



HIGH COMMISSION OF THE REPUBLIC OF GHANA  
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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **URGENT COVID TRAVEL ADVICE**

Following the rise in Covid 19 cases, coupled with the detection of the **Omicron** variant among international arrivals the Ghana health Service has taken the following measures to prevent a major surge in COVID-19 cases in Ghana.

**With effect from midnight the 12<sup>th</sup> of December 2021:**

1. All persons 18 years and above arriving in Ghana will be required to provide evidence of full vaccination for a COVID-19 vaccine.
2. All unvaccinated Ghanaians and residents of Ghana who are currently outside the country intending to return within 14 days from the midnight of 12th December 2021 are exempted. However, they would be vaccinated on arrival at the airport.
3. All Ghanaians travelling out of the country are to be fully vaccinated effective midnight 12th December 2021.

**Definition of Fully Vaccinated:**

A person is said to be fully vaccinated when he/she has taken the full dose of the following vaccines approved and registered by the Food and Drugs Authority (FDA), Ghana.

- Two (2) doses of AstraZeneca, Pfizer, Moderna or Sputnik V to be declared as fully Vaccinated

**(Johnson and Johnson)**

- One dose is required for Johnson and Johnson to be declared fully vaccinated.

**COVID-19 Vaccines Approved and Registered by FDA, Ghana.**

1. AstraZeneca
2. Sputnik V
3. Johnson and Johnson
4. Pfizer
5. Moderna

**The following arrival Requirements remain unchanged:**

- The 72-hour Negative PCR test requirement prior to travel
- Completion of the Health Declaration Form which can be found at: <https://www.ghs-hdf.org/hdf/fill.php?l=en>
- All persons who arrive in Ghana will undergo Antigen test. This test must be booked and paid before departure to Ghana at: <https://myfrontierhealthcare.com/>

**10<sup>th</sup> December, 2021**

