

MONTSERRAT TRAVEL PROTOCOLS

PRE-TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS



1 CONFIRM ACCOMMODATION

Ensure that you have confirmed where you will stay while on Montserrat.

If you plan to stay with family, ensure that they are aware, as the entire household may be quarantined for **10 days** if you are not vaccinated.

2 NEGATIVE COVID-19 PCR / RNA/ ANTIGEN TEST REQUIRED PRIOR TO TRAVEL

Test should be taken no earlier than **3 days** prior to travelling.

Persons exempted are:

- a.** A child **under 5 years of age**
- b.** a person entering Montserrat in circumstances related to a medical evacuation.
- c.** a person granted permission by the Minister to enter Montserrat for the purpose of aiding with preparations for a disaster or after a disaster.

Antibody Tests are **not** accepted.

Travel with a copy of your negative COVID-19 Test result.

3 TRAVEL TO MONTSERRAT

Air and sea travel allowed.

Air Travel provided by Fly Montserrat and SVG Air.

Sea travel - Yachts & Cruise Ships
(persons arriving on yachts & cruise ships must be vaccinated)



PRE- TRAVEL REQUIREMENT FOR NON-RESIDENT TECHNICIAN NOT FULLY VACCINATED

An unvaccinated or not fully vaccinated non-resident technician is required to apply to the Minister of Health for approval to enter Montserrat.

To apply for approval, an unvaccinated or not fully vaccinated non-resident technician should send an email outlining details of intended travel to Montserrat to mehcsmail@gov.ms.

Once approved, the technician must then complete and submit the online travel declaration on the Government of Montserrat website.

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All World Health Organisation (WHO) approved vaccines are accepted for entry into Montserrat.

Fully Vaccinated Persons



A person is considered fully vaccinated –

(a) fourteen days after receipt of the second dose in a 2-dose COVID-19 vaccine series which was approved by the World Health Organisation (WHO);

or

(b) fourteen days after receipt of one dose of a single-dose COVID-19 vaccine, which was approved by the World Health Organisation (WHO).

- Provide the Medical or Health Officer with proof of vaccination.
- Tested for COVID-19 on entry.

No quarantine required if negative for COVID-19.

- If the test result is inconclusive then self-quarantine or self-isolation is required to await further COVID-19 test results.
- If the test is positive then self-quarantine or isolation is required until you are no longer infected or until you decide to leave the island.

NOTE: This section applies to **fully vaccinated non-resident technicians**.

Persons NOT Fully Vaccinated - Quarantine & Testing Protocols



- Quarantine period - **10 days**
- Quarantine at home, place of occupancy, designated quarantine facility or place of isolation.
- Tested between **8 and 10 days** after entry. If negative for COVID-19 he or she will be released from quarantine.
- If the individual is expected to leave Montserrat before the 10 days have passed he or she will be allowed to leave Montserrat.

Non-Resident Technicians Unvaccinated/Not Fully Vaccinated



- Tested within **24 hours of entry** into Montserrat.
- Remain at his/her place of occupancy and only be in a public place for the purpose of travelling to and from the place of work.
- Must wear a mask and practice social distancing while at work.
- If you intend to stay longer than 5 days, then you must be tested on day 5 of your stay here.
- Tested between **8 and 10 days** after entry; if negative then you will be allowed to be in public places for reasons other than work.



Public Health (COVID-19 Suppression) Order



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Classification of a Non-Resident Technician

A non-resident technician” means—

- (a) a person who travels to Montserrat for the purpose of assisting with certification and maintenance of equipment; and includes.
- (b) a vaccinated medical specialist engaged by a public or private entity who travels to Montserrat for no more than ten days;

General Travel Guidelines

Persons arriving on Montserrat are required to answer all questions asked by the Medical or Health Officer, and may be required to undertake health checks and screenings.

Individuals who are fully vaccinated must provide the Medical or Health officer with proof of their vaccination status. If this evidence is not provided, then the individual will be regarded as being unvaccinated/ not fully vaccinated.

Vessel & Aircraft Owners

The owner of a vessel or aircraft must ensure that persons travelling are in possession of a copy of a negative PCR COVID-19 test or a negative RNA COVID-19 test or else the owner will be committing an offence.



COVID-19 TEST FEES



(a) Test taken within 24 hours of entry into Montserrat by a non resident technician who is not fully vaccinated.	\$300.00
(b) Test taken 5 days after entry into Montserrat by a non-resident technician who is not fully vaccinated.	\$300.00
(c) Test taken between 8 and 10 days after entry into Montserrat by a non-resident technician who is not fully vaccinated.	\$150.00
(d) Test on arrival for fully vaccinated persons	\$150.00
(e) Test for release from quarantine. (Unvaccinated persons)	\$150.00
(f) A test being taken by a person under 18 years of age.	FREE

***All fees listed above are in Eastern Caribbean Dollars (XCD)**

The Public Health COVID-19 Suppression Order is available on the Government of Montserrat website www.gov.ms

Attorney General's Chambers - Government of Montserrat (www.gov.ms)

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