



U.S. Entry Requirements

Starting on January 26, 2021, the [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\) will require](#), all customers ages 2 and above traveling to or connecting through the United States to present proof of a negative COVID-19 test taken within 3 days before departure and [sign an attestation](#) confirming a negative result.

Nothing is more important to us than the health of our employees and customers. These new measures add an additional layer of protection for all. A number of countries around the world have [similar orders in place](#), aimed at protecting the health of fellow travelers and airline employees. Please check back regularly ahead of travel. Delta will continue to publish updates regarding any changes to the CDC's COVID testing requirements for entry into the U.S. here.

Important Details to Know:

- Customers without their negative COVID-19 test results and signed attestation will be denied boarding in accordance with the CDC order.
- [Accepted COVID-19 tests](#), Go to footer note include a nucleic acid amplification test (e.g. PCR test) and viral antigen tests. Antibody tests are not accepted.
- If your itinerary includes a connecting flight, the COVID-19 test must be taken within 3 days of the initial flight departure.
- Customers who have recovered from COVID-19 can travel with a positive test (taken within the past 90 days before travel) and a letter from a licensed health provider or public health official stating that the customer has been cleared for travel.
- Customers who wish to [change their flight](#) can do so in [My Trips](#) without incurring any change fees. An additional fare difference waiver has been issued for customers wanting to change their travel prior to the effective date of the order. Visit our [Coronavirus Travel Updates page](#) for more details about waiver eligibility.
- For additional details we recommend calling the CDC helpline number at +1 (800) 232-4636 and reviewing the [CDC website](#), for the latest information and any updates.

What types of tests are accepted?

The accepted test types are:

- Molecular test
- Nucleic acid amplification test (NAAT)
- RT-PCR test
- LAMP test
- Antigen test
- Transcription mediated amplification (TMA)

Note: Antibody tests are not accepted.

Learn more about approved tests on the [CDC's website](#)

Reference:

<https://www.delta.com/content/www/mx/en/travel-update-center/flying-what-you-need-to-know/us-entry-requirements.html>