

SOUTH KOREA – COVID19 QUARANTINE REGULATIONS

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✓ **Summary of COVID19 Quarantine Regulations**

COVID19 test is mandatory for all inbound passengers arrived in South Korea and the test fee is free.

Case	Where to get Covid19 test	Allowed to stay at the government quarantine facility	2 weeks of self-isolation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Inbound passengers coming with a valid Isolation Exemption Certificate 	At the airport upon arrival.	No.	Not required if they are confirmed to be Covid19 negative after the test conducted at the airport.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Short-term visa holders Visa-free travelers Long-term visa holders coming to apply for ARC and does not have confirmed residence in South Korea yet 	At the airport upon arrival & at the government quarantine facility before their quarantine period ends. within 3 days upon arrival.	Yes.	Mandatory to stay at the assigned government quarantine facility for the first 2 weeks upon arrival.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Korean citizens coming from US/Europe ARC holders coming from US/Europe Long-term visa holders coming from US/Europe and have confirmed residence in South Korea 	At the district public health center based on their registered/booked residential address. Test must be done within 3 days upon arrival.	No.	Mandatory to stay at their registered/booked residence for the first 2 weeks upon arrival.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> South Korean citizens coming from other countries ARC holders coming from other countries Long-term visa holders coming from other countries and have confirmed residence in South Korea 	At the district public health center based on their registered/booked residential address. Test must be done within 14 days 3 days upon arrival.	No.	Mandatory to stay at their registered/booked residence for the first 2 weeks upon arrival.



All inbound passengers are required to install the "home quarantine safety protection" app on their mobile phones upon arrival. **Those who refuse to install this app will be immediately deported.** This app will be used to conduct self-diagnosis for the first 2 weeks in South Korea. More information will be given by airport quarantine officers upon arrival.

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✓ Public transportation for leaving the airport

Inbound passengers can use designated taxis, buses, trains. Drivers for designated transportations will wear protective clothing like the below sample photos. All passengers MUST wear facial masks while they are taking transportations. Drivers can ban passenger boarding if passengers do not wear facial masks properly.



✓ NOT allowed to leave the quarantine facility for the first 2 weeks

All inbound passengers who are subject to 2 weeks of self-isolation are NOT allowed to leave their quarantine location for 2 weeks. If they need to leave their home for essential needs (e.g. getting medical care), they must need to notify their local public health center first by a phone call. **Those who leave their quarantine location without notifying their public health center will be considered as quarantine rule violators and will be subject to penalties.** As for the penalties, ALL the below-listed measures will be considered by the government:

Mandatory to wear an electronic wristband for the rest of their quarantine period / a maximum of 3-years imprisonment / a fine of up to 20 million Won / Visa & ARC cancellation / Deportation / Entry ban

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