

## FAQs on Submitting Negative COVID-19 PCR Test Certificate

### 1. Are negative PCR Certificates issued in any languages other than Korean or English accepted?

- In principle, certificates must be issued either in Korean or English.
- In the case the certificate is issued in a third language, a translated version in either Korean or English, with a notarial certificate for the translation will be accepted.
  - ※ For instance, translation certification issued by a notary organization in the country of departure.

### 2. What types of tests are accepted?

- Only Real-time Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction will be accepted.

### 3. When should I take the test?

- The test result certificate must be issued within 72 hours before your departure.
  - ※ For instance, when boarding an airplane departing on January 10th at 10:00 a.m., only certificates issued after January 7<sup>th</sup>, 00:00 a.m., are accepted.

### 4. What if I have a connecting flight? (Country A → Country B → arrival in Korea)

- If you transfer a flight from A to B without entering Country B, the certificate must be issued at Country A.
- If you transfer a flight from A to B and enter Country B before departing for Korea, the certificate must be issued in Country B.

**5. Are foreign passengers transiting in Korea without entry and heading to a third country required to submit a negative PCR test certificate? (Country A -> Korea -> Country B)?**

- Non-Korean passengers transiting in Korea without entry and heading to a third country are exempted from submitting a negative PCR test certificate.

**6. If I received my test result online, how should I submit it and will it be recognized when entering Korea?**

- A printed copy of the results must be submitted for the National Quarantine Service authorities to verify the negative PCR test result in detail.
- The test result should include your name (as stated in your passport), type of test, test result, and issuance date.

**7. What happens if I arrive in Korea without a negative PCR certificate?**

- Foreigners who fail to submit a certificate will be denied entry (same as all other countries)
- Koreans entering the country from the UK or South Africa will be quarantined in a temporary facility for two weeks. Individuals are responsible for the expenses of using the facility.(1,680,000won per person)

**8. Do I need to be tested at a designated institute?**

- Passengers from countries under reinforced quarantine measures by the Korean government(as of January 7<sup>th</sup>), must submit a negative PCR test result issued by the designated institution in the country. (Refer to local embassy/consulate website). These countries include the Philippines, Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, Bangladesh, and Nepal.
- Travelers from other countries can submit certificates issued by non-designated institutions.

# PCR ( 聚合酶链反应 ) 检测阴性证明相关常见问题

(韩国中央防疫对策本部提供)

## 1. 中文版的《PCR检测阴性证明》也能被认可吗？

- 根据原则 《PCR检测阴性证明》必须为韩文或英文。
- 但是，如果只能开具中文等当地语言的证明，申请者可将该文件翻译成韩文或者英文版本后必须与 \* 翻译证明材料一起提交。
  - \* 当地政府指定的翻译证明机构出具的证明等

## 2. 《PCR检测阴性证明》提交时哪些检测能被认可？

- 仅限于实时逆转录聚合链反应 ( Real-time Reverse Transcription Polymerase Chain Reaction)。

## 3. 需要提交何时出具的《PCR检测阴性证明》才被认可？

- 所有入境韩国的外国人必须提交以出发日期为基准，72小时内出具的《PCR检测阴性证明》。
  - \* (例如) 2021年1月10日上午10点当地出发的人员，必须提交2021年1月7日零点以后出具的证明。

## 4. 从A国出发，在B国转机，最终到达韩国的人员，需要提交在A国出具的证明还是在B国出具的证明？

- 从A国出发，到达B国后不入境，直接转机的人员可提交在A国出具的证明。
- 出发A国以后入境B国，从B国再出发的人员可提交在B国出具的证明。

## 5. 抵达韩国后不进入韩国境内，在机场直接转机的人也需要提交《PCR检测阴性证明》吗？

- 不进入韩国境内的外国人不必提交《PCR检测阴性证明》。

## 6. 如果开具的是电子版证明，韩国入境时如何提交？

- 需要提交打印版的纸质文件。（文件内必须包括检测结果）
- 《PCR检测阴性证明》需包括姓名（护照上的英文姓名），检测名称，检测结果，出具日期等。

## 7. 如果韩国入境时不携带《PCR检测阴性证明》会产生何种后果？

- 外国人：被拒绝进入韩国境内（该规定适用于全世界所有国家）
- 由英国或者南非入境的韩国人：将在临时隔离室隔离2周。  
隔离费用（1,680,000KRW/人）需个人自理。

## 8. 只有在韩国政府指定的PCR检测机构出具的《PCR检测阴性证明》才能被认可吗？

- 2021年1月7日为基准菲律宾，乌兹别克斯坦，吉尔吉斯斯坦，孟加拉，尼泊尔等加强防疫措施的国家的人员，只被允许在韩国政府指定的PCR检测机构出具的《PCR检测阴性证明》。  
(具体内容请参考韩国大使馆，领事馆等官网发布的消息)
- 除上述的国家以外，不指定PCR检测机构。