

PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF DISEASE (COMPULSORY TESTING FOR CERTAIN PERSONS) REGULATION

Compulsory Testing Notice

I hereby exercise the power conferred on me by section 10(1) of the Prevention and Control of Disease (Compulsory Testing for Certain Persons) Regulation (*the Regulation*) (Chapter 599, sub. leg. J) to:—

Category of Persons

- (I) (a) specify any persons who had been present at the following specified places during the specified date(s) and time period(s) (in any capacity including but not limited to full-time, part-time and relief staff and visitors) as the specified category of persons ^[Note 1]:—

	Specified place	Specified date(s) and time period(s)	Required testing dates
1.	Shek Tong Tsui Sports Centre, 5/F–6/F, Shek Tong Tsui Municipal Services Building, 470 Queen's Road West, Shek Tong Tsui, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on 26 December 2021, from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. on 27 December 2021, or from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
2.	Malacca Cuisine, Shop B, G/F, Nice Garden, 513 Queen's Road West, Shek Tong Tsui, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
3.	Miniso, Shop G01, G/F, Infinitus Plaza, 199 Des Voeux Road Central, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong	From 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on 25 December 2021	1 January 2022, 6 January 2022 and 13 January 2022
4.	Cathay Pacific City, 8 Scenic Road, Chek Lap Kok, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on 12 December 2021, from 0:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m. on 21 December 2021, or from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021	3 January 2022 and 10 January 2022
5.	Dental Implant & Maxillofacial Centre, Room 1901–05, 19/F, The Center, 99 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong	From 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 13 December 2021	1 January 2022
6.	McDonald's, Shop LG07, LG/F, The Westwood, 8 Belcher's Street, Shek Tong Tsui, Hong Kong	From 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on 13 December 2021	1 January 2022
7.	China CITIC Bank International, G/F, Sun On Building, 488 Queen's Road West, Sai Ying Pun, Hong Kong	From 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 13 December 2021	1 January 2022
8.	Oolaa, G/F, 1 Bridges Street, Sheung Wan, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021	3 January 2022 and 10 January 2022

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9.	Tai Kwun, 10 Hollywood Road, Central, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021	3 January 2022 and 10 January 2022
10.	McDonald's, Basement, Yu To Sang Building, 37 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong	From 12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021	3 January 2022 and 10 January 2022
11.	Hong Kong Island Smart Identity Card Replacement Centre, Room 200, 2/F, Shui On Centre, 6-8 Harbour Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong	From 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021	2 January 2022 and 9 January 2022
12.	Ruam, Shop 9, 1/F, J Residence, 60 Johnston Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong	From 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021	2 January 2022 and 9 January 2022
13.	Hang Lung Centre, 2-20 Paterson Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong	From 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021	2 January 2022 and 9 January 2022
14.	Cinema City, 2-8 Sugar Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021	2 January 2022 and 9 January 2022
15.	McDonald's, G/F-2/F, 46-54 Yee Wo Street, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021	2 January 2022 and 9 January 2022
16.	Koh Tomyums Thai Restaurant, Shop 105B, 1/F, D'Deck, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on 20 December 2021	1 January 2022 and 8 January 2022
17.	Bafang Dumpling, Shop 18-19, G/F, Fu Tung Plaza, Tung Chung, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. on 6 December 2021, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 14 December 2021, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 17 December 2021, or from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on 20 December 2021	5 January 2022
18.	Pause Cafe, G/F, 21 Chung Hau Street, Mui Wo, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on 13 December 2021, or from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 20 December 2021	1 January 2022 and 8 January 2022
19.	Bafang Dumpling, Shop E, G/F, Hung Cheung Building, 1-3 Yin Chong Street, Mong Kok, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on 19 December 2021	1 January 2022 and 7 January 2022
20.	McDonald's, Shop F, G/F & 1/F, Po On Building, 30-36 Mong Kok Road, Mong Kok, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 19 December 2021	1 January 2022 and 7 January 2022

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21.	Paisano's Pizzeria, Shop G28, G/F, 96 Siena Avenue, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on 18 December 2021	6 January 2022
22.	Hemingway's By The Bay, Shop G09, G/F, D'Deck, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on 18 December 2021	6 January 2022
23.	Bafang Dumpling, Shop 5, G/F, Marina Square West Centre, South Horizons, Ap Lei Chau, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 18 December 2021	6 January 2022
24.	Fusion by PARKnSHOP, Shop G25, G/F, Discovery Bay Plaza, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on 12 December 2021, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on 14 December 2021, from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021, or from 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on 17 December 2021	5 January 2022
25.	ZAKS, Shop G04, G/F & Shop 103, 1/F, D'Deck, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on 16 December 2021	4 January 2022
26.	BEP Vietnamese Kitchen, G/F, 88-90 Wellington Street, Central, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 16 December 2021	4 January 2022
27.	Paisano's Pizzeria, G/F, Amber Lodge, 23 Hollywood Road, Central, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 16 December 2021	4 January 2022
28.	Wanchai Computer Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong	From 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021	3 January 2022
29.	Bafang Dumpling, G/F, Ming Fung Building, 146 Wan Chai Road, Wan Chai, Hong Kong	From 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021	3 January 2022
30.	Pacific Coffee, Shop G01A, G/F, D'Deck, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021	3 January 2022
31.	McDonald's, Shop G02, G/F, D'Deck, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. on 12 December 2021, or from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021	3 January 2022
32.	Carpenter Road Park, Carpenter Road, Kowloon City, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 11:00 p.m. on 14 December 2021 to 0:00 a.m. on 15 December 2021	2 January 2022

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33.	Tung Chung North Park, 29 Man Tung Road, Tung Chung, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. on 6 December 2021, or from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 14 December 2021	2 January 2022
34.	Moon Palace, Shop G25, Festival Walk, 80 Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
35.	Apple Festival Walk, LG1-40, Festival Walk, 80 Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
36.	Discovery Bay Ferry Pier, Discovery Bay, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 12 December 2021, from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on 16 December 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on 18 December 2021, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on 19 December 2021, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021 or from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
37.	Central Pier No. 3, Central, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on 15 December 2021, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on 16 December 2021, from 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on 18 December 2021, from 9:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on 21 December 2021, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021, or from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
38.	Festival Walk, 80 Tat Chee Avenue, Kowloon Tong, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
39.	Fairwood, Shop No. 4, G/F, Ancillary Facilities Block, Shek Kip Mei Estate Phase 2, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m. on 28 December 2021	4 January 2022, 9 January 2022 and 16 January 2022
40.	JHC, Shop 17-19, G/F, Nam Cheong Centre, 89 Nam Cheong Street, Sham Shui Po, Kowloon, Hong Kong	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 28 December 2021	4 January 2022, 9 January 2022 and 16 January 2022

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41.	Commune X, G/F, On Chuen Building, 10 Ming Ngai Street, Tuen Mun, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on 29 December 2021	2 January 2022, 5 January 2022, 10 January 2022 and 17 January 2022
42.	Broadway Cinema, L1-L4 Metroplaza, 223 Hing Fong Road, Kwai Fong, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on 28 December 2021	4 January 2022, 9 January 2022 and 16 January 2022
43.	Gyukaku Japanese Yakiniku Restaurant, Shop L1-18, 1/F, V City, 83 Tuen Mun Heung Sze Wui Road, Tuen Mun, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 8:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. on 27 December 2021	3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
44.	The Iron Fairies & Co, LG/F, Chinachem Hollywood Centre, 1-13 Hollywood Road, Central, Hong Kong	From 10:00 p.m. to 11:59 p.m. on 27 December 2021	3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
45.	Cathay Pacific City, 8 Scenic Road, Chek Lap Kok, Lantau Island, New Territories, Hong Kong	From 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021	3 January 2022 and 10 January 2022
46.	Great Food Hall, LG1, Two Pacific Place, 88 Queensway, Admiralty, Hong Kong	From 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on 20 December 2021	8 January 2022
47.	Pici, G/F, 24-26 Aberdeen Street, Central, Hong Kong	From 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022

- (I) (b) specify any persons who had taken the following specified public transport during the specified date(s) and time period(s) (in any capacity including but not limited to full-time, part-time and relief staff and passengers) as the specified category of persons ^[Note 1]:—

	Specified public transport	Specified date(s) and time period(s)	Required testing dates
1.	The buses running on route number 962X from Causeway Bay (Moreton Terrace) to Tuen Mun (Lung Mun Oasis)	From 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on 25 December 2021	1 January 2022, 6 January 2022 and 13 January 2022
2.	The buses running on route number 961 from Tuen Mun (Shan King Estate) to Wan Chai (HKCECE)	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 25 December 2021	1 January 2022, 6 January 2022 and 13 January 2022
3.	The Airport staff shuttle buses running from Cathay Pacific City to Cathay Dragon/CNAC House	From 2:00 a.m. to 4:00 a.m. on 21 December 2021	2 January 2022, 9 January 2022
4.	The buses running on route number 60X from Tuen Mun Central to Jordan (West Kowloon Station)	From 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022

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5.	The buses running on route number 961 from Wan Chai (HKCECE) to Tuen Mun (Shan King Estate)	From 4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on 27 December 2021	1 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 8 January 2022 and 15 January 2022
6.	The KMB buses running on route number 2D from Chak On Estate to Tung Tau Estate	From 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. on 28 December 2021	4 January 2022, 9 January 2022 and 16 January 2022
7.	The Kowloon green minibuses running on route number 30B from Chak On Estate to Shek Kip Mei Station (Circular)	From 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on 28 December 2021	4 January 2022, 9 January 2022 and 16 January 2022
8.	The Airport staff shuttle buses running from Cathay Pacific City to Cathay Dragon/CNAC House	From 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on 22 December 2021	3 January 2022 and 10 January 2022
9.	The light rails running on route number 751 from Tin Yat to Yau Oi	From 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on 30 December 2021	2 January 2022, 3 January 2022, 6 January 2022, 11 January 2022 and 18 January 2022

Requirements and Procedure for the Test

(II) require every person who falls within the above category to undergo a polymerase chain reaction-based nucleic acid test for the coronavirus disease 2019 (*the Specified Test*) in compliance with the requirements and procedure set out below ^[Note 2]:—

(a) for a test at mobile specimen collection stations:—

- (i) attend one of the mobile specimen collection stations ^[Note 3] set up by the Government on the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above;
- (ii) undergo the Specified Test, including providing a sample taken through combined nasal and throat swabs, in accordance with the instructions given by the staff at the stations; and
- (iii) keep the SMS (mobile phone text message) notification containing the result of the test, and provide the relevant SMS notification for checking by a prescribed officer when the prescribed officer requires the person to provide information about his or her undergoing the Specified Test;

OR

(b) for a test at Community Testing Centres:—

- (i) attend one of the Community Testing Centres ^[Note 4] set up by the Government on the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above during its opening hours;
- (ii) undergo the Specified Test, including providing a sample taken through combined nasal and throat swabs, in accordance with the instructions given by the staff at the centre; and
- (iii) keep the SMS (mobile phone text message) notification containing the result of the test, and provide the relevant SMS notification for checking by a prescribed officer when the prescribed officer requires the person to provide information about his or her undergoing the Specified Test;

OR

(c) for a self-arranged test:—

- (i) arrange for the carrying out of the Specified Test at a laboratory which is included in the list of recognised laboratories for the Specified Test published at the coronavirus disease 2019 thematic website on https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/pdf/List_of_recognised_laboratories_RTPCR.pdf and which can issue SMS (mobile phone text message) notifications in respect of test results;
- (ii) undergo, on the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above, the Specified Test in accordance with the instructions given by the staff of the laboratory, including providing a sample taken through combined nasal and throat swabs; and
- (iii) keep the SMS (mobile phone text message) notification containing the result of the test, and provide the relevant SMS notification for checking by a prescribed officer when the prescribed officer requires the person to provide information about his or her undergoing the Specified Test;

(III) require every person who falls within the above category to take appropriate personal disease prevention measures as far as reasonably practicable, including wearing a mask and maintaining hand hygiene; and unless for the purpose of undergoing the Specified Test, stay at his/her place of residence and avoid going out until the test result is ascertained as far as possible;

Period Specified for the Purpose of Section 14(3)(b) of the Regulation

(IV) specify in relation to the category of persons in Part (I) above the respective 30-day periods counting from the day following the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above or the 30-day period from the day following the Extended Testing Period due to Inclement Weather ^[Note 6] as the period during which a Compulsory Testing Order may be issued under the Regulation upon non-compliance with this Notice;

Appointment of Prescribed Officers

(V) appoint members of the Auxiliary Medical Service and all public officers of the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region to perform a function under the Regulation concerning a requirement specified under this Notice ^[Note 7].

Note 1:—

If a person who falls within the category specified in Part (I) above is required to undergo quarantine pursuant to section 22 of the Prevention and Control of Disease Regulation (Chapter 599, sub. leg. A), that person is not required to comply with the requirements set out in this Notice during the quarantine period.

Note 2:—

If a person who falls within the category specified in Part (I) above is issued a medical certificate by a registered medical practitioner (*relevant medical certificate*), proving that he/she is unfit to undergo the Specified Test using a sample taken through combined nasal and throat swabs in compliance with the requirements and procedure set out in Part (II) because of health reasons, then he/she may undergo the Specified Test using a deep throat saliva sample in compliance with the requirements and procedure set out below:—

(a) for a test with a specimen bottle obtained:—

- (i) obtain a specimen bottle from one of the 120 post offices, 47 general out-patient clinics of the Hospital Authority or vending machines set up at 20 MTR stations ^[Note 5];
- (ii) collect deep throat saliva sample in the specimen bottle as per the guidelines provided together with the specimen bottle;
- (iii) return, on the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above, the specimen bottle with the sample to one of the designated collection points ^[Note 5]; and
- (iv) keep the SMS (mobile phone text message) notification containing the result of the test and the relevant medical certificate, and provide the relevant SMS notification

and relevant medical certificate for checking by a prescribed officer when the prescribed officer requires the person to provide information about his or her undergoing the Specified Test;

OR

(b) for a test at general out-patient clinics of the Hospital Authority:—

- (i) undergo, on the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above, the Specified Test at general out-patient clinics of the Hospital Authority as instructed by a medical professional of the Hospital Authority; and
- (ii) keep the SMS (mobile phone text message) notification containing the result of the test and the relevant medical certificate, and provide the relevant SMS notification and relevant medical certificate for checking by a prescribed officer when the prescribed officer requires the person to provide information about his or her undergoing the Specified Test;

OR

(c) for a self-arranged test using deep throat saliva sample:—

- (i) arrange for the carrying out of the Specified Test at a laboratory which is included in the list of recognised laboratories for the Specified Test published at the coronavirus disease 2019 thematic website on https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/pdf/List_of_recognised_laboratories_RTPCR.pdf and which can issue SMS (mobile phone text message) notifications in respect of test results;
- (ii) undergo, on the “required testing dates” specified in Part (I) above, the Specified Test in accordance with the instructions given by the staff of the laboratory; and
- (iii) keep the SMS (mobile phone text message) notification containing the result of the test and the relevant medical certificate, and provide the relevant SMS notification and relevant medical certificate for checking by a prescribed officer when the prescribed officer requires the person to provide information about his or her undergoing the Specified Test.

Note 3:—

The location, opening hours and target groups (if applicable) of the mobile specimen collection stations are set out in <https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/early-testing.html>.

Note 4:—

The location and opening hours of the Community Testing Centres are set out in <https://www.communitytest.gov.hk/en/>.

Note 5:—

The location and opening hours of post offices, general out-patient clinics and MTR stations distributing specimen bottles as well as the specimen collection location and time are set out in <https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/eng/early-testing.html>.

Note 6:—

If the tropical cyclone signal No. 3 or above is hoisted, or a red/black rainstorm warning signal or “extreme conditions after super typhoons” announced by the Government is/are in force at any time during the period for undergoing the Specified Test, the period for undergoing the Specified Test will be extended for 1 day (*the Extended Testing Period due to Inclement Weather*).

Note 7:—

Under the Regulation, health officers may, without the need of an appointment, perform a function concerning a requirement under a Compulsory Testing Notice.

31 December 2021

Secretary for Food and Health