



## BEIJING CAPITAL AIRLINES | PASSENGERS FROM UK NEED A NEGATIVE COVID-TEST FOR BOARDING

Dear Agent,

Today, 13 August 2020, the Chinese embassy in the UK has issued a requirement: all the passengers flying from UK to China, even transfer passengers transferring for example in Lisbon, need to present a negative nucleic acid test for boarding.

Please find all the communication on the website of the Chinese embassy in the UK:

<https://www.fmprc.gov.cn/ce/ceuk/chn/lsw/lxsz/t1806019.htm>

### **Notice on the implementation of passenger boarding on flights to China in the UK with a negative certificate of the new coronavirus nucleic acid test.**

According to the requirements of the relevant announcement issued by the Civil Aviation Administration of China, the General Administration of Customs, and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on July 20, the specific measures for the implementation of the boarding of Chinese and foreign passengers on flights to China in the UK with a negative certificate of the new coronavirus nucleic acid test are as follows:

#### **1. General requirements**

Starting from August 21, 2020 (including the day), Chinese and foreign passengers who take flights from the UK to China (including direct flights and to China via a third country or region) and transit flights to China via the UK must present the new coronavirus nucleic acid A negative test certificate applies for a green health code or health status statement with the "HS" logo. The airline will check the health code or health statement before boarding. It is recommended that passengers traveling to China carry a negative nucleic acid test certificate for future reference.

#### **2. Testing time and testing organization**

The nucleic acid test should be completed within 5 days before the passenger boarding. The embassies and consulates in the UK have no special requirements for hospitals and testing agencies. Passengers can choose according to their own circumstances.

### **3. Methods for Chinese citizens to apply for health codes**

Chinese citizens should, within 24 hours of obtaining the certificate of negative nucleic acid test, declare their personal situation and upload the certificate of negative nucleic acid test through the WeChat Mini Program of the International Version of the Epidemic Prevention Health Code. After review and approval by the Chinese embassy in the relevant country, the person concerned can obtain a green health code with the "HS" logo. If necessary, please click to view the frequently asked questions about the application of nucleic acid test certificate for Chinese citizens. Please pay attention to the flight during the validity period of the health code and cooperate with the airline to check before boarding.

### **4. Procedures for handling declarations of health status of foreign citizens**

Foreign citizens in the UK should send a scanned copy of the valid passport data page, the negative test certificate and the applicant's signed health statement (see Appendix 3 for the sample) after obtaining the negative nucleic acid test certificate, and send it to The corresponding email address designated by the Chinese Embassy in the UK (the subject of the email is "HS+Name+Date of Departure"). After the Chinese Embassy and Consulate in the UK has passed the review, the scanned copy of the health statement with the seal of the embassy and consulate will be sent back to the applicant by email. Applicants are requested to print it out and bring it to the airport. Please pay attention to the flight during the validity period of the health declaration and cooperate with the airline to check before boarding.

Best regards,  
Beijing Capital Airlines