

RESTRICTIONS ON ENTRY AND HEALTH MEASURES IN FINLAND 1 October–22 November 2020

TRAVELLER	COUNTRY		
	LOW-INCIDENCE COUNTRIES No restrictions on entry	HIGH-INCIDENCE COUNTRIES Restrictions on entry	
Situation on 28 September, updated weekly	<p>EU or Schengen countries: Cyprus, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Poland, San Marino, the Vatican</p> <p>Other countries: Australia, Japan, New Zealand, Rwanda, South Korea, Thailand, Uruguay</p>	<p>EU or Schengen countries: Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland. The United Kingdom.</p>	<p>All other countries, such as Canada, China, Georgia, Russia, Tunisia, the USA etc.</p>
	<p>A foreign national arrives in Finland</p> <p>Recreational travel also permitted No tests or quarantine required</p>	<p>Work-related travel or other essential reasons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A voluntary COVID-19 test in the country of origin within 72 hours before travelling. In Finland, self-isolation until receiving a negative result from the 2nd test. The 2nd test may be taken after 72 hours at the earliest from taking the first test. OR self-isolation for 14 days <p>If the tour lasts less than 72 h, no quarantine or second test is required</p>	<p>Other essential reasons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A voluntary COVID-19 test in the country of origin within 72 hours before travelling. In Finland, self-isolation until receiving a negative result from the 2nd test. The 2nd test may be taken after 72 hours at the earliest from taking the first test. OR self-isolation for 14 days <p>If the tour lasts less than 72 h, no quarantine or second test is required</p>
<p>Special groups, such as representatives of culture, sports and business life, may be approved for entry and stay for justifiable reasons</p>		<p>Commission-related commuting or work-related travel allowed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A voluntary COVID-19 test in the country of origin within 72 hours before travelling. In Finland, self-isolation until receiving a negative result from the 2nd test. The 2nd test may be taken after 72 hours at the earliest from taking the first test. OR self-isolation for 14 days <p>If the tour lasts less than 72 h, no quarantine or second test is required</p>	<p>Work-related travel or other essential reasons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The inviting party/employer prepares a proposal for the Border Guard, the responsible ministry and the health authorities assess it. Health security measures are agreed on a case-by-case basis
<p>Tasks critical for the security of supply</p>		<p>Commission-related commuting or work-related travel allowed</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health security measures are agreed on a case-by-case basis 	<p>Business trips allowed with a justification form filled in by the employer</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health security measures are agreed on a case-by-case basis
<p>A Finnish citizen or resident of Finland returns to the country</p>	<p>Always right to return to Finland No tests or quarantine required</p>	<p>Always right to return to Finland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No prior testing required A voluntary COVID-19 test immediately after entry into the country. In Finland, self-isolation until receiving a negative result from the 2nd test. The 2nd test may be taken after 72 hours at the earliest from taking the first test. OR self-isolation for 14 days 	<p>Always right to return to Finland</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No prior testing required A voluntary COVID-19 test immediately after entry into the country. In Finland, self-isolation until receiving a negative result from the 2nd test. The 2nd test may be taken after 72 hours at the earliest from taking the first test. OR self-isolation for 14 days
EXCEPTIONS			
<p>Residents of border communities</p>		<p>Day-to-day travel is permitted for local border communities in Lapland at Finland's land border with Sweden and Norway without testing and quarantine.</p>	
<p>Commuting from Sweden and Estonia</p>		<p>Commuting from Sweden and Estonia to Finland is permitted without testing or quarantine. In case of an occasional business trip to Finland, quarantine and tests are recommended.</p>	
<p>A Finnish citizen or resident of Finland travels abroad</p>	<p>The Government recommends avoiding unnecessary travel to other countries, except for countries for which the restrictions on entry have been lifted. Check the entry restrictions and health measures of the country of destination and determine what health measures will be required in Finland upon your return from that country.</p>		