



6TH MAY, 2021

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The holder of this letter is a Japanese national who wishes to go back on an upcoming flight. Based on the Quarantine Act of the Japanese Government, he/she is required to get RT-PCR tested **within 72 hours prior to the departure time** of the scheduled flight and present the COVID-19 Negative Certificate using the prescribed format at the time of his/her departure.

The Consulate General of Japan in Mumbai, therefore, requests all those whom it may concern to extend every possible assistance to the holder of this letter so that he/she can make the booking of RT-PCR test on the desired date and the Negative Certificate will be issued at the earliest possible timing.

The Negative Certificate should be issued using the prescribed format as attached (Attachment 1-1 and 1-2). If the certificate is issued in another format, all the necessary elements mentioned in Attachment 2-1 and 2-2 should be included in the certificate.

Your assistance in this regard is essential for the safe return of the holder of this letter to Japan. We wish to extend maximum appreciation for your kind understanding and cooperation.



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COVID-19 に関する検査証明
Certificate of Testing for COVID-19

交付年月日
Date of issue _____

氏 名 _____ パスポート番号 _____
Name _____, Passport No. _____,
国籍 _____ 生年月日 _____ 性別 _____
Nationality _____, Date of Birth _____, Sex _____

上記の者の COVID-19 に関する検査を行った結果、その結果は下記のとおりである。
よって、この証明を交付する。
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for COVID-19 conducted with the sample taken from the above-mentioned person.

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* 抗原定性検査ではない。
Not a qualitative antigen test.

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住所 Address of the institution _____
医師名 Signature by doctor _____

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1. Inspection certificates are valid only if they meet the following conditions

- Within 72 hours from the date of sample collection to the departure time of the flight.

- In principle, use the prescribed format.

For more information, please refer to the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare website.

The prescribed format can be downloaded from here. →



- Conditions to be included in the inspection certificate.

- ① Name, Passport number, Nationality, Date of birth, Sex
- ② Testing method for COVID-19, Sample (Limited to 2 and 3 below)
- ③ Result, Specimen collection date and time, Test result date, Date of issue
- ④ Name of medical institution, Address of medical institution, Signature by doctor, An imprint of a seal
- ⑤ All items must be written in English.

2. The test method is valid only for one of the following

Nucleic Acid Amplification Test	Other
<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ real time RT-PCR real time reverse transcription PCR■ LAMP Loop-mediated Isothermal Amplification■ TMA Transcription Mediated Amplification■ TRC Transcription Reverse-transcription Concerted reaction■ Smart Amp Smart Amplification process■ NEAR Nicking Enzyme Amplification Reaction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Next Generation Sequence■ Quantitative Antigen Test※ (CLEIA) ※ Not a qualitative antigen test.

3. Sample collection method is valid only for one of the following

- Nasopharyngeal Swab
- Saliva



Requirements for Certificate of Testing for Entering Japan

※Only test certificates which show the results of the test using valid samples and testing methods below are valid.

Valid

Sample:

- Nasopharyngeal /Nasopharynx (Swab/smear)
- Saliva sample

※Recommended in Japan as a sample of asymptomatic people.

Invalid

- Nasal (swab/smear)
- Oral (swab/smear)
- Throat (swab/smear)
- Mid-Turbinate Nasal (swab/smear)
- Nose
- Gargle Water
- Mixture of sample "A" and "B"
"A" and "B" show all types of sample.

<example>

- Nasal and throat (swab/smear)
- Pharyngeal and nasal (swab/smear)
- Nasal and oropharyngeal (swab/smear)
- Nasopharyngeal and throat (swab/smear)

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Testing Method:

Nucleic acid amplification test

- PCR - Polymerase chain reaction
- RT-PCR - Reverse transcription PCR
- LAMP - Loop-mediated isothermal amplification
- TMA - Transcription mediated amplification
- TRC – Transcription-reverse transcription concerted reaction
- Smart Amp - Smart amplification process
- NEAR - Nicking endonuclease amplification reaction

Others

- Next generation sequencing
- Quantitative antigen test (CLEIA)

※Recommended in Japan as a testing method for asymptomatic people.

- Antigen test/test kit
- Rapid antigen test/test kit
- Antibody test/test kit

※Not recommended in Japan as a testing method for asymptomatic people.

Sample collection must be done Within 72 hours before the departure time of the flight.

※These requirements may be changed depending on infection status.