Schemes for Entering Thailand (by Air Travel), effective from 1 November 2021

	FULLY VACCINATED* travellers		
	From eligible countries** must be in area for at least 21 consecutive days (except for certain travellers***)	From ineligible countries or have been in eligible countries for less than 21 consecutive days	Travellers who are NOT FULLY VACCINATED
Quarantine	NO QUARANTINE BUT need to stay at least 1 night at SHA+/AQ hotel until receiving negative RT-PCR test result (test taken on the day of arrival)	NO QUARANTINE (SANDBOX)**** BUT travel restricted to within Sandbox area for 7 days & need 7 nights reservation at SHA+ hotel in Sandbox area (8 nights if traveller arrives in Thailand after 18.00 hrs.)	QUARANTINE for 10 nights at AQ hotel (11 nights if traveller arrives in Thailand after 18.00 hrs.)
Insurance	Non-Thai travellers need health insurance in English which expressly covers treatments related to COVID-19 with min. coverage of 50,000 USD / Thai travellers do not need health insurance		
Pre- departure test	Travellers need negative RT-PCR test result issued within 72 hrs. before departure (antigen test is not accepted)		Non-Thai travellers need negative RT-PCR test result issued within 72 hrs. before departure. Thai travellers do not need pre-departure test.
Post- arrival test	One RT-PCR test taken on the day of arrival, at traveller's expense, included in hotel reservation	Two RT-PCR tests (one on the day of arrival & another on Day 6 or 7), at traveller's expense, included in hotel reservation	Two RT-PCR tests (one on the day of arrival & another on Day 8 or 9), at traveller's expense, included in hotel reservation

*Fully vaccinated = those who have received all required doses of a vaccine registered with the Thai FDA, or approved by WHO or Thai Ministry of Public Health, no less than 14 days before departure. (Accepted vaccines: Sinovac, AstraZeneca, Johnson & Johnson, Pfizer, Moderna, Sinopharm, Sputnik). Unvaccinated children under 12 travelling with vaccinated parents may enter Thailand under the same conditions as their parents. Travellers who have recovered from infection are eligible if they have received one dose of vaccine within 3 months after infection, no less than 14 days before departure, and can provide a medical certificate confirming their infection.

**Eligible Countries/Territory: Australia, Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Bhutan, Brunei Darussalam, Bulgaria, Cambodia, Canada, Chile, China, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Kuwait, Laos, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Maldives, Malta, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Korea, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, UAE, UK, USA, Vietnam, Hong Kong, Taiwan.

***<u>Exception</u>: The "21 days" requirement <u>does not apply</u> to travellers who reside in Thailand and travel to eligible areas for **a short-term visit**, provided that they have not been outside of these areas before returning to Thailand.

**** <u>Sandbox areas</u> include, among others, **Bangkok**, **Phuket**, **Krabi**, **Phang-Nga**, **Surat Thani** (*Koh Samui*, *Koh Phangan*, *Koh Tao*) and **Chonburi** (*certain districts only*). Sandbox travellers must arrive **through international airports** at Suvarnabhumi, Don Mueang, Chiang Mai, Phuket, Samui, U-Tapao or Buriram (chartered flights only). At present, domestic flight transit to Sandbox areas via Bangkok is only possible for Samui (through designated flights only).

From 1 November 2021

• Removal of Quarantine Requirement

- o Travellers from <u>Bulgaria and Romania</u> may enter Thailand without quarantine provided that they are <u>fully vaccinated at least 14 days</u> <u>before travelling</u> and have been in the eligible areas for at least 21 consecutive days.
- They must have a fully-paid SHA+ or AQ hotel reservation for at least 1 night, inclusive of one RT-PCR test.
- They must also have <u>health insurance in English which expressly covers treatments related to COVID-19 with minimum coverage</u> of 50,000 USD and <u>negative RT-PCR test result issued within 72 hours before departure</u>.
- They will have to take an RT-PCR test on the day of arrival and will be allowed to leave the hotel after receiving their negative test result.
- Eligible travellers who have already paid for their 7 or 10 days at SHA+ or AQ hotel <u>may submit their request for refund directly to</u> their hotels.

• New Registration Platform

- o On 1 November 2021, the Certificate of Entry (COE) platform will be discontinued. Those wishing to enter Thailand will have to register via **the new platform**, "Thailand Pass" (https://tp.consular.go.th). They must register through the new platform at least 7 days before departure.
- o Instead of COE, travellers will need to show a **QR Code generated through the Thailand Pass system** upon check-in and arrival in Thailand.
- o Those who have already been issued COEs before 1 November 2021 may use their COEs to enter Thailand. There is no need to register again for Thailand Pass.
