New Policy on Quarantine exemption for those vaccinated

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The Korea Disease Control and Prevention Agency is planning to gradually extend the quarantine exemption to those who have been vaccinated in Korea and abroad. In this regard, the quarantine exemption rule (currently 7 days) for those who have completed COVID-19 vaccination will be changed as follows.

■ Those who have been fully vaccinated in Korea and have registered their vaccination history in the COVID-19 Vaccination Verification System (COOV) will be exempted from quarantine from 2022.3.21.(Mon).

■ Those who have been fully vaccinated abroad(countries other than South Korea) but have not registered their overseas vaccination history in the COVID-19 Vaccination Verification System (COOV) will be exempted from guarantine from 2022.4.1.(Fri).

*Except for the person from Pakistan, Uzbekistan, Ukraine, Myanmar

X Standard of full vaccination :

- Those who have passed 14 days and within 180 days after the second dose(one dose for Janssen) of WHO-approved vaccine, or

- Those who have completed 3rd dose of WHO-approved vaccine(booster shot)

- WHO-approved vaccine : Pfizer, Moderna, AstraZeneca, Janssen, Novavax, Sinopharm(Beijing), Sinovac, Covishield, Covaxin, Covovax (Total 10)

Application Method :

- Those who have completed vaccinations registered in Korea: the vaccination status will automatically be linked to the quarantine information pre-entry system(Q-CODE).

- Those who have been fully vaccinated abroad (not yet registered in Korea) : The applicants must input their vaccination history into pre-entry system and generate the Q-CODE. They must also hold a vaccination proof/certificate when entering South Korea.



- Those who have been fully vaccinated should perform the PCR test on the first day after entering Korea and should perform the one test of self-examination / medical institutions / rapid antigen on the 6~7 days.

- It is possible to take public transportation

- Those who have been unvaccinated : Mandatory Quarantine 7 days

Input Quarantine Information in advance and easily and quickly with QR-Code

Experience prompt quarantine service of the Republic of Korea through advanced inputting of quarantine information.





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🔀 Prior to entry

Access Q-code (https://cov19ent.kdca.go.kr)



Prepare passport, airline ticket, PCR negative confirmation (screening done within 48 hours of the time of departure) in advance.

🛪 Prior to boarding

Input information on passport, entry/stay in Korea, vaccination, PCR screening and health condition in the order listed

✓ All inputs can be saved temporarily and corrected at all input stages.

Issue a QR code after checking your input.

⚠ After issuing the QR code, only the health status could be modified.



🛧 After arrival

Present QR-Code to quarantine officer

- All types of QR-Codes, including those printed on paper and captured with electronic device can be used.
- \checkmark You can receive quick quarantine services.

