



EMBASSY OF GREECE  
IN POLAND

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## PRESS RELEASE

The Embassy of Greece in Poland, in response to a number of questions received, would like to inform that, upon guidance by the Greek Ministry of Tourism, communication has been sent to all entry points in Greece, that Polish vaccination certificates, as issued by CEZ (Centrum e-zdrowia), in English and Polish, in their current form, are fully accepted in Greece.

Therefore, all travelers, holders of such Polish certificates, who have been fully vaccinated, at least 14 days before entry in Greece (i.e. 14 calendar days counting from the day, following administration of the final dose), are exempted from a prior PCR test.

We would also like to point out that proof of a negative PCR test is also not required if the traveler has recovered from COVID in the past 9 months. This can be proved through a certificate of recovery (i.e. antibody SARS-CoV-2 test) issued by a public authority or a certified laboratory. Another option is a certificate of a positive PCR molecular test result (i.e. either test result per se or official certificate), confirming that the holder has recovered from the SARS-CoV-2 virus infection, performed at least 2 months - and no later than 9 months - before arrival. All certificates should be presented in English.

As of May 14th, in any other case, travelers arriving in Greece are required to have a negative PCR test, in English, taken within a timeframe no longer than 72 hours before the time of arrival in Greece, delivered by a certified testing laboratory. This test is mandatory for all tourists (including children over the age of 5), irrespective of the epidemiological situation in the country of departure.

We remind that, any traveler arriving in Greece, regardless of the certificate in their possession, may undergo a random health screening. If you are selected, please keep in mind that the screening is mandatory. In case of refusal, authorities reserve the right to refuse entry into the country. The selection is made through a targeted sampling system "EVA" also used in the summer of 2020.

All travelers must fill in a Passenger Locator Form (PLF), available on <https://travel.gov.gr>, no later than 23:59 hrs (Athens time) on the day before arrival in Greece.