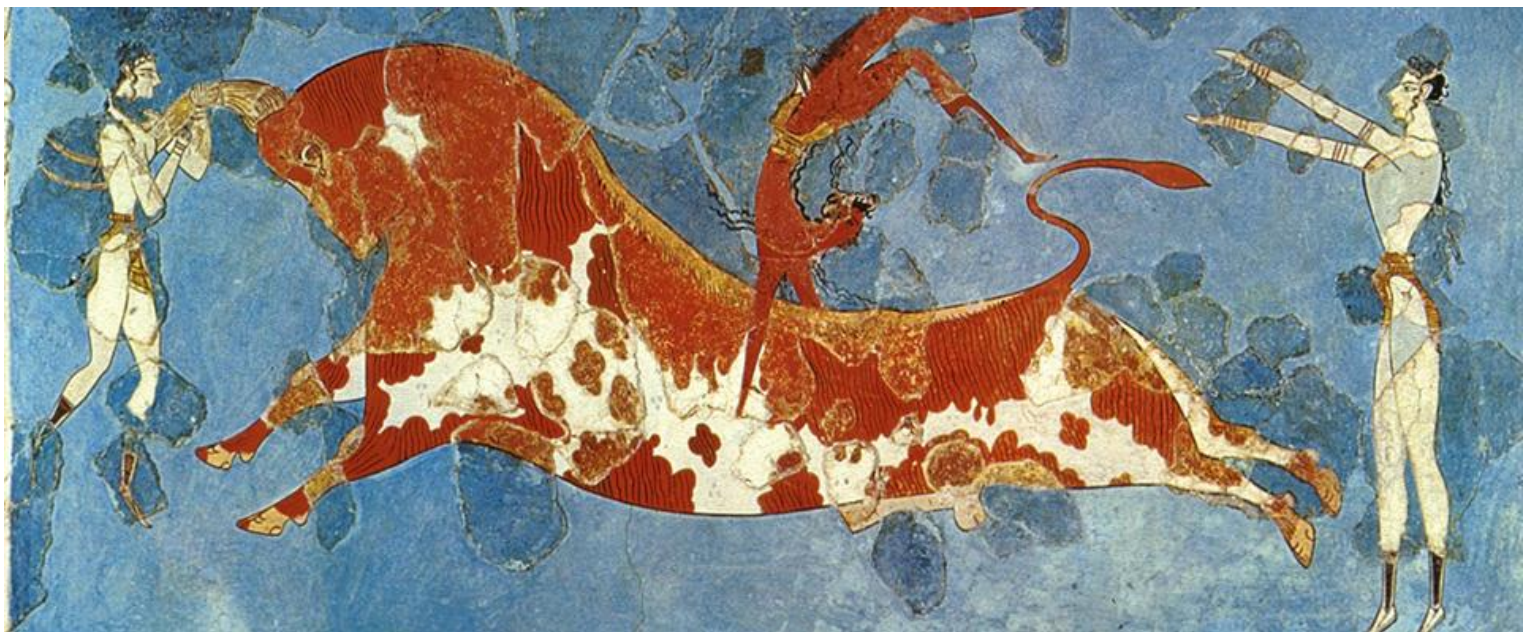


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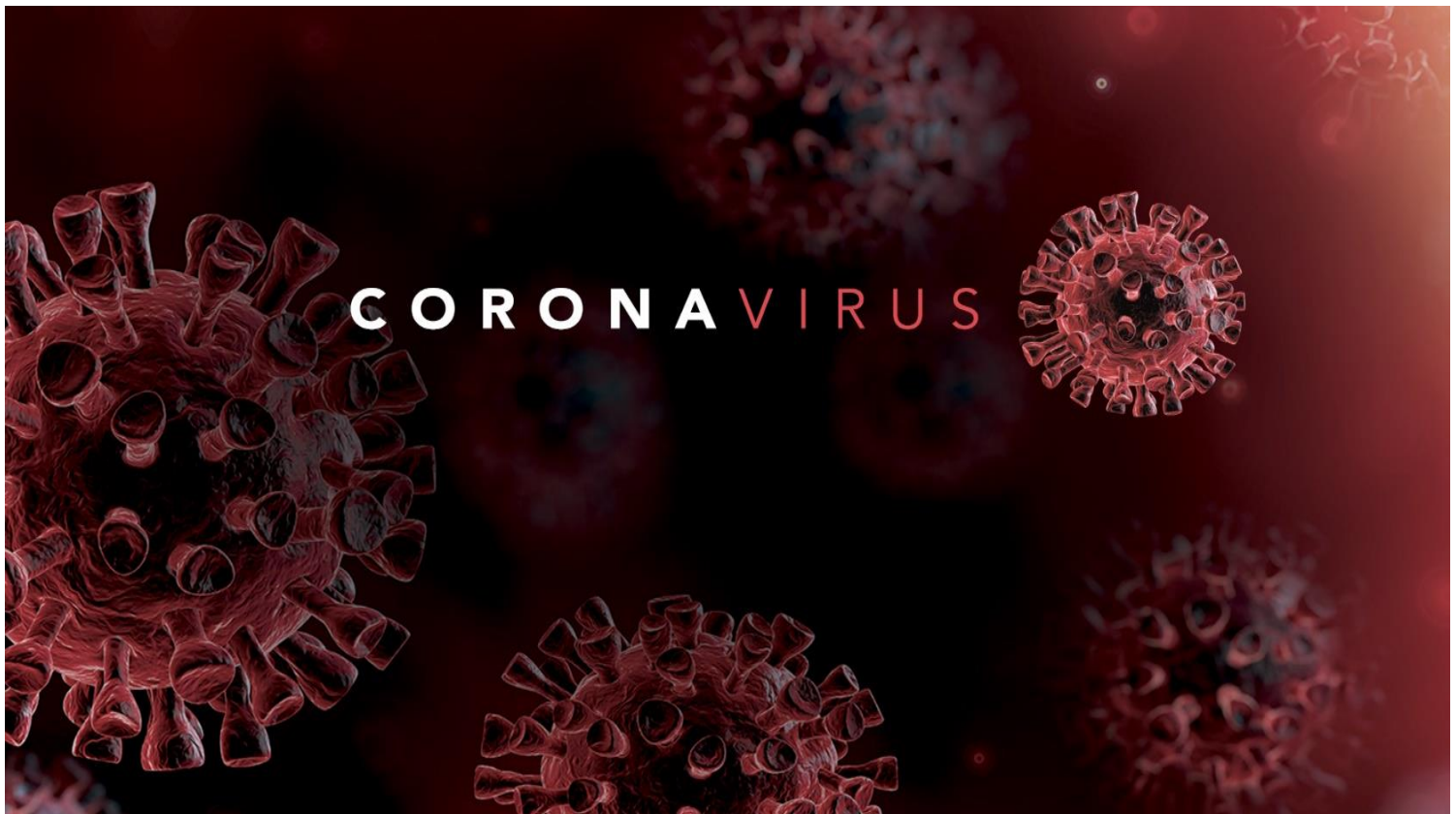
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GENERAL INFO

Greece is opening its borders gradually, in a safe and doable manner. The first stage, from the 19th of April, has some limitations compared to the generalized opening. In the following paragraphs, we describe what applies as of the 19th of April. Information relating to the generalized opening, which will be affected as of the 14th of May, will be announced in due time.

For the protection of your own health, your family's, as well as that of all those involved in offering you a safe hospitality, the following general principles regarding the health protocols apply in Greece as of the 19th of April:

- Every traveler coming to Greece from abroad should have **a negative PCR** test from a diagnostic laboratory. The test has to be conducted **no later than 72 hours before arrival**. This test is mandatory for all travellers (including children over the age of 5), regardless of the epidemiological situation prevalent in the country of departure.
- Passengers are allowed to enter the country through 9 airports (Athens, Thessaloniki, Heraklion, Corfu, Rhodes, Kos, Chania, Mykonos, Santorini).

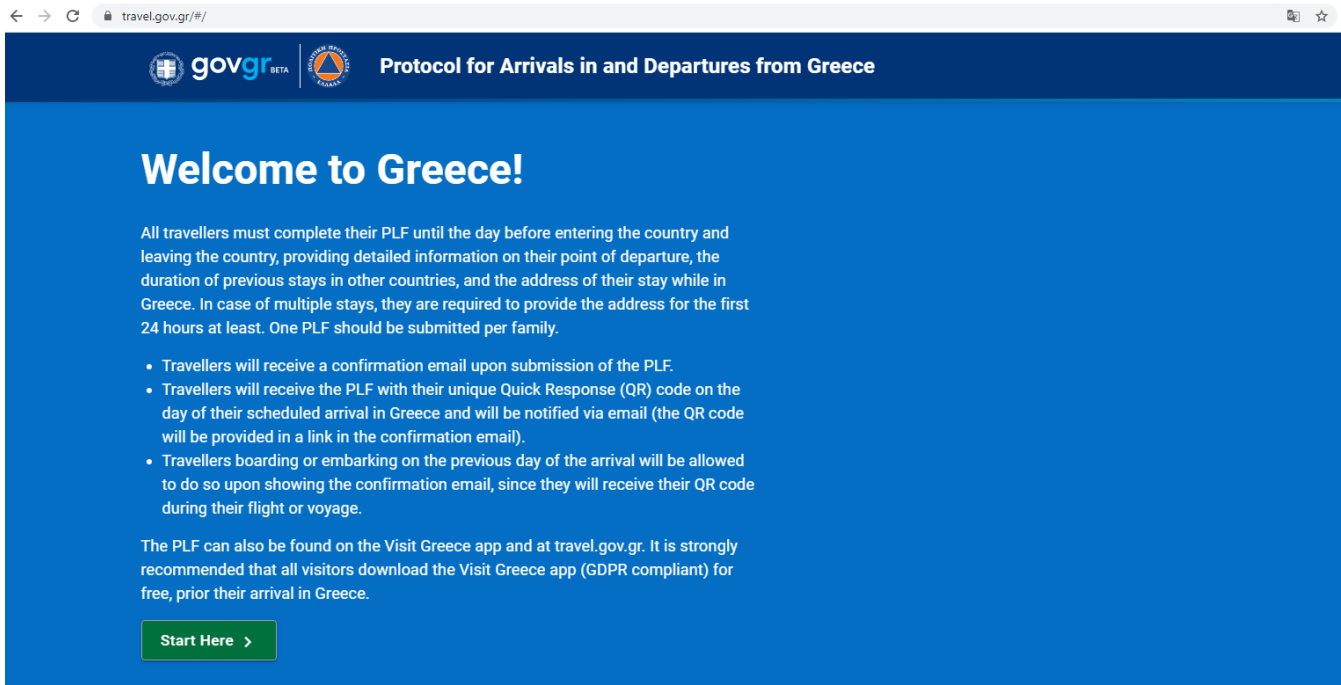
INFO REGARDING VACCINATION CERTS:

- If the traveler has completed his/her vaccination (i.e. 14 days have elapsed since the last vaccination, depending on the doses required) and is in a position to confirm it by presenting the **relevant vaccination certificate, then proof of a negative test is not required**.
- Vaccination certificates with vaccines Sputnik, Sinovac, etc., which have not been approved by the European Medicines Agency (EMA) also exempt visitors from the obligation of a negative PCR test. For the list of acceptable vaccines, : Pfizer BioNtech, Moderna, Astra Zeneca/Oxford, Novavax, Johnson + Johnson/Janssen, Sinovac Biotech, Gamaleya (Sputnik), Cansino Biologics, Sinopharm
- Attention: We clarify that **the entry of travelers in Greece is not subject to vaccination**. The presentation of a vaccination certificate greatly facilitates the formalities on arrival. However, in no case is a vaccination or an antibodies certificate considered a "passport".
- Every traveler who arrives in Greece, regardless of the certificate he carries, may undergo a random health check. If selected, the check is mandatory. Otherwise we reserve the right to refuse entry in the country. The selection is made through a targeted sampling system, based on the EVA system used in the summer of 2020.

For any further info: <https://travel.gov.gr/#/>

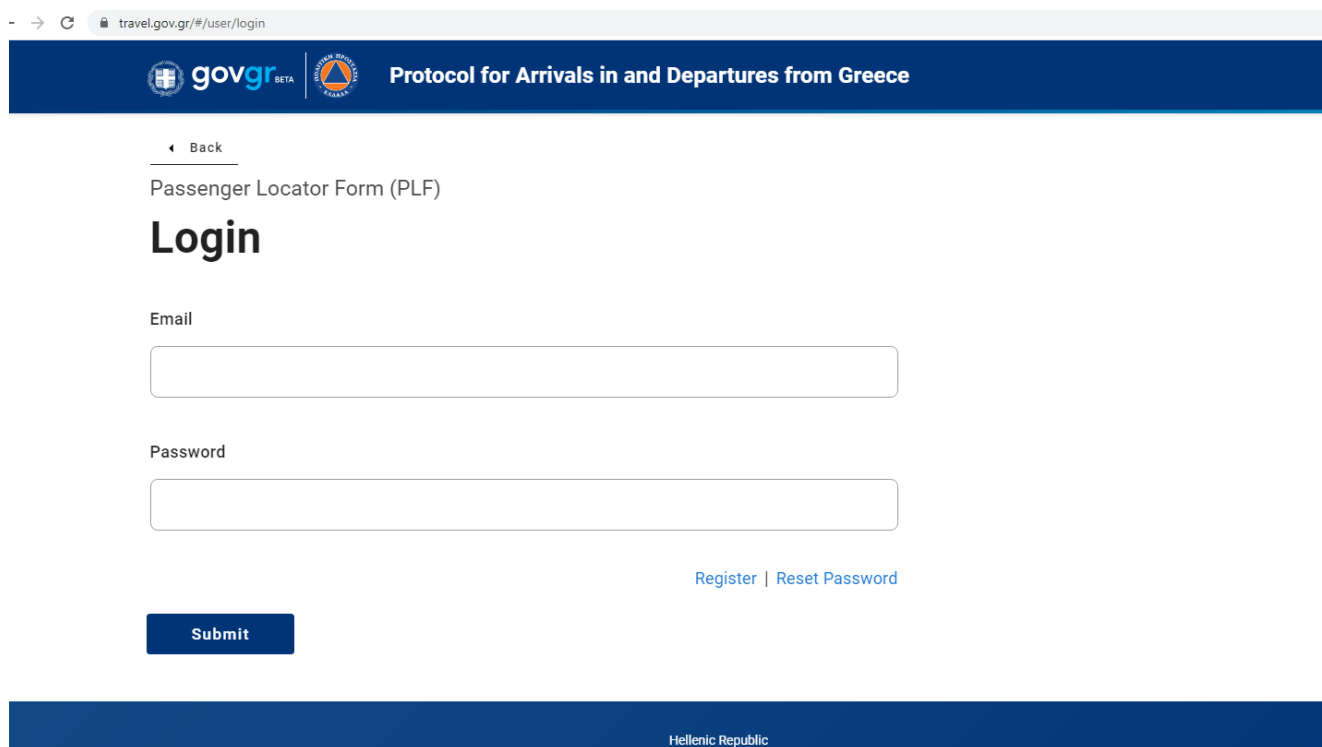
OBLIGATIONS FOR EVERY VISITOR IN GREECE

Before arrival: Every traveler must *fill in the special PLF* (Passenger Location Form) no later than 23:59 of the day before arriving in Greece. Find it here: <https://travel.gov.gr/#/user/login>



The screenshot shows the homepage of the travel.gov.gr website. The header includes the govgr logo, the EDTC 2021 logo, and the text "Protocol for Arrivals in and Departures from Greece". The main heading is "Welcome to Greece!". Below this, there is a paragraph explaining the PLF requirement: "All travellers must complete their PLF until the day before entering the country and leaving the country, providing detailed information on their point of departure, the duration of previous stays in other countries, and the address of their stay while in Greece. In case of multiple stays, they are required to provide the address for the first 24 hours at least. One PLF should be submitted per family." This is followed by a bulleted list of three points: 1. Travellers will receive a confirmation email upon submission of the PLF. 2. Travellers will receive the PLF with their unique Quick Response (QR) code on the day of their scheduled arrival in Greece and will be notified via email (the QR code will be provided in a link in the confirmation email). 3. Travellers boarding or embarking on the previous day of the arrival will be allowed to do so upon showing the confirmation email, since they will receive their QR code during their flight or voyage. Below the list, it states: "The PLF can also be found on the Visit Greece app and at travel.gov.gr. It is strongly recommended that all visitors download the Visit Greece app (GDPR compliant) for free, prior their arrival in Greece." At the bottom of the main content area, there is a green button labeled "Start Here >".

Click: Start Here and then you ll see:



The screenshot shows the login page of the travel.gov.gr website. The header is identical to the previous screenshot. Below the header, there is a "Back" link. The main heading is "Passenger Locator Form (PLF) Login". There are two input fields: "Email" and "Password". Below the password field, there are links for "Register" and "Reset Password". At the bottom of the form area, there is a blue "Submit" button. The footer of the page contains the text "Hellenic Republic".

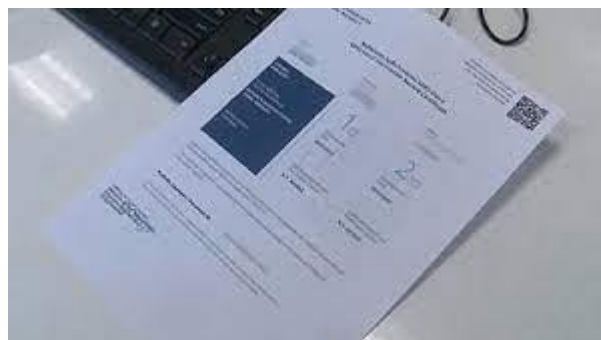
Fill in and then Submit it.

BEFORE DEPARTURE:

The traveler must ensure that he/she has some kind of certification of his health condition. The alternatives for that are as follows:

- PCR test from a laboratory, maximum 72 hours before entry.
- Vaccination certificate issued by an appropriate authority.

All certificates must include the critical information in English and the full name must match with that of the passport or other travel document.



ON ARRIVAL IN GREECE /

UPON ARRIVAL AT HERAKLION AIRPORT

- Sampling RAPID antigen tests at the entrance gates, the selection of individuals drawn from a targeted sampling system, based on the EVA system used in the summer of 2020.
- Mandatory isolation for travelers who have tested positive for SARS-Cov-2, following a sampling test. In this case, the travelers and their escorts are transported to quarantine hotels and undergo further PCR tests to confirm the initial diagnosis. Guests will stay in seclusion hotels for at least 10 days, and they will undergo new tests again. The expenses of the accommodation in quarantine hotels are covered by the Greek state.



UPON ARRIVAL AT LYTTOS HOTEL

1. The OC has already appointed a doctor for the entire duration of the championship where he is taking samples of Rapid Tests.
2. The hotel has a Covid Manager
3. In case of suspicious or positive test, the person is isolated in his room with room service.
4. Transfer from the EODY (National Public Health Organization) ladder to a quarantine hotel in Hersonissos where he stays for 7 days. All expenses are covered by the Greek State.
5. In case of a need transport to a hospital, the OC already contacted for its immediate transfer through an EODY ladder. In this case the costs are covered by the athlete state, since in order to travel the EU states give a security certificate looks like travel card that covers the patient.



PLEASE DO NOT FORGET

- ❖ Always Wear a mask. Exceptions: during competition
- ❖ Always Keep a 1.5 m distance, except for athletes during their contests.
- ❖ Take temperature measurement upon your arrival at accommodation & court premises, and of course during championships.



Especially important:

- ❖ After doing PCR Test, stay isolated and avoid social contacts as much as possible until your departure.
- ❖ A person having any kind of symptoms should not even start the journey to Crete (even with negative PCR test)!



FURTHER INFO BEFORE THE TRIP YOU CAN FIND:

Be kind to informed about the current restrictions on travel to the country/region of destination

IATA Travel Center <https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/world.php>

Re-open EU <https://reopen.europa.eu/el>

CDC COVID-19 Travel Recommendations by Destination <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/map-and-travel-notice.html> and also on the websites of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Health or the Embassies and Consulates of the destination countries.

Postpone your trip if you have a fever or respiratory symptoms such as difficulty breathing, coughing, etc.

<https://eody.gov.gr/en/novel-coronavirus-covid-19-advice-for-travellers/>

For any further info and updates at Greece Statement Covid Protocol we will inform you via <https://hafdeaf.gr/covid-protocols/>

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