

MEASURES FOR THE PURPOSES OF SUPPRESSING THE PANDEMICS OF COVID-19 /06.11. -19.11.2021

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Personal / general measures	Mandatory proper wearing of the face mask indoor. Mandatory proper wearing of the face mask in the open space in the cases where it is not possible to keep a physical distance of at least 2m Mandatory keeping the physical distance in open space and indoor	Proper wearing of the face mask implies wearing of the face mask so that it covers the nose and the mouth. Physical distance implies keeping the minimum two meters distance between persons who are not members of the same household.
	Obligation of the media is to provide wearing of the face mask covering the nose and the mouth of employees participating in broadcasting of the programme, including persons visiting their media shows;	
	Mass/social gatherings (festivals and similar) are possible to be held having national digital COVID certificate or one of the following proofs: 1. Completely vaccinated or vaccinated against COVID-19 2. Negative PCR test	Gathering of population in closed and in open public spaces is banned. Ban on organising public performances, political or private gatherings, celebrations, parties, weddings, as well as other happenings outdoor, except with the presence of more than 50 persons, with observance of the prescribed measures. Ban on organising parties and musical festivals indoor and outdoor where it is not possible to control or is hard to control proofs in the national digital certificate. Ban on gathering of citizens indoor (public performaces, political and private gatherings, celebrations, parties, weddings, as well as other happenings), apart from professional, scientific, work or official activities,

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Movement and public gatherings	on SARS-Cov-2 not older than 72 hours 3. Proof that a person has recovered from COVID-10 (passed not less than 10 days and not more than 180 days from a positive PCR or a rapid antigen test). 4. Negative antigen rapid test not older than 48 hours.	
	Ban on visits	 Ban on visiting people undergoing hospital treatment in health institutions; Ban on visiting detainees and persons serving the imprisonment sentence in the Administration for execution of criminal sanctions Exceptions: Visits of lawyers and court experts as per the court decision, and close family members with observance of recommendations of the Institute, are allowed; Visits of spouses and children to detainees and persons serving imprisonment sentence in the Administration for execution of criminal sanctions, in special rooms with negative PCR test not older than 72 hours. Visits to persons accommodated in social and child protection institutions are allowed in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute of Public Health
	Ban on outdoor gathering in a group of more than fifty persons	Ban on presence and lingering of more than fifty persons of legal age in open public spaces (pavements, squares, streets, promenades, beaches, etc.) with the observance of prescribed measures;

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	of legal age	This measure does not refer to persons carrying out their regular work tasks.
	Religious communities are committed to adapt their activities to current epidemiological situation	 Religious services attended by citizens, inside the religious facility, should be performed with provision of at least 10m²of space per person; Religious services attended by citizensin open spaces should be performed with provision of at least 4m² per person. It is mandatory to observe the measures related to proper wearing of the face masks and keeping the two meters distance. It is banned to linger for more than 30 minutes. Religious communities shall appoint one or more persons to control the performance of religious ceremonies. Namely, these persons will control if persons entering or staying inside the religious facilities are wearing the face masks and observing the minimum physical distance. Hand disinfectants are to be provided at the entrance/exit from the religious facilities and clearly place the notification on the number of persons allowed to be in a religious facility at the same time. Notifications on the proper wearing of the face masks, with necessary physical distance of minimum 2m should be placed as well. It is forbidden to touch and have any physical contact with any of the common use objects. Religious communities shall, whenever possible, broadcast their ceremonies via radio or TV programme, or otherwise, which will enable the believers to attend the religious activities without going to the religious facilities.
	Adapt funerals to the current epidemiological situation	Funerals are to be conducted with a ban on organising expression of condolescences with the presence of maximum 10 persons and mandatory wearing of face masks.
Companies and entrepreneurs	- In accordance with the surface area of the facility and the number of clients in them, one or more persons, to control the observance of	 Companies and entrepreneurs engaged in retail trade (markets, supermarkets, hypermarkets, shopping centres, stands/stalls, etc.), including green markets, as well as state authorities, state administration authorities, administrative authorities, local self-government authorities, public institutions and other entities exercising public authorities, banks, post offices and other legal entities, which directly provide services to citizens at counters, are obliged to appoint one or more persons responsible to control if the citizens/customers wear face masks and keep physical distance when entering these facilities. point out, at the entrance/exit of the facility, on a visible spot, the announcement on prescribed measures with the instructions for their use provide/mark the distance of at least two meters between the customers/visitors who are in front of the facility provide hand sanitizers at the entrance/exit of the facility for customers/visitors provide hand sanitizers to their employees,

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	measures-responsible persons, to be provided	 provide hygiene maintenance and disinfection of commonly used rooms on a regular basis, provide marked spots for hygienic waste disposal persons appointed for the control of the prescribed measures must be clearly labelled, so that their role and duty indicated in this paragraph are clearly visible, Likewise, the legal entities and entrepreneurs are obliged to appoint a person responsible for the observance of the measure of wearing the face mask, except for those legal entities and entrepreneurs having up to three employees, A responsible person is a person in charge of the supervision of the observance of measures of wearing the face masks and keeping the physical distance in the facility, who will be clearly labelled in order to indicate his/her work assignments, Lingering of players in/in front of the facilities of the organizers of games of chance (bookmakers and casinos) is banned, with the observance of prescribed measures.
	Shopping malls	
	-Children's playrooms allowed in the time period 07:00-22:00	Obligation of children's playrooms to organise work in the time period 07:00 – 22:00, in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute.
	Weddings, birthdays, and other private celebrations are possible to be held only if employees and guests have with at least one proof from National digital COVID certificate: 1. Completely vaccinated or vaccinated against COVID-19 2. Negative PCR test on SARS-Cov-2 not older than 72 hours	 National digital COVID certificate are obliged to be possessed both by hosts and guests of of the event, Hospitality facility is obliged to appoint a person to control the prescribed measures Playing live music inside of hospitality facilities is banned, except within the time period 8PM to midnight, if all employees, singers, musicians, and guests have at least one proof from the National digital COVID certificate. The number of guests on the terrace/garden cannot be higher than 50 inside of a hospitality facility, with the observance of the prescribed measures for hospitality facilities.

3. Proof that a person has recovered from COVID-10 (passed not less than 10 days and not more than
180 days from a positive PCR or a rapid antigen test). 4. Negative antigen rapid test not older than 48 hours. Entrance into the inside of the hospitality facilities (restaurants, cafes, etc.), as well as entrance into night clubs and discos (whether outdoor or indoor), is possible having one of the following elements of the National digital COVID certificate: 1. Completely vaccinated or vaccinated against COVID-19 2. Negative PCR test on SARS-Cov-2 not older than 72 hours 3. Proof that a person has recovered from COVID-10

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	- Provide at least 10m ² of net area per customer and limit the number of customers accordingly	 Obligation for all shops and stores refers to limiting the number of customers who can stay in their space at the same time in such a way as to ensure minimum 10 m² of net area for each customer, with the obligation of observing the mutual physical distance of at least two meters, It is necessary to place at the entrance to the facility the notification of the maximum number of persons who can simultaneously be inside the facility. Obligation for all shops, stores and shopping centres to take additional measures when they expect the arrival of larger number of customers (discounts, pre-holiday sales, etc.) in order to avoid the breach of epidemiological measures in terms of simultaneous staying of more customers than allowed in their facilities. Net area implies only the selling space of the shop/store.
		Companies and entrepreneurs engaged in retail trade, organizers of games of chance and companies, other legal entities and entrepreneurs engaged in craft and service and hospitality industry within the hospitality facilities (restaurants, cafes, cafeterias, hotel restaurants and similar hospitality objects, with the exception of the guests staying in the hotels, shall: Place, at the entrance/exit of the facility, on a visible spot, the notification of the prescribed measures of prevention and containment of the infection caused by COVID 19, with the instructions for their use, as well as contact data of a person (name, last name, telephone number and email address of a person responsible for the observance and control of the prescribed measures); A person responsible for the observance and control of the prescribed measures in the facility is a legal entity and does not have to be clearly labelled, Provide hands disinfection at entrance/exit of the facility; All employees and the guests must wear face masks during their stay in the hospitality facility (within the facility and in the terrace/garden), except during direct consummation of drinks, after which they immediately put the mask back onto their face and during the food consummation the

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		 mask is put back on the face immediately after the meal; Provide the disinfectants (disinfection gel or alcohol wet tissues) on all tables; Inside the facility the tables have to be separated by transparentPlexiglas plates/panels or other opaque material suitable for disinfection, in the height of 170 cm; On the terrace/garden of a hospitality facility the distance between the tables must be at least 2m; Maximum four guests sit at the table inside and on the terrace/garden of a hospitality facility; Disable the self-service, standing and staying in front of the counter and high tables intended for sitting; Provide regular hygiene maintenance and disinfection of common rooms, furniture, equipment, etc., in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute for Public Health of Montenegro; In the hospitality facility (inside and on the terrace/garden) to provide marked places for hygienic waste disposal; Prohibit minors unaccompanied by their parents/adults to stay in the restaurants, cafes, cafeterias, hotel restaurants and similar hospitality facilities, Ban on playing music programmes with the participation of singers and musicians, except within the time period from 8 PM to midnight, if all employees, singers, musicians, and guests have one of proofs from the National digital COVID certificate and Ban on dancing and playing. Obligation of disco clubs/bars and night clubs/bars to organise their work in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute as well as to apoint a person or more persons responsible for the control of
		Obligation of companies and enterpreneurs to organise music events outdoor in public places in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute, as well as to apoint a person or more persons responsible for the control of prescribed measures. Recommendations of the Institute for Public Health of Montenegro for the work of night clubs and bars, as well as Recommendations during organisation and holding events followed by music outdoor are available on the website: https://www.ijzcg.me/me/savjeti/covid-19
		Companies, other legal enteties, enterpreneurs and natural persons engaged in tourist and hopitality activity of providing services for accomodation, i.e. accomodation and preparation and food, drinks and beverage serveces, are obliged to: - Provide space for self-isolation of guests of at least 10% of capacities of accomodation units, i. e. at least one room, if accomodation capacities are less than five units. - Entitle a person responsible for communication with the primary health care center in charge, i. e. an

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		epidemiologist and sanitary inspection, in case of the appereance of symptoms among guests, in accordance with the Guide for safety and health protocolsfor COVID-19 (hereinafter referred to as: Guide), which is established by Ministry of Health, Ministry of economic development and Institute, and is published on the internet page of Ministry of health www.mzd.gov.me and the Institute www.ijzcg.me . - Provide information and trainings for employees on conducting procedures for the protection of employees, as well as procedures in case of the appereance of symptoms of the disease among guests and sanitary protocols, in accordance with the Guide. - Obligation of companies, other legal enteties, enterpreneurs and natural persons who are providing services of touristic agencies, raftings, tour guides, escorts, animators and representatives, in cultural, nautic, rural/ethno, health, religious, congress, sport, youth, hunting and fishing, sport – recreational and avanturistic, ecotourism, and other types of tourism, in bathing areas, and providing other touristic services, to organise their work and respect measures, in accordance with the Guide;
		Obligation of companies, other legal enteties, and enterpreneurs providing tourist services in bathing areas and beaches, to organise their work in the way that they:
		- at the entrance/exit of the bathing area/beach on the visible spot post a notification about the prescribed measures (position of the beach furniture, disinfection, maximum number of present guests at the same time etc.),
		- provide regular hygiene maintenace and desinfection of the beach furniture and equipment (sun chair, changing booths, shower cabins, toalets, props for children etc.), in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute,
		- at showers, taps and in toilets at the bathing area/beach necessarily place disinfectants, in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute,
		in the bathing area/beach provide marked spots for hygienic waste disposal,undertake other measures as well, in accordance with the Guide;
		- obligation of companies, i. e. legal enteties, and enterpreneurs providing services for renting of vehicles (rent-a-car), to complete disinfection of the interior of vehicles for rent with disinfectants prior to the entrance of users in the vehicle, as well as after the return of the vehicle from the users, in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute.
Healthcare	Work of the healthcare institutions to be	Dental healthcare institutions are obliged to organize their work s follows:
institutions and	organized with the	 provide a system of mandatory patient scheduling,
institutions of social and child protection	observance of separate measures. Obligation of employees in health care	 ensure that only one patient can stay in the waiting room on 10m² at a time, with observance of physical distance of at least 2m between the patients and with mandatory wearing of the face mask; provide hand sanitizers to patients when entering/leaving the dental practice
	institutions and institutions of social and	 ensure that all employees follow the work procedures and wear personal protective equipment, in

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	child protection, that the first working day after vacation, submit to their employers: - Negative PCR result on the novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2), issued by a registered laboratory and not older than 72 hours, or - Proof that they are completely vaccinated with the prescribed number of vaccine dosages against the novel coronavirus, issued by a registered health care institution	accordance with the recommendations of the Public Health Institute of Montenegro and Dental Chamber of Montenegro Other healthcare institutions are obliged to: - ensure that all patients during their stay inside the healthcare institutionwear the face masks (provided that clinical condition of a patient allows him/her to wear the mask and that the mask does not compromise the patient's respiratory function) and ensure observance of physical distance of at least 2m between the patients; - to prominently display, inside the healthcare institution, a notification of the temporary measures of prevention and suppressing of COVID-19 prescribed by this Order, - to provide hand sanitizers to patients at entrance/exit of the healthcare institution.
Education and culture	Organize the work of the education and culture institutions with observance of separate measures	Public and private institutions engaged in educational and school work in the areas of primary education, high school education, vocational education, education and trainings of persons with special needs and education of adults, in accordance with the recomendations of the Institute for health care protection of students and employees in primary and high schools, during the COVID – 19 pandemics, are obliged to: - provide that all eployees and students wear face masks covering nose and mouth, except if due to their health condition or individual development specifics are not able to wear a face mask or are able towear it only with certain limitations: a) during lessons and stay in these institutions, b) in the open space in front of these institutions, if it is not possible to provide mutual physical distance of at least 2 meters to - provide measuring of body temperature at the entrance of the institution, hand desinfection at the entrance/exit, as well as other measures for keeping personal hygiene of students and employees (hand washing etc.), - provide cleaning and disinfection of all rooms and open spaces in front of these institutions, objects and equipment used during education – school work, as well as ventilation of closed spaces, - appont persons responsible for control of prescribed measures, who have to wear labels on their clothes, clearly showing their duties. In public and private institutions, engaged in educational and school work, lessons last 30 minutes. Facilities in the field of culture which simultaneously visit more persons within the same space (theatres,

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		cinemas, museums, galleries, etc.) are possible to visit if a person has at least one out of four mentioned proofs from the National digital COVID certificate. Each institution is obliged to appoint a person responsible for control of the prescribed measures.
	Separate measures in transport and travel	 Passenger transport in public transport (bus and van) of passengers in road traffic (intercity, suburban, urban), railway transport and maritime transport is conducted with the implementation of prevention measures (wearing of face masks, disinfection of hands at entrance/exit from the vehicle, without a possibility of passengers standing in the vehicle/vessel); Taxi transport: The carrier is obliged to provide that passengers and the driver all wear face masks. The driver is obliged, after the ride is over, to disinfect the surfaces most commonly touched by passengers (door handles and interior doors and seats) with disinfectants; Civil servant and state employees working in the state authorities, state administration authorities, administrative authorities and servants and employees of the local self-government authorities are prohibited from travelling abroad, except in cases when the trip is of the state interest, with previously obtained consent of the head of authority. Organizing of all pupils' and students' excursions, visits, educational gatherings etc. abroad is prohibited. Organising of pupils' and students' excursions and visits within Montenegro for maximum 50 students is allowed. The organisor of pupils' and students' excursions and visits is obliged to appoint a person responsible for control of prescribed measures.
	Entry to Montenegro • Obligation of having the test does not refer to persons up to 18 years of age	Montenegrin citizens entering Montenegro from the Republic of Serbia, Republic of Kosovo, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Republic of Croatia and Republic of Albania, as well as citizens of these countries and foreigners with permanent or temporary residence in these countries or have stayed in these countries for at least 15 days prior to entering to Montenegro, can enter Montenegro without having proofs from the National digital certificate, observing health measures, in accordance with the health warning of the Institute of Public Health of Montenegro, until September 13, 2021. The health warning is available on all border crossings in Montenegro and is published on the webpage of the Ministry of Health and the Public Health Institute of Montenegro. Montenegrin citizens and foreigners can enter Montenegro across all border crossings with one of the proofs from National digital COVID certificate, which are: 1. Completely vaccinated with the prescribed number of dosages against the novel coronavirus prior to entering Montenegro, issued by a registered health care institution; 2. Negative PCR test on SARS-Cov-2 not older than 72 hours, issued by a registered laboratory

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		3. Positive PCR or a rapid antigen test on the novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2), issued by a registered laboratory, and is older than 10 days, and not older than 180 days since the date of issuing the test's result;
		4. Negative antigen rapid test-BAT, on the novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) not older than 48 hours, , issued by a registered laboratory
		The above mentioned persons can enter ports of Montenegro by vessels, having these proofs or a negative PCR test on the novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2), issued by a registered laboratory and not older than 72 hours while embarkink the vessel.
		If they do not have these proofs, these persons can enter Montenegro, and will be imposed the measure of quarantine or self-isolation in the duration of 10 days, where self-isolation implies staying at the family accommodation or other facility, with monitoring of the health condition of that person, as well as all members of his/her family household by a competent epidemiological service, in accordance with the Decision of the Sanitary Inspection
		These persons can have their self – isolation terminated after six days of quarantine/self isolation, with a negative PCR test on the novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2), issued by a registered laboratory.
		The obligation of having these proofs does not relate to persons younger than 18 years of age. Trade of good for the needs of Montenegro, as well as the transit of passengers and goods is done without interruptions.
		Within the agreement between the Government of Hungary and the Government of Montenegro official certificates on the vaccination against COVID-19 virus are mutually accepted and recognised. Persons who, due to their age, have not been vaccinated (younger than 18) could enter the territories of Montenegro and Hungary without the test and quarantine accompanied by their family memners who have a certificate on vaccination.
		Entry into Montenegro -special categories
		 In accordance with the recommendations of the European Commission, certain categories of persons necessary for the normal operation of vital jobs and services as well as of persons making an explicit economic interest shall be excluded from the above criteria; Health workers, health researchers and scientific workers; Persons carrying out or securing the transport of passengers and goods; Diplomats accredited in Montenegro, staff of international organizations, military staff and humanitarian aid workers in exercising of their positions;

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		 Certain categories of passengers in transit; Persons who need international protection or come to Montenegro from other humanitarian reasons (the principle of non-refoulement is observed). Foreign sailors in transit who embark or disembark in the ports of Bar, Budva, Kotor, Kumbor Port-Portonovi and Tivat (Jetty I and Jetty II), as well as foreigners steering the motor vehicles used in the trade of goods, with special measures of health supervision. Form of the health warning can be downloaded from the webpage: https://mzd.gov.me/ResourceManager/FileDownload.aspx?rid=422471&rType=2&file=Obavje%C5 %A1tenje%20-%20zdravstveno%20upozorenje%20IJZCG%2011.01.2021.pdf
		Mutual list of rapid antigen tests published by the European commission
Sports and recreation	Attendance of the audience on sport events outdoor or indoor is possible having one of the following elements of the National digital COVID certificate: 1. Completely vaccinated against	Obligation of sport organisations, owners and users of sport facilities, during sport competitions and sport tournaments, to: - Not allow the entrance of employees and fans to enter an open sport facility without a proof from the National digital COVID certificate, - Not allow the entrance of employees and fans to enter a closed sport facility without a proof from the National digital COVID certificate and prence not more than 100 fans, - Appoint a person who will control and be responsible for the observance of these measures.
	COVID-19 2. Negative PCR test on SARS-Cov-2 not older than 72 hours 3. Proof that a person has recovered from COVID-10 (passed not less than 10 days and not more than 180 days from a positive PCR or a rapid antigen test). 4. Negative antigen rapid test on SARS-	Obligation of companies and entrepreneurs who provide services in fitness centres and gyms to organise their work in such a way that: - only one person per 10m² of free space intended for exercising may stay in the facility at the time (space where there are no training devices and machines), with the observance of mutual distance of at least 2m between the customers; - provide means for hand disinfection of customers when entering/leaving the facility - employees wear a protective mask, except during active training/exercise - when changing the place of training and the training device the customers disinfect with adequate disinfectant the surface and the device where they had training; - at the entrance, clearly define the number of persons that can stay in a facility and a responsible person for controlling the observance of prescribed measures Organising of entartainment, sports and recreational activities for children and adults in the open public places (luna parks, carousels, group trainings etc.) is allowed, with the presence of maximum

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		Obligation of sport's organisations, owners and users of sport's facilities for trainings, sport's contests and tournaments of sportists in small indoor sport's facilities (sports balloons etc.), to organise them in accordance with the recommendations of the Institute. Recommendations of the Institute for Public Health of Monetnegro for work of sport facilities indoor and outdoor within application of measures for prevention of COVID-19, are available on the website: https://www.ijzcg.me/me/savjeti/covid-19 .
		Cyclists are not obliged to wear masks during an individual ride or joint ride of members of the same household. Cyclists in a group must wear face masks.
Civil engineering	Observance of separate measures in the civil engineering	Obligation of legal entities and natural persons carrying out civil engineering works, i.e. execution of individual works to organize their work in such a way that: - They provideobservance of epidemiological measures, especially observing the social distance between the employees and other measures of occupational health and safety; - Place on a visible place on the construction site the notification of the prescribed temporary
		 measures of prevention and suppressing a new coronavirus -COVID19; Ban to all employees carrying out construction works on the construction site to leave the construction site for the purposes of supplying groceries, etc. during the working hours; Deliver food to the employees executing construction works on the construction site; During the organized transportation of employees from and to the construction site (bus or van) to arrange the employees in a way that their physical distance is provided.

Recommendations

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Companies and	Remote work	State authorities, state administration authorities, local self-government authorities and local administration,

entrepreneurs		companies, public institutions and other legal entities, entrepreneurs and natural persons carrying out certain activities, to be enabled to do their work from home, then provide thesliding working hoursor otherwisereduce the communication of employees. This measure refers to the job positions where the work process allows that. Likewise, job positions in which activities can be carried out from home should be defined. Then identify persons who, due to their health status or other circumstances should not be exposed to the risk of the disease and allow them to do their jobs like that. Find the best means of communication between the employees doing their jobs from home and persons in their job positions, as well as the means of holding the meetings for the purposes of executing jobs within the framework of their competences and activities (by telephone, online, etc.)
Education and culture	Work of educational institutions	Recommendation to the Government of Montenegro is that a school lesson is limited to half an hour
Special recommendations	Recommendations related to the vaccination against COVID-19 infection	It is strongly recommended that employees in the field of education, health and social protection, public administration, police and military get vaccinated against COVID – 19 infection.
Personal/general recommendations	Recommendations for elderly-retired persons	Use morning hours for the food products supply, shopping and other activities requiring their stay in public spaces.

 $\underline{\text{NOTE}}\text{: Text highlighted in yellow indicates the change compared to the previous measures.}$