COVID-19: rules for travel to France and the UK

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LATEST:

1/ From Sunday 18 July (00.00 a.m.), if you have not been vaccinated you must present a negative PCR or antigen test less than 24 hours old to travel to French territory from the UK.

2/ If you have been fully vaccinated you will therefore no longer have to present a test in order to enter French territory. The period of time you must wait following the final dose has been reduced to seven days (double dose, ==or previous infection + one dose==) and 28 days (single dose).

3/ France recognizes the AZ-Covishield vaccine, so it is possible to travel to France with this type of vaccine if you have been fully vaccinated.

4/ The age at which a test is required (accompanied or unaccompanied minors with one vaccinated parent) is going up from 11 to 12 years old.

5/ French nationals abroad (including in the UK) will continue to benefit from free PCR and antigen tests carried out in France.

From 9 June onwards, tourist traffic between France and foreign countries will be reopened under procedures which vary depending on the health situation in the other country and the vaccination status of travellers.

People are still strongly advised to keep international travel to a minimum. Anyone wishing to travel to France from the UK is also responsible for checking that they are permitted to do so under UK regulations.

People vaccinated in the UK must present a digital or paper certificate from the NHS showing their full vaccine status.

You can now scan your NHS QR code (the most recent one possible) in the TousAntiCovid app.

The NHS QR code is not yet recognized by the TousAntiCovid Verif (TAC Verif) app, which checks the validity of QR codes. **You must therefore present an NHS proof of vaccination.**