port or border crossing, where possible, or within 48 hours from entering the country at their local health authority.

Guidance for travel from Brazil

Entry to Italy of travellers who visited or transited through Brazil in the last 14 days before arriving in Italy is allowed only in the following cases (provided that they do not show symptoms of COVID-19):

- persons who have been resident in Italy since before 13 February 2021;
- officials and other servants, however designated, of the European Union or international organisations, diplomatic agents, administrative and technical staff of diplomatic missions, consular officials and personnel, and members of the armed forces and law enforcement agencies engaged in their official duties;
- persons travelling for essential reasons and specifically authorised by the Ministry of Health to enter Italy.

In these cases, travellers are allowed entry to Italy only if they:

- a) present to the carrier on boarding, and to any other control authority, a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result taken within 72 hours before entering the country;
- b) accept to take a molecular or antigenic swab test on arrival at the airport, port or border crossing, where possible, or within 48 hours from entering the country at their local health authority. Travellers entering Italy with a flight from Brazil must take a swab test on arrival at the airport; undertake, regardless of the swab test result in point b) above, to self-isolate under medical supervision for a period of fourteen days, at their home or other place of residence, subject to communication of their arrival to the Prevention Department of the competent local health authority;
- c) accept to take an additional molecular or antigenic swab test at the end of the fourteen day self-isolation period;

Transport and haulage personnel engaged in transporting passengers and freight shall not be required to self-isolate in Italy (unless they show symptoms of COVID-19) although they shall be required to take a molecular or antigenic swab test on arrival at the airport, port or border crossing, where possible, or within 48 hours from entering the country at their local health authority.

Guidance for travel from Austria

From 14 February 2021 until 5 March 2021, persons visiting or transiting through Austria for more than twelve hours within the last 14 days are allowed entry to Italy only if they:

- a) present to the carrier on boarding, and to any other control authority, a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result taken within 48 hours before entering the country;
- b) accept to take a molecular or antigenic swab test on arrival at the airport, port or border crossing, where possible, or within 48 hours from entering the country at their local health authority;
- c) undertake, regardless of the swab test result in point b) above, to self-isolate under medical supervision for a period of fourteen days, at their home or other place of residence, subject to communication of their arrival to the Prevention Department of the competent local health authority;
- d) accept to take an additional molecular or antigenic swab test at the end of the 14-day self-isolation period.

EXCEPTIONS to the self-isolation requirement for persons travelling from Austria

The self-isolation requirement, under the supervision of the competent health authority, does not apply to the following persons, provided that they do not show symptoms of infection with Covid-19 and that they did not visit or transit through the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland or Brazil in the last 14 days before arriving in Italy:

- transport crew members;
- haulage workers;
- persons travelling from and to the Countries and territories included in list A;
- persons travelling through Italy, by private transport, for a period of no more than 36 hours, subject to the obligation to immediately leave the country at the end of the said period, or, if unable to do so, to self-isolate under medical supervision;
- health personnel entering Italy to practice a healthcare profession, also on a temporary basis, pursuant to Article 13 of Decree Law 18/2020;
- cross-border workers entering and leaving the country for proven work reasons and returning to their home or place of residence;
- students attending a study programme in a country other than the country of residence or home country, to which they return on a daily basis or at least once a week;
- athletes, sportspersons, coaches, sports judges, match commissioners and accompanying personnel entering Italy to participate in professional sports competitions – recognised as being of pre-eminent national interest by the Italian Olympic Committee (CONI) and the Italian Paralympic Committee (CIP) – with a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result taken within the last 48 hours.

In any case, they shall be required to present to the carrier on boarding, and to any other control authority, a negative molecular or antigenic swab test result carried out in the last 7 days before entering the country.