

Country/Region Arriving From	Requirement to Restrict Movements?	Requirement to Self-Isolate?	Travel Ban/Mandatory Test Pre-Travel?	Note
Northern Ireland	No – unless Note 1 below applies	No – unless Note 1 below applies		See Note 1 below.
United Kingdom (other than Northern Ireland) or South Africa		Yes – for 14 days (even if not displaying symptoms) and the individual must also arrange a Covid-19 test (see here)	The Government has introduced a travel moratorium/ban on travel from the United Kingdom (apart from Northern Ireland) and South Africa which remains in place until midnight 8 th January 2021. From 9 th January 2021, Government guidance requires that all passengers arriving at Irish airports and ports whose journey originates in Great Britain or South Africa will be requested to have evidence of a negative result from a pre-departure COVID-19 Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test (no longer than 72 hours prior to arrival in Ireland).	See Note 3 below.
European Union/European Economic Area countries designated as “Green”	No – unless Note 1 below applies	No – unless Note 1 below applies		See Notes 1, 2 and 3 below.
European Union/European Economic Area countries designated as “Orange”	Yes – for 14 days (even if not displaying symptoms) save where			See Notes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 below.

	Note 4 or Note 5 applies			
European Union/European Economic Area countries designated as "Red" or "Grey"	Yes – for 14 days (even if not displaying symptoms) save where Note 4 applies			See Notes 1, 2, 3 and 4 below.
Any other country	Yes – for 14 days (even if not displaying symptoms) save that Note 4 can apply to such individuals also			See Notes 1, 3 and 4 below.

Notes:

1. If an individual is a confirmed case of Covid-19, begins displaying [symptoms of Covid-19](#), is a close contact of a confirmed case or has otherwise been requested to restrict movements or self-isolate for a period of time, the measures applicable in those situations (see [here](#)) will supersede any of the above. For example, an individual who has arrived from Northern Ireland or a "green" region in the European Union who begins displaying symptoms of Covid-19 should self-isolate and phone a doctor for advice.
2. The current designation of European Union countries is published on the website of the European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control (ECDC) [here](#). **Please note that almost the entirety of the European Union is currently designated as "Red" under the ECDC's classification system.**
3. Guidance on what [restricting movements](#) and [self-isolation](#) entails (including the [distinction between self-isolation and restricting movements](#)) is available on the [website of the Health Service Executive](#).
4. Passengers arriving from an "orange" or "red" or "grey" region in the European Union/European Economic Area should restrict their movements for 14 days however, this period of restricted movement can end if you receive a negative/'not detected' result of a COVID-19 Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test that has been taken a minimum of five days after your arrival in Ireland. You should wait for your negative test result to be returned before ending the period of restricted movements.
5. Passengers arriving from an "orange" region in the European Union/European Economic Area, who have received a negative/'not detected' result from a COVID-19 Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test taken during the three days before arrival in Ireland are not required to restrict movements. Passengers are requested by the Government guidelines to have supporting evidence of the negative test in their possession.