

## **Notice on the Application of Electronic Health Declaration Form for Foreign Passengers**

Starting from 16 November, 2020, all foreign passengers who are flying from Turkey to China will be required to present the Electronic Health Declaration Form for boarding.

Foreign passengers with certificates of negative results of both nucleic acid and IgM antibody tests taken in the medical institution designated or recognized by the Chinese Embassy in Turkey/ Chinese Consulate General in Istanbul shall apply for the Electronic Health Declaration Form by logging on the website of <http://hrhk.cs.mfa.gov.cn/H5/> via computer or smart phone, or by scanning the QR Code below.



Foreign passengers need to register, fill in the information, declare the health status and upload the testing certificates online, which will then be examined and verified by the Chinese Embassy in Turkey/Chinese Consulate General in Istanbul. Upon approval, applicants will receive the Electronic Health Declaration Form, which will be displayed in QR code with the "HDC" mark. Foreign passengers are required to present the electronic or printed QR code with the "HD

C" mark, and follow the procedures for inspection by relevant airlines during boarding.

Chinese passengers(including the Hong Kong SAR, the Macao SAR and the Taiwan region) can still apply for the green health code with the"HS"mark via the WeChat Health Code app.

**Announcement of the information of the testing institutions for COVID -19  
Nucleic Acid and COVID- 19 Antibody Test issued by the Chinese Embassy  
and Consulate General in Istanbul**

According to the announcement of ‘Notice on Airline Boarding Requirements for Certificates’ issued by the Chinese Consulate on October 30, 2020: starting from 7th November 2020, before boarding (in order to board), both Chinese and foreign passengers travel from Turkey to China will have to apply for Green Health Code with HS logo or the Health Declaration Forms from either Chinese Embassy (in Ankara) or Chinese Consulate General (in Istanbul) by handing over these two documents:

Nucleic Acid Test (tested negative) AND IgM Antibody Test result (IgM antibody)

Institution: Both Acid and Antibody Test has to be carried out by the medical institution registered and appointed by the Chinese Embassy/Consulate-General.

**Important Reminder:**

1. **Test time:** You will have to take the test within 48 hours before boarding, please note that the SAMPLING time will be considered as start time. For example: if your flight is on 7th November, you must take your test on 5th of November or after. In other words: if took the test on 5th of November, the flight time must be no later than November 7th.

2. **Reservation and Timeline of your test:** some of the institutions only accepts reservations and have different timelines of getting test report due to the high demand of test applications. Please contact the medical center to confirm the timeline of getting result and make your appointment of test.

3. **Information accuracy, validity and authenticity:** It is emphasized by Chinese Embassy and the Consulate General that all your personal

information and documents including but not limited to your test report, application forms and travel documents must be accurate, valid and authentic, and that applicants should be responsible for review failure and following consequences if any documents/information inaccuracy, invalidity, or fraud occurs. Concealing medical condition, forging or altering test report and any other fraud will be taken seriously and investigations on relevant personnel will be enforced by related government agencies according to the law.

4. **International Transfers:** Please note that Testing services are not provided in the transfer area at Istanbul Airport. Passengers transferring to China will have to enter Turkey and get a second test in order to get on the next flight, you might need a visa to enter Turkey. Chinese Embassy and the Consulate General of Istanbul reminds all passengers flying through Istanbul to be aware of this and make your travel plan accordingly to avoid any inconvenience during your trip.

**For any emergencies regarding the nucleic acid test and the antibody test the addresses below can be contacted:**

Chinese Embassy email address for the nucleic acid and antibody test:

[consulate\\_tur@mfa.gov.cn](mailto:consulate_tur@mfa.gov.cn)

Chinese Consulate General of Istanbul email address for the nucleic acid and antibody test:

[consulate\\_ist@sina.com](mailto:consulate_ist@sina.com)

Chinese Embassy contact information in Turkey

[0090-5388215530](tel:0090-5388215530)

Chinese Consulate General of Istanbul contact information

[0090-5313389459](tel:0090-5313389459)