

COVID-19

GREEN PASS AND EQUIVALENT CERTIFICATIONS

Equipollence of vaccine and recovery certifications issued by non-European countries

Concerning the acceptance of vaccine and recovery certifications issued by non-European countries identified by the Ministerial Decree of 29/07/2021 and subsequent regulatory provisions, for their use in the national territory, in accordance with the provisions of EU Recommendation no. 2021/816 of 20 May 2021, vaccination certificates must contain at least the following contents:

- *identification data of the holder (name, surname, date of birth);*
- *vaccine data (name and batch);*
- *date(s) of administration of the vaccine;*
- *identification data of the issuer of the certificate (State, Health Authority).*

Vaccination certificates, in digital or printable format, must be drawn up in at least one of the following languages:

- *Italian;*
- *English;*
- *French;*
- *Spanish.*

If the certificate is not issued in one of the four languages indicated, it must be accompanied by an official translation.

The validity of vaccine certificate is the same as the Green Pass ([EU digital COVID certificate](#)).

The accepted vaccines, authorized by EMA, are:

- *Comirnaty (Pfizer-BioNtech);*
- *Spikevax (Moderna);*
- *Vaxzevria (AstraZeneca);*
- *Janssen (Johnson & Johnson).*

The Certificate of Recovery must contain at least the following contents:

- *identification data of the holder (name, surname, date of birth);*
- *information on the holder's SARS-CoV-2 infection following a positive test (date of first positive swab);*
- *identification data of the issuer of the certificate (State, Health Authority).*

All certificates of recovery, in printable or digital format, must be accompanied by an official translation.

The validity of the recovery certificate is the same as the Green Pass ([EU digital COVID certificate](#)).

Translation of the Circular of the Italian Ministry of Health (30 July 2021) [LINK](#)