

GUIDELINES FOR ENTRY INTO ECUADOR ARE UPDATED FROM FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11

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(Quito, Pichincha). - National Authorities instructed the Ministry of Health to update the guidelines for entry into continental and insular Ecuador, which take effect from **Friday, February 11, 2022 at 00:01**, as follows:

Entry to mainland Ecuador

1. Any traveler **over 3 years of age** must present a mandatory **vaccination certificate with QR code or COVID-19 vaccination card valid with at least 14 days of validity after completing the scheme**, or the **negative result of a qualitative RT-PCR test in real time carried out up to 72 hours prior to boarding to Ecuador**. Passengers under 3 years of age will not present these requirements.
1. In addition, the preview provision is maintained, any person who enters mainland Ecuador by international air must present the Digital Traveler's Health Declaration when boarding the airline, which is available at the following link: <https://declaracionsalud-viajero.msp.gob.ec/>, if the platform is not available, you must present a physical form. It is worth mentioning that travelers who fill out the digital form are no longer required to submit the form at the point of entry to the Ministry of Health.

Entrance to Galapagos

2. All travelers entering Galapagos, **over 3 years of age**, must present a mandatory **vaccination certificate with QR code or COVID-19 vaccination card valid with at least 14 days of validity after completing the scheme**, or the **negative result of a qualitative RT-PCR test in real time carried out up to 72 hours prior to boarding to the Galapagos province**. Any passenger under 3 years of age will not present these requirements.
1. Additionally, for domestic or foreign tourists to Galapagos that wish to enter, **the transit control card**, issued by the Governing Council of the Galapagos Special Regime, must be presented.

Explanatory:

1. **The only type of test authorized** for entry into the country is the **qualitative real-time RT-PCR test**.
2. Any person who has been **diagnosed with COVID-19 and who after one month continues to obtain a positive result in the RT-PCR test**, must present a **medical certificate issued in the country of origin** that guarantees their state of health of not being in the contagion phase to enter Ecuador, provided that, have no symptoms.