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## Rules for the maintenance of user operation at DESY with external users all external user have to provide a negative PCR test before starting the experiment at DESY

External users are persons who do not have a permanent workplace on the Bahrenfeld campus, but come to the campus in Hamburg Bahrenfeld for the purpose of participating in experiments both in the large DESY research infrastructures and in other laboratory experiments.

These rules for external users apply in addition to the general rules outlined in the DESY guidelines. Regulations established by the Federal Government and the Federal States have to be observed as well.

### For external users from abroad, the following regulations apply:

All travelers have to provide a proof of vaccination (with vaccine approved by the EU) or recovery, or a negative PCR (valid for 72 hrs) or antigen test (valid for 48 hrs).

For all travelers from a so-called risk area a registration is mandatory via this webpage:

<https://www.einreiseanmeldung.de>

The website gives additional information about requirements for individual countries.

Two types of risk areas are defined with different rules for DESY access. For definitions of risk areas and classifications of countries please consult:

[https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges\\_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete\\_neu.html](https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Risikogebiete_neu.html)

Please observe the following requirements for your travel and visit at DESY:

#### 1) High Incidence Risk Area

- registration of entry to Germany
- 10 days quarantine
- quarantine can be terminated as soon as a proof of vaccination/recovery is uploaded via:  
<https://www.einreiseanmeldung.de>
- quarantine can be terminated after the 5th day after uploading a negative PCR test
- **negative PCR test required for the participation in experiments at PETRA III, FLASH, DESY NanoLab or DESY Test Beam**
- no quarantine possible in the DESY Hostel, DESY Hostel available for the time after the quarantine
- Please, contact [door@desy.de](mailto:door@desy.de) if you need support and additional information

#### 2) Area of Variants of Concern (with high incidence of new mutants)

- NO VISIT TO DESY POSSIBLE!

**Quarantine cannot be completed in the DESY Hostel.**

TESTING: The first test must have been carried out in the 48 hours before entering Germany.

The second test can be carried out on the 5th day of self-isolation at the earliest. This test, too, must not be older than 48 hours at the time of submission.

For reasons of reliability, the PCR tests must have been carried out in a member state of the European Union or in a state with comparable quality standards. The states with comparable quality standards are published by the Robert Koch Institute at

[https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges\\_Coronavirus/Tests.html](https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Tests.html) (See website information for English version.)

For questions please contact the DESY Photon Science User Office via [door@desy.de](mailto:door@desy.de)

**for external users from countries which are not qualified as Risk Area and external users from Germany the following rules apply:**

1. These persons must have a negative PCR corona test<sup>1</sup>, the result of which must not be older than 48 hours before entering the campus for the first time<sup>2</sup>. For reasons of reliability, the test must have been carried out in a member state of the European Union or in a state with comparable quality standards. The states with comparable quality standards are published by the Robert Koch Institute at [https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges\\_Coronavirus/Tests.html](https://www.rki.de/DE/Content/InfAZ/N/Neuartiges_Coronavirus/Tests.html) (See website information for English version.) The test result must be carried along during the entire stay at DESY. For data protection reasons we would like to ask you not to send the test in advance by email. Presentation in the User Office while being at DESY is sufficient.
  2. All users register with the respective contact person (for PETRA III and FLASH: [DESY Photon Science User Office](#); for Test Beam: [Test Beam coordinators](#); for other experiments: respective DESY experiment management) before starting work.
  3. The DESY Photon Science User Office provides the users of FLASH and PETRA III with a routing slip on which the necessary data is listed. Like the corona test result, this document must be carried along at all times.
  4. The DESY Test Beam coordinators provide the users of the DESY Test Beam with a routing slip. Like the corona test result, this document must be carried along at all times.
- All user groups prepare a shift plan by name and post it at the experiment.

please note that at [PETRA III](#) not more than [six external users](#), at [FLASH](#) not more than [nine external users](#) are allowed for an experiment. Not more than two persons at PETRA III and three persons at FLASH should share a beamline hutch or lab at a time.

Violations of the regulations for external users or the general DESY Corona guidelines can be punished by exclusion from experimental operation.

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<sup>1</sup> So-called quick tests are not accepted by DESY.

<sup>2</sup> The costs for the test cannot be covered by DESY.