

(Provisional translation)

New measures for border enforcement (18)  
(Quarantine period for cross-border travelers and returnees who  
possess a COVID-19 vaccination certificate)

September 27, 2021

1. Period of staying at places such as their own residence after the entry into Japan for cross-border travelers and returnees from some of the countries and regions which are separately listed among the designated countries/regions

Cross-border travelers and returnees from designated countries/regions subject to 1(3), 2 of New measures for border enforcement (17) (September 17, 2021), or all cross-border travelers and returnees from countries/regions other than those subject to the measure, who obtain a COVID-19 vaccination certificate (validity of which is confirmed by the Ministries of Foreign Affairs(MOFA) and the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare(MHLW). Hereinafter the same shall apply.) may not be required to stay for the remaining period of 14 days after the entry into Japan at places such as their own residence, when they submit a negative result of PCR test or Quantitative Antigen test (CLEIA) conducted on the 10th day and after to the MHLW.

2. The measure of staying at designated facilities for cross-border travelers and returnees from some of the countries/regions

Among cross-border travelers and returnees from designated countries/regions subject to 1(3) or 2 of New measures for border enforcement (17), who obtain a COVID-19 vaccination certificate may not be required to stay for 3 days at facilities designated by the Chief of the Quarantine Station and retest on the third day.

(Note 1) The measures mentioned above will be applied from 0:00am (JST) on October 1, 2021.

(Note 2) Valid COVID-19 vaccination certificate based on the above will be published on the format of the Annex, whenever the MOFA and the MHLW of Japan so confirm.

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