**COVID-19 vaccination status**

**Website suggested text**

**The practice is not able to provide you with a letter that shows your COVID-19 vaccination status.**

From 17 May 2021, people in England who have been fully vaccinated against COVID-19 can demonstrate their vaccination status for international travel. A full course is currently two doses of any approved vaccine. Vaccine status will be available from:

* the [NHS App](https://www.nhs.uk/nhs-services/online-services/nhs-app/) which you can download from app stores
* the [NHS website](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/coronavirus-vaccination/vaccination-status-for-travelling-abroad/) (from 17 May 2021) – {please delete the date when using from Monday}

It may take more than a week for your identity to be checked and verified so you can use these services.

If you cannot access these online services, and you have had 2 vaccines, you can request a paper letter from the NHS by calling 119.

Only call 119 if you had your second dose more than 5 working days ago. It may take 7 working days for the letter to arrive.

When you're planning your travel, check the latest information on [demonstrating your COVID-19 status when travelling abroad](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/demonstrating-your-covid-19-vaccination-status-when-travelling-abroad) on the gov.uk website. Make sure there is time to get proof of your vaccination status before you leave.

**Telephone voicemail suggested wording**

GP practices cannot provide you with a COVID-19 vaccination status letter. You can get your status via the NHS App. Or you can call 119 and get your status five working days after you’ve had your second dose.

**Facebook and Twitter posts**

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| **Social media image** | **Suggested wording** |
|  | Please do not contact us for a vaccination status letter – we cannot issue them.If you need to prove your COVID-19 vaccination status please download the [#NHSApp](https://twitter.com/hashtag/nhsapp). More info at [nhs.uk/nhsapp](http://nhs.uk/nhsapp) and [www.gov.uk/guidance/demonstrating-your-covid-19-vaccination-status-when-travelling-abroad](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/demonstrating-your-covid-19-vaccination-status-when-travelling-abroad)Only call 119 if you had your second dose more than 5 working days ago. It may take 7 working days for the letter to arrive. |
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