



SARS-COV 2 PCR Testing for Travel (via on-site; fast turnaround Bosch Vivalytic PCR Unit)

The global requirements for travel during the COVID-19 pandemic are rapidly changing. GP-Plus is not liable for any consequential costs incurred due to the outcome of your PCR test. **Please read the following information carefully:**

- 1. Different countries have different requirements for entry.** It is your responsibility to ensure that our Bosch PCR test will be sufficient for travel to/work in your destination. We are not a UKAS accredited laboratory. We chose not to pursue this any further. GP-Plus bears no responsibility for your travel requirements and is not liable for any costs incurred if you do not adequately fulfil the requirements for your travel.
- 2. GP-Plus is not responsible for the outcome of your test.** The result of your test may impact travel plans and you should be aware of this when booking your test. If, upon receipt of a positive PCR test, you need to reschedule travel plans, GP-Plus is not liable for these costs.

There are three possible outcomes for your PCR test:

Valid/negative – this means that your PCR test has come back **negative** and that you did not have SARS COV 2 when the swab was taken. We will provide you with a pdf and/or hard copy of your results and a ‘fit for travel’ certificate.

Invalid/failed – this means that there has been a problem with the swab and/or an error with the PCR-BOSCH Vivalytic machine. We will re-run your test free of charge. There is usually enough sample with the initial swab to do so. Sometimes you may be asked to come back to the clinic if more sample required to undertake this repeat.

Valid/positive – this means that your PCR test has come back **positive**. We will inform you of your result as soon as possible and you will need to self-isolate and follow national guidance. As per regulatory agreement in Scotland, we are then obliged to urgently send your residual test sample (or additional sample) to the local NHS Virology laboratory for confirmatory testing. GP Plus is responsible for these ‘confirmatory’ test costs.

- If the confirmatory test comes back positive, we will provide you with a pdf of your result. NHS track and trace will contact you separately. **GP-Plus is not liable for any costs incurred by rescheduled or cancelled travel plans.**
- In the highly unlikely event that the confirmatory test comes back negative, then we will provide you with the pdf and/or hard copy of your results and ‘fit for travel’ certificate as soon as possible. ‘False Positive’ Bosch PCR results can occur but they are very uncommon (less than 1 in 100).
- If you decide to cancel or reschedule any travel plans after receiving the initial positive result but before receiving the confirmatory result, then GP-Plus is also not liable for any costs incurred. Furthermore, if upon rescheduling your plans you require another separate test on a future date, you will be required to pay the full cost of that second/subsequent PCR test.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Print Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____