

12 July 2021

Details of Compulsory Testing Notice

A. Persons who have as their usual place of work at the Hong Kong International Airport

1. Any person (including but not limited to full-time, part-time and relief staff) who, during the period from July 18 to July 24, 2021, has as his/her place of work at Terminal 1, Apron or Midfield Concourse of the Hong Kong International Airport, Chek Lap Kok, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong, has to undergo testing by July 17, 2021. If persons subject to compulsory testing have previously undergone testing between July 10 and July 12, 2021, they would be taken to have complied with the requirements set out in the compulsory testing notice.

B. Others

(Persons who have completed a COVID-19 vaccination course¹ would be taken to have complied with the requirements set out in the compulsory testing notices)

1. Any person who had been present at First Assembly of God Church Tin Chak Nursery, G/F, Wing B & C, Chak Sun House, Tin Chak Estate, Tin Shui Wai, New Territories, Hong Kong for more than two hours at any time during the period from June 29 to July 12, 2021 (including but not limited to full-time, part-time and relief staff, students and visitors), has to undergo testing by July 14, 2021. If persons subject to compulsory testing choose to undergo testing using the specimen bottles distributed by the Centre for Health Protection, they have to return the specimen bottles with the sample by July 16, 2021. If persons subject to compulsory testing have previously undergone testing between July 10 and July 12, 2021, they would be taken to have complied with the requirements set out in the compulsory testing notice.

¹ For both the Sinovac COVID-19 vaccine (CoronaVac vaccine) and Fosun Pharma/BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine (Comirnaty vaccine), completion of the vaccination course in general means having received two doses of COVID-19 vaccine at least 14 days ago, i.e. having received the second dose of COVID-19 vaccine on or before June 30, 2021. For persons previously infected with COVID-19, they may be deemed to have completed the COVID-19 vaccination course after receiving one dose of Comirnaty vaccine or one dose of CoronaVac vaccine at least 14 days ago, i.e. having received one dose of COVID-19 vaccine on or before June 30, 2021. For persons who received COVID-19 vaccines in places outside of Hong Kong and have received the recommended dose(s) as stipulated in relevant guidelines at least 14 days ago, i.e. having received all of the recommended dose(s) of COVID-19 vaccine on or before June 30, 2021, they will also be regarded to have completed the vaccination course of the relevant COVID-19 vaccine, subject to the vaccine used being included on the list of vaccines recognised for this purpose as published on the Government's COVID-19 thematic website (www.coronavirus.gov.hk/pdf/list_of_recognised_covid19_vaccines.pdf).