

Vaccination Requirements to Enter the U.S. Frequently Asked Questions

As of January 22nd, 2022,
all visa farmworkers are required to be fully vaccinated
against COVID-19 to enter the United States

1. Which COVID-19 vaccines are accepted in the U.S. and how many doses do I need to enter the U.S.?

1 dose → • Johnson & Johnson (Janssen)

- Moderna (Spikevax)
- Pfizer

→ • Oxford/AstraZeneca

- Sinovac

2 doses → • Covishield

- Covaxin

→ • Sinopharm

- Covovax

- Novavax

Get all recommended doses of a COVID-19 vaccine at least **14 days** before you travel to the United States.

2. Which COVID-19 vaccines are currently NOT accepted in the U.S.?

Any other vaccine not listed above.
For example:

- Sputnik
- CanSino
- Abdala



3. I received a vaccine that is not accepted for entry to the U.S., Is it safe to get a second series of accepted COVID-19 vaccines?

Yes, you can get a second series at least **28 days** after receiving the last dose of a vaccine not accepted in the U.S.

4. I have received one dose each of two different COVID-19 vaccines accepted in the U.S. Will I be allowed to enter the U.S.?

Yes, you can enter the U.S. with any combination of accepted COVID-19 vaccines. For example:

<u>1 dose</u>		<u>1 dose</u>	
• AstraZeneca	+	Pfizer	→ Accepted
• Sinovac	+	Moderna	→ Accepted
• Covishield	+	Moderna	→ Accepted

5. Will I be allowed to enter the U.S. if I have received the first dose of a COVID-19 vaccine that is not accepted in the U.S. and a second that is accepted in the U.S.?

No. Each dose you receive must be accepted in the U.S. to enter the country. For example:

<u>1 dose</u>		<u>1 dose</u>	
• Sputnik	+	Pfizer	→ Not Accepted
• CanSino	+	Moderna	→ Not Accepted
• CanSino	+	AstraZeneca	→ Not Accepted

6. What vaccination documents do I need to show to U.S. border agents?

Only one of the following:

- Your vaccine card from Mexico, U.S. or country of residence.
- A digital photo of your vaccine card or vaccination certificate.
- Or a QR code in your smartphone that links to a valid vaccination record.

Your vaccination document must have:

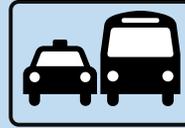
1. Your full name.
2. Date of birth or passport number as shown in your passport or other travel documents.
3. Name of government agency or vaccine provider.
4. Vaccine brand and vaccination date(s).

Note that:

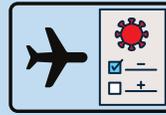
- A medical record or letter from your doctor is not accepted as a vaccination document.
- If you lost your COVID-19 vaccine card received in the U.S., call the number below for assistance.



7. Do I need to take a COVID-19 test to enter the U.S.?



If you travel by land, you do not need a COVID-19 test.



If you travel by air, you need a negative COVID-19 test result before you leave for the U.S.

If you plan to travel by air, make sure to check the airline requirements before your departure.

8. Can I enter the U.S. if I have only one vaccine dose and present a negative COVID-19 test result?

- No. COVID-19 tests are not required for entry to the U.S. when crossing by car, bus, or on foot.
- If your COVID-19 vaccine requires a second dose, you need to receive it and wait at least **14 days** before you travel to the U.S.

9. Do I need to receive an additional dose or “Booster” after having completed the primary doses to enter the U.S.?

- No. Boosters are not required to enter the U.S., but they are recommended to increase protection.
- Talk to your employer or call the number below to receive your booster shot after you arrive in the U.S.

Make sure you meet all the requirements before you travel to the U.S.

Are you a farmworker in the U.S. and have questions about the COVID-19 vaccine requirements? Phone the Call for Health line toll-free at: 1 800 377 9968 or WhatsApp to +1 737 414 5121 

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or call 1 800 232 0233