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## ENTRY TO CANADA - COVID-19 INFORMATION

Winterstart Events Ltd. is monitoring Canadian federal and provincial government guidelines, including entry to Canada and inter-provincial travel.

This information has been gathered from the following federal website link as of October 27, 2021:

Entry to Canada guidelines can be found here:

[COVID-19: Travel, testing, quarantine and borders](#)

**It is your responsibility to review and monitor the link for current entry to Canada requirements. The information below summarizes important facts.**

### Exemptions for fully vaccinated travellers:

As a fully vaccinated traveller you are:

- required to show a pre-entry molecular test
  - required to use [ArriveCAN](#)
  - exempt from quarantine\*
  - exempt from day-8 testing
- All travellers can be eligible to enter Canada as a fully vaccinated traveller regardless of citizenship
  - Canadians must meet and follow all of the same entry requirements
  - If you qualify as a fully vaccinated traveller, you do not have to do on-arrival testing, unless you are selected for a mandatory randomized test
  - Download the [ArriveCAN](#) app on your mobile device no more than 72 hours prior to your arrival and enter the required information
  - If you don't provide the required information in [ArriveCAN](#) before arriving you won't be considered as a fully vaccinated traveller, even if you meet all the other requirements
  - **Starting October 30, 2021**, to depart from Canadian airports for international or domestic (travel within Canada) travel, travellers will need to qualify as fully vaccinated

*\*All travellers entering Canada must be fully vaccinated. In only certain circumstances are travellers allowed to enter Canada, subject to quarantine. The option to quarantine upon arrival does not apply to this event.*

### To qualify as a fully vaccinated traveller, you must:

- Have received the full series of an accepted Canadian COVID-19 vaccine or a full series of a combination of Canadian accepted vaccines



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- Have received your last dose at least 14 full days prior to the day you enter Canada
  - Example: if your last dose was anytime on **Wednesday, September 1st**, then **Thursday, September 16th** would be the first day that you meet the 14-day condition
- Upload your proof of vaccination in [ArriveCAN](#)
- Have no signs or symptoms of COVID-19
- [Meet all other entry requirements](#), including the pre-entry molecular test

Link showing accepted COVID-19 vaccines in Canada: <https://travel.gc.ca/travel-covid/travel-restrictions/covid-vaccinated-travellers-entering-canada#determine-fully>

- If you've only had one dose of an accepted vaccine other than Janssen (Johnson & Johnson), you don't qualify for the fully vaccinated traveller exemption
- If you have recovered from COVID-19, you still need a full series of an accepted COVID-19 vaccine or combination of accepted vaccines
- If you've already had COVID-19, you may continue to test positive after you've recovered and are no longer infectious. If you are now symptom-free, you **can provide proof** of a **positive** COVID-19 molecular test, instead of a negative one. The test must have been conducted at least 14 and no more than 180 days before:
  - the initial scheduled departure time of your aircraft
  - your scheduled entry into Canada by water or land
- The proof of the positive result must be from an [accepted type of molecular test](#)
- Your **proof of vaccination** (receipts, cards, confirmations) must contain the required information as text (paper or electronic proof), **not a QR code**
- Your proof of vaccination must be in English, French or a **certified translation into English or French**
- **Bring your original** proof of vaccination with you while you travel and for 14 days after entry

#### Providing a quarantine plan:

If a border agent asks you about your quarantine plan **if you test positive for COVID-19 while in Canada:**

- Provide the name of the hotel in which you are staying
- You are participating in the Lake Louise Audi FIS World Cup
- The organizer, Winterstart Events Ltd., has approved health and testing protocols through Alberta Health Services
- Quarantine accommodation, food and beverage and access to medical assistance has been arranged by the organizer, if required, at the Fairmont Chateau Lake Louise or Lake Louise Inn
- If more information is needed, contact the LOC COVID-19 Safety Officer: Kerri Loudoun | +1 519.851.6493

#### Pre-entry molecular test result requirements:

All travellers 5 years of age or older, **regardless of citizenship or vaccination status**, must provide proof of a COVID-19 negative molecular test result to enter Canada or proof of a previous positive test result taken between 14 and 180 days. **Rapid antigen tests** will not be accepted.

Link identifying acceptable molecular tests: <https://travel.gc.ca/travel-covid/travel-restrictions/covid-vaccinated-travellers-entering-canada#determine-fully>

#### Providing proof of your result:

You **must** present an accepted negative molecular test result (paper or electronic proof) or proof of a previous positive test result taken between 14 and 180 days that includes:

- Traveller name and date of birth
- Name and civic address of the laboratory/clinic/facility that administered the test
- The date on which the test was conducted
- The type of test conducted
- The test result

You **must** show proof of your test results even if you:

- Have tested negative for COVID-19 before the 72-hour period
- Have been vaccinated for COVID-19
- Recovered from COVID-19 and no longer test positive
- Recovered from COVID-19 and continue to test positive

**Keep proof of your test results with you for the 14-day period that begins on the day you enter Canada.**

#### **Travelling within Canada:**

Currently there are no restrictions for travel between provinces, however, **starting October 30, 2021**, to depart from Canadian airports for international or domestic (travel within Canada) travel, travellers will need to qualify as fully vaccinated.

**Continue to check on the most current information in the Province of Alberta by monitoring the link to Government of Alberta public health information: [COVID-19 public health actions](#)**

#### **Travel to and from Lake Louise:**

Travel arrangements and policies and protocols for those travelling in vehicles are the responsibility of the individuals/teams travelling. Preferred rates for cars and trucks are available through Budget Car & Truck Rental in Calgary, Alberta. Please contact: [reservations@calgarybudget.com](mailto:reservations@calgarybudget.com)

#### **Airline restrictions:**

Each independent airline may have their own requirements for flying. It is the responsibility of the traveller to check with their airline to ensure all requirements for travel are met and adhered. Travel insurance is the responsibility of the individual/team.

For additional information or for assistance with a quarantine plan, please contact us.



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