

Press Release

Rapid Antigen Testing Units – 26 March 2022

Based on the decisions of the Council of Ministers, and aiming at the suppression of the dispersion of the virus SARS-CoV-2, in places where SafePass is required, individuals aged 6 and above must hold one of the following:

- 1. Certificate of full vaccination.
- 2. Proof that they have been infected with COVID-19 during the last three months.
- 3. Certificate of a negative rapid antigen test, valid for 7 days, for individuals aged 6-11 years old.
- 4. Certificate of a negative PCR or rapid antigen test, valid for 72 hours, for individuals aged 12-17 years old.
- 5. Certificate of a negative PCR test, valid for 72 hours, or rapid antigen test, valid for 48 hours, for individuals aged 18 and over, and at least one dose of the vaccine where required by Decree.
- 6. Certificate of a negative rapid antigen test, valid for 24 hours, for individuals aged **12 and over**, where required by Decree.

According to the Ministerial Decision, only the following groups of citizens may be served through the mobile rapid antigen testing units:

- Minors up to 17 years old. It is understood that children aged 12-17 who do not have the consent of their parents/legal guardians for vaccination may carry out a rapid test free of charge through the programme of the Ministry of Health.
- Persons aged 18 years or over who cannot be vaccinated, provided they
 possess a medical certificate, and after their request has been examined by
 the Cyprus Medical Association and the Ministry of Health and has been
 approved. The approval must be presented to the testing unit. Pregnant women



fall in this category, provided they possess a relevant approval from the ad hoc committee of the Cyprus Medical Association.

- Persons who have been vaccinated with the 1st dose of the vaccine, only for the period required between the 1st and 2nd dose of the vaccine. For verification purposes the Vaccination Card must be presented.
- Persons who have completed their vaccination scheme and the period of
 7 months has elapsed without receiving the booster dose, until further notice. For verification purposes the Vaccination Card must be presented.
- **Persons who received the booster dose** of the vaccine, but wish to take tests for health monitoring purposes or for other reasons. It is understood that the Vaccination Card must be presented.
- Persons holding a COVID-19 **recovery certificate** within the last 90 days but wish to take tests for health monitoring purposes or for other reasons. It is understood that the recovery certificate must be presented.

In addition to the above verification certificates, it is reminded that **all citizens must carry proof of identity** (e.g. Identity Card, Driver's Licence, Passport, etc.), for identification purposes.

On **Saturday**, **26 March 2022**, the testing units under the control programme of the Ministry of Health, will be operating, only for the abovementioned groups of citizens, in the following areas:

District	Location of testing units	Operating hours	Telephone
Lefkosia (24 units)	Mall of Cyprus (underground parking area)	9 am - 6 pm	94056785
	Nicosia Mall	9 am - 6 pm	96625766
	Agios Dometios Municipality (event hall)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Agios Georgios Church, Latsia	9 am - 6 pm	96812424
	Dali Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	94041843

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Anthoupoli Old Community Clinic (next to the Community Council)	9 am - 6 pm	96812424
Agios Charalampos Church hall, Geri (aftostegasi)	9 am - 6 pm	96625766
Agios Demetrios Church, Akropolis	9 am - 6 pm	99969931
Agios Andreas Church, Aglantzia	9 am - 6 pm	96659317
Agios Spyridonas Church, Lefkosia (behind the Police Station of Lykavitos)	9 am - 6 pm	99365616
Agiou Polydorou Church, courtyard, Kaimakli	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
Lakatamia Amphitheatre courtyard, behind Municipal Gallery	9 am - 6 pm	99965920
Pyrgos Tillirias Community Council	1:30 pm - 5 pm	77774400
European University Cyprus (East Wing, Ground Floor)	9 am - 6 pm	99146623
Lefkotheo Stadium (entrance)	9 am - 6 pm	99742888
Psimolofou Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
Palaiometocho Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
Neo Plaza Retail and Fun Park, Kokkinotrimithia	9 am - 6 pm	99154344
Astromeritis Community Council	9 am - 5 pm	70000166
Youth Multifunctional Centre, Evrychou (former Cooperative Bank)	9 am - 5 pm	99969931
Community Council Events Hall, Pera Chorio Nisou	9 am - 6 pm	96625766
Agia Varvara Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	96678224
Klirou Community Council	9 am - 1 pm	96659317
Arediou Community Council	2 pm - 6 pm	96659317

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	Former "Orphanides" Shopping Mall, Polemidia	9 am - 6 pm	99790687
	Pano Polemidia Cultural Events Hall	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	My Mall Limassol (Entrance D, next to "Public" store)	9 am - 6 pm	99154344
	Conference Centre of Kolossi		
	(close to Apostolos Loukas Church)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Atlantica Garden Hotel, Germasogeia (Attikis 6)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Germasogeia municipal parking area, (former 'Skaros' Tavern)	9 am - 5 pm	99742888
	IC' (Agios Spyridonas) Primary School, 18 Miltonos Street	9 am - 6 pm	99365616
Lemesos	Tricherousa 26th Primary School	9 am - 6 pm	99969931
(17 units)	Agios Athanasios Municipality		
(17 units)	building, underground parking	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	area		
	Palodeia Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Multifunctional Centre of Pyrgos, Lemesos	9 am - 6 pm	96659317
	Trachoni Community Council	9 am - 1 pm	99942219
	Pelendri Community Council	9 am - 12 n.	99790687
	Sports Centre "Glafkos Clerides", Agros	1 pm - 5 pm	99790687
	Former Cooperative Bank of Pachna Hall	10 am - 3 pm	77774400
	Trimiklini Community Council (old Primary School)	10 am - 3 pm	99790687
	Cyprus University of Technology (TEPAK), 'Tassos Papadopoulos' building	9 am - 6 pm	94041843

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	Metropolis Mall (entrance 5,	0.000 6.000	04044942
	underground parking area)	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Multifunctional social centre of		
	Larnaka (former Community	9 am - 6 pm	96678224
	Centre)		
	Makariou Housing Community		
	Council, Kamares area, Larnaka	9 am - 6 pm	99146623
Larnaka	(5 Agios Vasileios Street)		
(10 units)	Former Cooperative Bank of	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
(To units)	Aradippou (parking area)		
	Livadia Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Dromolaxia – Meneou Municipal	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Amphitheatre		
	Xylotymvou Old Market Building	9 am - 6 pm	70000166
	Mosfiloti Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	96678224
	Xylofagou Cutlural Hall (next to	9 am - 6 pm	99965920
	the roundabout)	o ann o phù	
	Zygi Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	Kings Avenue Mall, Pafos (main	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
	entrance)	o ann o phù	
	Hadjimitsi Residence (behind	9 am - 6 pm	94057623
	Geroskipou Municipal Hall)		
	Former District Officer Residence	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
Pafos	Timi Community Clinic	9 am - 6 pm	77774400
(8 units)	"Vrisi ton Pegiotisson" Square,	9 am - 6 pm	99177224
	Pegeia		
	Multifunctional hall of Empa	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	Community Council		
	Tsada Community Council Square	9 am - 1 pm	99177224
	Giolou Community Clinic	2 pm - 5 pm	99177224
	Paralimni Municipal building	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
Ammochostos	(covered parking area)		
(6 units)	Sotira Social Support Centre	9 am - 6 pm	94041843
	(opposite Municipality)	-	



Frenaros Community Council	9 am - 6 pm	99154344
Agia Napa Church, Agia Napa	9 am - 5 pm	96659317
Vrysoulles - Acheritou Community Clinic	9 am - 1 pm	96659317
Achna Forest Community Clinic	2 pm - 6 pm	96659317

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