



Covid-19 Update

Islamic Republic of Iran
Coronavirus Disease 2019



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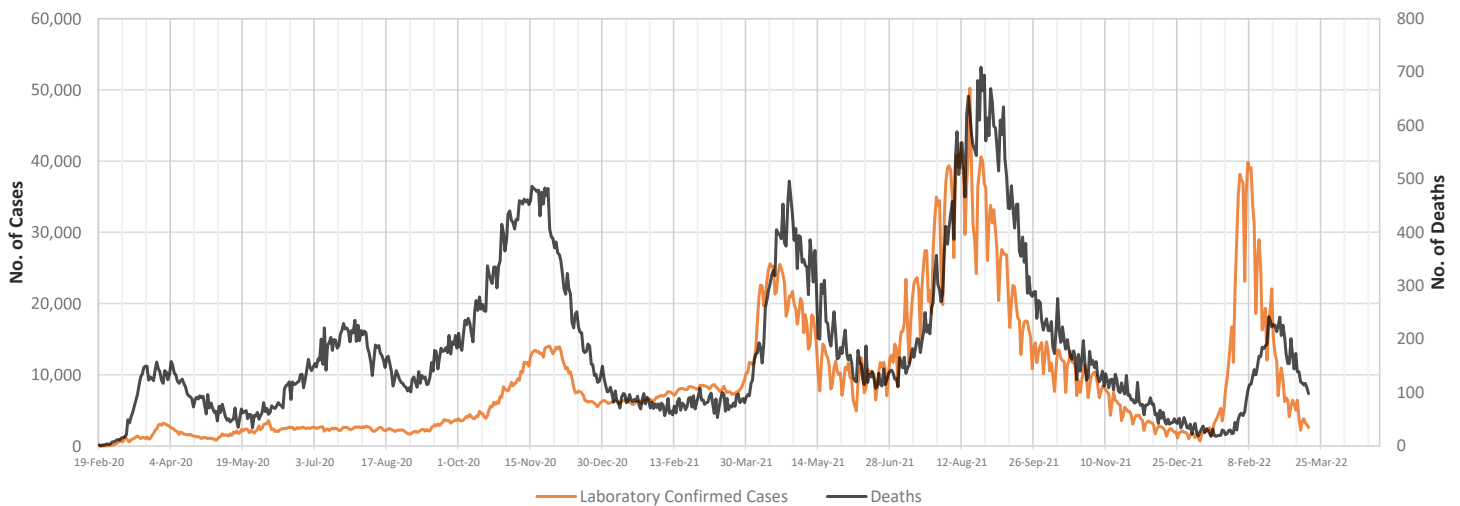
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|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| IRAN | New Lab Confirmed Cases | New Deaths | Total Lab Confirmed Cases | Total Recoveries | Total Deaths |
| | 2,580 ↓(-430) | 98 ↓(-11) | 7,135,719 | 6,805,081 | 139,387 |

Trend of COVID-19

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Figure 1 - Trend of COVID-19 Laboratory-Confirmed Cases and Deaths, 19 February 2020 - 17 March 2022



Number of cases admitted to ICU: 2,234 ↓(-126)

Figure 2 - COVID-19 Patients in Intensive Care, 26 March 2020 - 17 March 2022

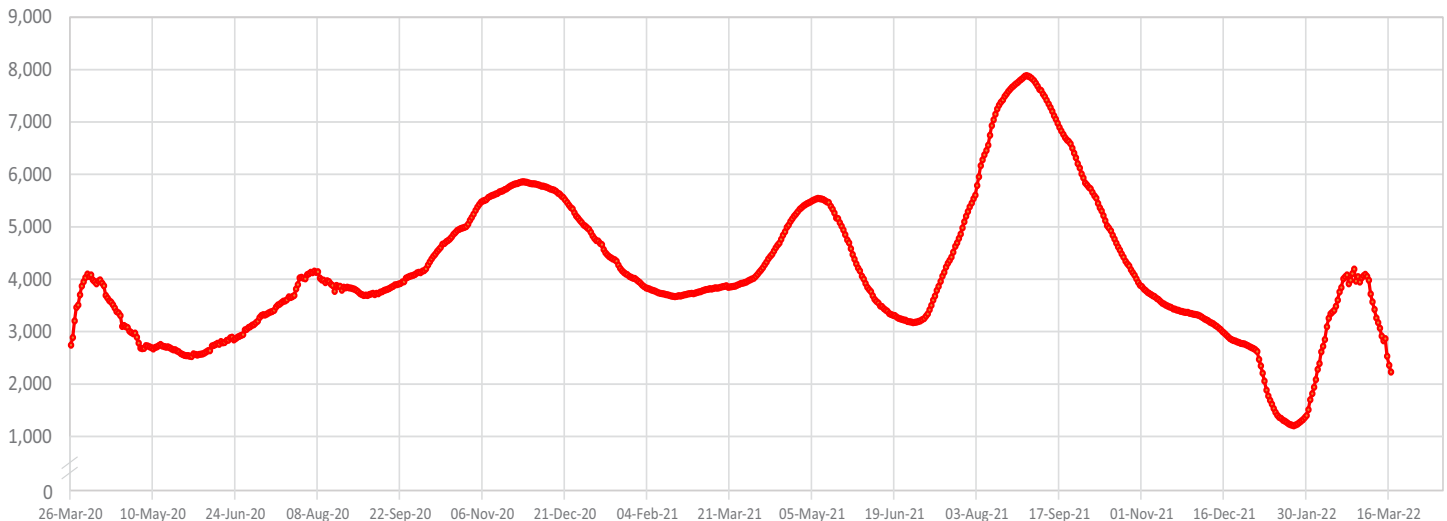
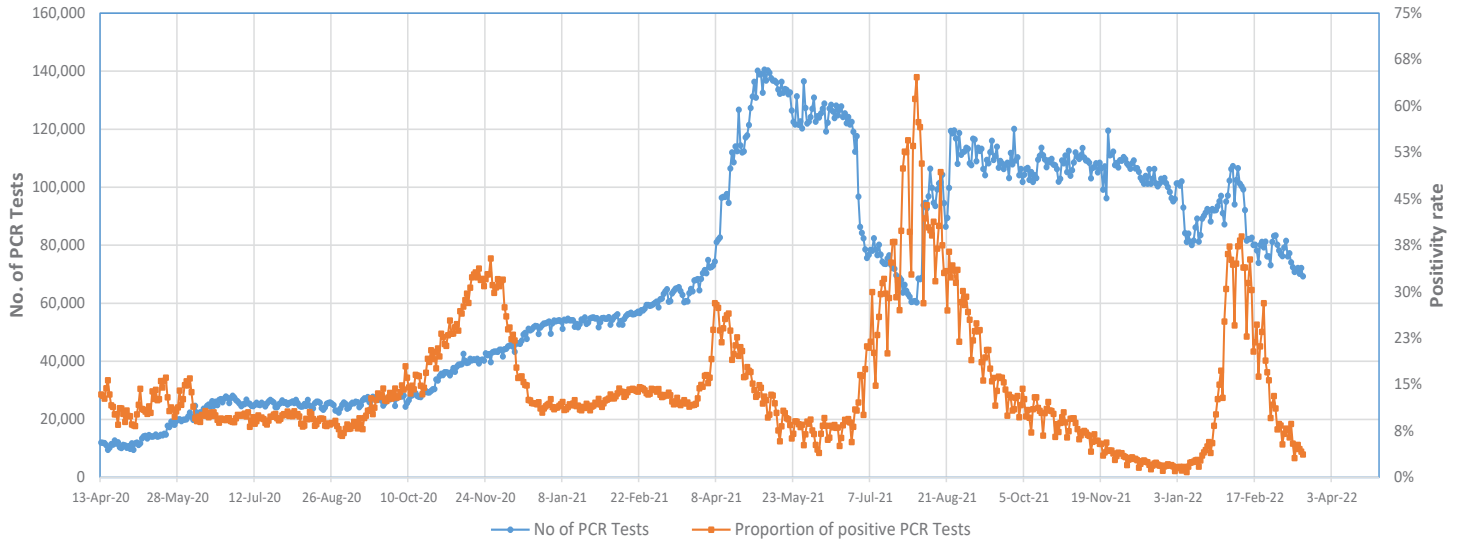


Figure 3 - Number of Daily COVID-19 PCR Tests and Percentage of Positive Cases, 13 April 2020 - 17 March 2022



The cumulative number of laboratory tests as of today is 48,534,882.

7-Day Moving Average of COVID-19 PCR Test at PHC Per 100,000 Population by Province

| Province | 04/03 | 05/03 | 06/03 | 07/03 | 08/03 | 09/03 | 10/03 | 11/03 | 12/03 | 13/03 | 14/03 | 15/03 | 16/03 | 17/03 |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Zanjan | 40 | 40 | 34 | 33 | 32 | 30 | 32 | 36 | 36 | 34 | 37 | 38 | 44 | 42 |
| Alborz | 24 | 24 | 22 | 24 | 22 | 20 | 22 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 19 | 22 | 24 |
| Khorasan-Razavi | 19 | 19 | 18 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 21 | 21 | 21 | 19 | 15 | 16 | 18 | 15 |
| Kohgiluyeh and Buyer Ahmad | 16 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 13 | 15 | 15 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 12 |
| Yazd | 26 | 26 | 21 | 19 | 20 | 18 | 20 | 17 | 17 | 11 | 14 | 13 | 12 | 11 |
| Ilam | 14 | 14 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 11 |
| Semnan | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 11 | 11 | 8 |
| Charmahal va Bakhtiari | 17 | 17 | 16 | 15 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 7 |
| Khuzestan | 7 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 |
| Kordestan | 10 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 4 |
| Khorasan-North | 8 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 4 |
| Azerbaijan-West | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 4 |
| Khorasan-South | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Lorestan | 9 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Fars | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Kermanshah | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Qom | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 |
| Tehran | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Markazi | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Sistan & Baluchestan | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Qazvin | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Kerman | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Hamedan | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Gilan | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Bushehr | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Golestan | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Esfahan | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Hormozgan | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Azerbaijan-East | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Ardebil | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Mazandaran | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Iran | 7 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 4 |

* Sources: **SIB** for 58 universities of medical sciences; **SINA** for Mashhad, Abadan, and Iran universities of medical sciences; **NAB** for Gorgan University of Medical Sciences; **PARSA** for Mazandaran University of Medical Sciences


Vaccination weekly Update

Update 13 March 2022

| Vaccine Name | Acquisition type | Doses received by Centers for Disease Control | Total administered doses | No. of doses administered as the 1st dose | No. of doses administered as the 2nd dose | No. of doses administered as the 3rd dose |
|------------------------|--------------------|---|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| Sputnik V | Bilateral | 4,089,600 | 1,370,449 | 707,322 | 597,343 | 65,784 |
| AstraZeneca | COVAX Allocation | 16,803,330 | 13,544,386 | 5,557,781 | 4,935,688 | 3,050,917 |
| | Bilateral | | | | | |
| Covaxine | Bilateral | 1,125,000 | 233,093 | 117,041 | 87,940 | 28,112 |
| Sinopharm (BBIBP-CORV) | Donation+Bilateral | 133,804,498 | 117,109,332 | 52,520,089 | 46,614,990 | 17,974,253 |
| | COVAX Allocation | | | | | |
| COVIran Barekat | Local | 12,624,397 | 8,904,951 | 3,872,727 | 3,557,548 | 1,474,676 |
| PastoCoVac | Local | 8,350,000 | 1,913,781 | 670,513 | 294,671 | 948,597 |
| SpikoGene | Local | 6,000,000 | 938,032 | 35,027 | 25,090 | 877,915 |
| Fakhravac | Local | 425,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Razi CovPars | Local | 4,777,800 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | | 187,999,625 | 144,014,024 | 63,480,500 | 56,113,270 | 24,420,254 |


Regional Update

Number of Confirmed Cases in Countries of the Region, 16 March 2022

| Country | New Cases | Total Cases | New Deaths | Total Deaths | CFR* | Total recovered | Total Tests |
|--------------|--------------|-------------------|------------|----------------|-------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Afghanistan | 172 | 176,743 | 5 | 7,651 | 4.3% | 159,234 | 907,896 |
| Bahrain | 1,196 | 541,184 | 0 | 1,464 | 0.3% | 528,300 | 9,523,578 |
| Djibouti | 4 | 15,572 | 0 | 189 | 1.2% | 15,376 | 291,328 |
| Egypt | NA | 495,373 | NA | 24,277 | 4.9% | 424,831 | 6,007,243 |
| Iran | 3,010 | 7,133,139 | 109 | 139,289 | 2.0% | 6,798,350 | 48,465,536 |
| Iraq | 632 | 2,314,575 | 7 | 25,116 | 1.1% | 2,269,781 | 18,189,734 |
| Jordan | NA | 1,680,179 | NA | 13,959 | 0.8% | 1,647,266 | 16,499,905 |
| Kuwait | 225 | 626,609 | 0 | 2,552 | 0.4% | 620,648 | 7,794,582 |
| Lebanon | 536 | 1,086,382 | 7 | 10,226 | 0.9% | 1,009,978 | 10,309,158 |
| Libya | 129 | 500,626 | 7 | 6,361 | 1.3% | 485,405 | 2,479,351 |
| Morocco | 52 | 1,162,288 | 2 | 16,048 | 1.4% | 1,145,572 | 11,183,027 |
| Palestinian | 312 | 654,380 | 6 | 5,628 | 0.9% | 645,097 | 3,329,278 |
| Oman | 180 | 387,009 | 0 | 4,250 | 1.1% | 380,095 | 1,986,264 |
| Pakistan | 493 | 1,520,120 | 4 | 30,317 | 2.0% | 1,472,291 | 26,998,115 |
| Qatar | 88 | 359,449 | 0 | 677 | 0.2% | 357,715 | 3,396,479 |
| Saudi Arabia | 127 | 749,171 | 2 | 9,023 | 1.2% | 731,440 | 41,304,165 |
| Somalia | NA | 26,410 | NA | 1,361 | 5.2% | 13,182 | 431,841 |
| Sudan | 60 | 61,775 | 14 | 4,888 | 7.9% | 30,928 | 475,025 |
| Syria | 29 | 55,460 | 2 | 3,120 | 5.6% | 50,352 | 159,791 |
| Tunisia | NA | 1,029,762 | NA | 28,065 | 2.7% | 983,630 | 4,475,031 |
| UAE | 318 | 886,301 | 0 | 2,302 | 0.3% | 852,991 | 143,496,216 |
| Yemen | 4 | 11,797 | 1 | 2,140 | 18.1% | 8,901 | 329,592 |
| Total | 7,567 | 21,474,304 | 166 | 338,903 | 1.6% | 20,631,363 | 358,033,135 |

*CFR: Case Fatality Rate; NA: Not Available



Important Updates

COVID-19 Risk Status for Iran's Provincial Capitals

| Province | Capital | 6/11 | 13/11 | 20/11 | 26/11 | 4/12 | 11/12 | 18/12 | 02/01 | 08/01 | 15/01 | 24/01 | 26/01 | 28/01 | 31/01 | 02/02 | 03/02 | 05/02 | 12/02 | 19/02 | 26/02 | 05/03 | 12/03 |
|--------------------------|--------------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Alborz | Karaj | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Ardabil | Ardabil | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Bushehr | Bushehr | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Chaharmahal & Bakhtiari | Shahrekord | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| East Azerbaijan | Tabriz | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Fars | Shiraz | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Golestan | Gorgan | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Guilan | Rasht | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Hamedan | Hamedan | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Hormozgan | Bandar Abbas | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Ilam | Ilam | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Isfahan | Isfahan | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Kerman | Kerman | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Kermanshah | Kermanshah | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Khuzestan | Ahvaz | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Kohgiluyeh & Boyer-Ahmad | Yasuj | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Kordestan | Sanandaj | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Lorestan | Khoram-Abad | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Markazi | Arak | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Mazandaran | Sari | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| North Khorasan | Bojnord | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Qazvin | Qazvin | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Qom | Qom | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Khorasan Razavi | Mashhad | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Semnan | Semnan | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Sistan and Baluchestan | Zahedan | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| South Khorasan | Birjand | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Tehran | Tehran | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| West Azerbaijan | Urmia | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Yazd | Yazd | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |
| Zanjan | Zanjan | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue | Blue |

If the number of admitted COVID-19 patients in a city is <2 per 100,000 populations per day, the status of that city will be **blue**; if the number is ≥2 and <4 per 100,000 populations, the status will be **yellow**; if the number is ≥4 and <6, the status will be **orange**; and if the number increases to ≥6, the status will be **red**.


Imposed National and Provincial Restrictions

As a patient-tracking measure, all citizens are required to be in possession of their national ID cards as a prerequisite to gain entry to government offices, receive public services, or use public transport. Technical Deputy of Ministry of Health Environmental and Occupational Health Center announced that

reception halls are allowed to operate in cities of blue and yellow status. The maximum number of participants allowable in a hall is 75 people in blue cities and 55 in yellow ones. However, in outdoor halls the maximum capacity may be twice these numbers. The maximum duration of events is 3 hours.

| Coronavirus-Related Restrictions | | | | |
|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Question | Low-risk cities | Alert level 1 Yellow cities/towns | Alert level 2 Orange cities/towns | Alert level 3 Red cities/towns |
| Which businesses are closed? | According to the statement by Iran's Chamber of Guilds , the closure of businesses is not relevant anymore. This is in line with the new scheme of "the smart management of COVID-19," which requires all business owners to get vaccinated and register at asnaf.moi.ir , along with observing health protocols, to get permission to operate. Public office employees should get fully vaccinated or provide a negative PCR test result every 2 weeks to be able to attend work. | | | |
| How many cities are included? (As of 12 March) | 9 | 154 | 186 (including Tehran) | 99 |
| Education restrictions | Daycare centers: NA Schools: onsite universities: onsite | | | |
| Social/cultural events | Allowable | Allowable | Not allowable | Not allowable |
| Travel restrictions | In general, there is no restriction on travel between provinces. (Fars News) Travel advisory for Nowrouz holidays: People can travel using their private vehicles provided they (as the owner of the car) have received two doses of COVID-19 vaccine AND have no current infection (requiring them to be in quarantine). | | | |


Imposed International Restrictions

Travelers are strongly recommended to visit governments' websites for updated information and more details regarding the international restrictions for entering the countries.

Restrictions on Iranian borders with neighboring countries

(Updated on 17 March 2022)

| International restrictions on cargo traffic and passenger air traffic from Iran to neighboring Countries | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|--|----------------------------|---|---|----------------------------|---|---|---|----------------------------------|--|---|--|
| Country | Cargo Traffic | Passenger Traffic | Visa On-arrival Facility | Vaccination Certificate | PCR Test | PCR Test Validation Period | Passenger Information Form | PCR test at airport | Quarantine | Covid-19 Health Insurance | Hotel Reservation | Required Mobile Application | Exemptions for Diplomats |
| Iraq | Allowed | Allowed | N/A | Required (in Basra and Najaf for above 18) | Required for above 10 | 72 hrs. | Not required | Passengers are subject to | Passengers Are subject to) | Not required | Not required | N/A | No exemption |
| Oman | Allowed | Allowed (They should register at https://covid19.emushrif.com before arrival) | Operational | Required At least 14 days before arrival (for above 18) | Not required | N/A | Not required | Passengers are subject to Within arrival or 24 hours later | Passengers could be subject to | Required (for at least 1 month) | Not required | Tarassud+ https://covid19.emushrif.com | No exemption |
| Kuwait | Allowed | Not Allowed | Suspended | Not required | Required for above 16 Vaccinated passengers are exempted | 72 hrs. | Required (If passengers do not have COVID-19 vaccination certificate) | Passengers above 6 are subject to 2 PCR test on their own expense (vaccinated passengers are exempted) | Passengers could be subject to 7 days | Not Required | Required For 7 days Vaccinated passengers are exempted | Shlonik/ Kuwait- Mosafer | No exemption |
| Qatar | Allowed | Allowed | operational | Required (at least 14 days before arrival) Or Antibody test | Required For above 12 | 48 hrs. | Required 3 days before arrival | Not required | Passengers could be subject to | Not required | Not required | Ehteraz | Do not need to register Passenger Information Form |
| Emirates | Allowed | Not Allowed | Operational For Abu Dhabi) | Required | Required for above 12 16 for Sharjah | 48 hrs. | Required | Passengers are subject to | Passengers are subject to until getting the test result | Required (for Dubai and Sharjah) | Not Required | COVID-19 DXB smart App (ALhosn App for sharjah) | No exemption |
| Turkmenistan | Only rail transportation | Not allowed | N/A | Required | Required with antibody test | 48 hrs. | Required | Passengers are subject to | Passengers are subject to 21 days | Not required | Not required | N/A | No exemption |
| Azerbaijan | Allowed | Allowed | N/A | Required for above 18 | Required for above 1 | 72 hrs. | Not required | N/A | N/A | Not required | Not required | N/A | No exemption |
| Armenia | Allowed | Allowed | Suspended | Required for above 7 | Required above 7 | 72 hrs. | Not required | Passengers without PCR test and Vaccination are subject to (and self-isolation until the result is ready) | Passengers could be subject to for 14 days | Not required | Not required | N/A | No exemption |
| Kazakhstan | Allowed | Allowed | Suspended | Not mandatory | Required For above 5 Vaccinated at most 6 months before passengers are exempted | 72 hrs. | Required | Passengers are subject to | Not subject to | Not required | Not required | N/A | Entrance exemption |
| Russia | Allowed | Allowed | Suspended | Not Required | Required | 48 hrs. | Required | N/A | N/A | Not required | Not required | Traveling without Covid-19 | No exemption |
| Afghanistan | Only transshipment | Not allowed (Passengers with a pre-approval letter from authorities can enter) | N/A | Not Required | Required for above 8 | 72 hrs. | Not required | N/A | N/A | Not required | Not required | N/A | No exemption |
| Pakistan | Allowed | Allowed | Suspended | Required (for above 18) | Required for above 12 Vaccinated passengers are exempted | 72 Hrs | Required (for above 12) | Passengers above 12 without PCR test could be subject to COVID-19 antigen rapid test | Passengers could be subject to Up to 10 days | Not required | Not required | Pass Track | No exemption |
| Turkey | Allowed | Allowed | Operational | Required (for above 12 years old at least 14 days before arrival) | Required for above 12 | 72 hrs. | Required (for above 6, 72 hours before arrival) | N/A | Passengers could be subject to 14 days (Vaccinated passengers exempted) | Not required | Not required | https://register.health.gov.tr | No exemption |
| Bahrain | Allowed | Not allowed | Operational | Required (for at least 14 days before arrival) | Not required | N/A | Not required | Passengers Above 6 are subject to (on their own expenses) | Passengers could be subject for 10 days | Not required | Not required | N/A | No exemption |

More updates on travel restrictions by IATA travel center at <https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/158026297.htm> and by global IOM portal tracking mobility restrictions at <http://migration.iom.int/>

Travel Restrictions Imposed by Iran

(Updated on 17 March 2022)

Highlights:

Currently the restrictions/requirements for incoming passengers based on countries are as follows:

| Categories | List of countries | Status | Exemptions |
|----------------------------|---|--|------------|
| High risk countries | Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Andorra, Antigua & Barbuda, Angola, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Barbados, Belarus, Belgium, Belize, Bhutan, Bolivia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Botswana, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Brunei, Cameroon, Canada, Central African Republic, Chad, Chili, Columbia, Comur, Cuba, Congo, Costa Rica, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Djibouti, Dominican, Egypt, Ecuador, Elsalvador, Ethiopia, Eritrea, Estonia, Eswatini, Fiji, Finland, France, Gabon, Gambia, Georgia, Ghana, Greece, Granada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Hungry, Iceland, India, Iraq, Ireland, Italy, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Korea, Kenya, Kosovo, Kuwait, Latvia, Laos, Lebanon, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Lichtenstein, Lithuania, Luxemburg, Malaysia, Mauritius, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Maldives, Malta, Mauritania, Mexico, Moldova, Monaco, Mongolia, Montenegro, Morocco, Myanmar, Nicaragua, Mozambique, Namibia, Nepal, Netherland, Niger, Nigeria, North Ireland, North Korea, North Macedonia, Norway, Panama, New Guinea, Oman, Pakistan, Paluo, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Philippine, Poland, Portugal, Qatar, Romania, Russian Federation, Rwanda, Saint Luis, Saint Marino, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, South Sudan, Spain, Sudan, Surinam, Suleiman Islands, St Lucia, Sweden, Switzerland, Syrian Arab Republic, Tajikistan, Tanzania, Togo, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Thailand, Turkmenistan, Uganda, United Arab Emirates, UK, Ukraine, United States of America, Uruguay, Uzbekistan, Venezuela, Vietnam, Yemen, Zambia, Zimbabwe | PCR Test for at most 72 hours before, for more than 12 years old Could be subject to test upon departure Could be subject to quarantine (at their own expense, in Hotel quarantine) Vaccination Certificate is mandatory for above 12 at least 14 days and at most 9 months ago And passengers should have booster dose. | N/A |
| Ordinary countries | Other countries | Passengers above 12 years must have a negative COVID-19 RT-PCR test taken at most 72 hours before departure from the first embarkation point or a certificate in English showing that they are fully vaccinated at least 14 days and at most 9 months ago. | N/A |

General restrictions:

Except the excluded passengers, all arriving passengers must have negative PCR test result issued at most 72 hours prior to their travel to travel to Iran regardless of duration of stay overseas along with the official proof of vaccination. The test result must be in English or stamped and confirmed by Iranian consulates. Passengers without negative test result are not allowed to enter Iran. If the international traveler is arriving from the high-risk countries (list is annexed), at least 14 days must have been passed from the second dose of vaccination. In addition, if airport authorities diagnose passengers with COVID-19 symptoms, another PCR test will be taken at the airport.

Passengers above 12 must have a vaccination certificate showing that they are fully vaccinated at least 14 days and at most 9 months ago. After this time, they should have a booster dose.

Passengers with a medical certificate issued longer than 72 hours before travel are subject to medical screening, Coronavirus (COVID-19) PCR test and quarantine upon arrival, at their own expense.

E-visas can be obtained before departure at http://e_visa.mfa.ir/en/.

All arriving passengers would be subject to medical screening and clinical assessment and in case of showing symptoms would be tested again. The passenger will be quarantined in assigned

locations until receiving the test result and in case of positive test result, the passenger will be accommodated in assigned quarantine locations for 14 days. Passenger shall incur costs for the test and accommodation. (IKIA Information Center)

All arriving passengers are required to fill out “COVID-19 Self Declaration Form” before arrival provided by the airline operators prior or during the flights and hand over the completed forms to the Airlines’ agents. The form can be obtained at <https://tinyurl.com/2amxzs3u> / https://www.cao.ir/documents/219856/3404103/self-declaration_COVID-19+%28EN%29.pdf/f355a315-4a69-46b8-b25b-9134d5bb4f05.

Iranian citizens without full vaccination certificate, no PCR in hand will be in temporary quarantine until the PCR test is ready. All Iranians coming from VOC countries need 14 days’ quarantine and 3 PCR test during the period.

Wearing masks at all passenger terminals of Iran airports is mandatory.

Passengers are strongly advised to cross check with their air operators on the latest prerequisites and required documentations regarding negative COVID-19 test result or health certificate. Imam Khomeini International Airport (IKIA) office can be reached at +9821 5100 111 regarding the issues related to health regulations both for incoming and outgoing flights.

International Airlines
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| Airline | Flight No | Rout | Weekdays | Remarks | Contact Information |
|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|------------------------|---|--|
| Qatar Airways | QR490 | Doha-Tehran | Daily | Regular flights for passenger transit | Qatarairways.com +982175925 |
| | QR498 | | Daily | | |
| | QR482 | | Sa, Su, Mo, We, Th, Fr | | |
| | QR491 | Tehran-Doha | Daily | | |
| | QR499 | | Daily | | |
| | QR483 | | Sa, Su, We, Th, Fr | | |
| | QR492 | Doha-Mashhad | Sa, Su, Mo, Th, Fr | | |
| | QR493 | Mashhad-Doha | Sa, Su, Mo, We, Th, Fr | | |
| | QR470 | Doha-Isfahan | We, Fr | | |
| | QR471 | Isfahan-Doha | We, Fr | | |
| | QR476 | Doha-Shiraz | Daily | | |
| QR477 | Shiraz-Doha | Daily | | | |
| Emirates | EK977 | Dubai-Tehran | Sa, Su, Mo, Tu, We, Fr | Regular flights | Emirates.com +97142144444 |
| | EK978 | Tehran-Dubai | Sa, Su, Mo, Tu, We, Fr | | |
| | EK979 | Dubai-Tehran | We, Fri, Tu | | |
| | EK980 | Tehran-Dubai | We, Fri, Tu | | |
| | EK2302 | Dubai-Tehran | Daily | | |
| | EK2303 | Tehran-Dubai | Daily | | |
| | EK2490 | Dubai-Tehran | Daily | | |
| | EK2491 | Tehran-Dubai | Daily | | |
| Turkish Airlines | TK874 | Istanbul-Tehran | Daily | Regular flights | TurkishAirlines.com +982123546 |
| | TK878 | | Sa, Su, Mo, We, Th, Fr | | |
| | TK7688 | | Daily | | |
| | TK875 | Tehran-Istanbul | Daily | | |
| | TK879 | | Daily | | |
| | TK7689 | | Daily | | |
| | TK7880 | Ankara-Tehran | We, Fr, Su, Mo, Sa | | |
| | TK7881 | Tehran-Ankara | Mo, Th, Sa | | |
| | TK7726 | Izmir-Tehran | Sa, Su, Th, We | | |
| | TK7727 | Tehran- Izmir | Su, Mo,Th, Fr | | |
| | TK882 | Istanbul-Tabriz | Daily | | |
| | TK883 | Tabriz- Istanbul | Daily | | |
| | TK892 | Istanbul-Isfahan | Daily | | |
| | TK893 | Isfahan-Istanbul | Sa, Su, Mo,We, Th | | |
| | TK888 | Istanbul-Mashhad | Daily | | |
| TK889 | Mashhad-Istanbul | Daily | | | |
| TK884 | Istanbul-Shiraz | Sa, Su, Tu, We, Fr | | | |
| TK885 | Shiraz-Istanbul | Sa, Su, Mo, We, Th | | | |
| Lufthansa Airlines | LH601 | Tehran-Frankfurt | Daily | Regular flights | lufthansa.com +982183388 |
| | LH600 | Frankfurt-Tehran | Daily | | |
| Austrian | OS871 | Vienna-Tehran | Su, Mo, We, Th, Fr | Regular flights | austrian.com +982183388 |
| | OS872 | Tehran-Vienna | Sa, Mo, Tu, Th, Fr | | |
| Fly Dubai Airline | FZ253 | Dubai-Mashhad | Sa, Su, Tu, Th | Regular flights | Flydubai.com +982191008282 |
| | FZ254 | Mashhad-Dubai | Sa, Su, Tu, Th | | |
| | FZ271 | Dubai-Shiraz | Sa, Tu, We, Th | | |
| | FZ272 | Shiraz-Dubai | Sa, Tu, We,Th | | |
| | FZ257 | Dubai-Bandar abas | Sa, Su, Mo, We, Fr | | |
| | FZ258 | Bandar abas-Dubai | Sa, Su, Mo, We, Fr | | |
| | FZ273 | Dubai-Isfahan | Sa, Tu | | |
| | FZ274 | Isfahan-Dubai | Sa, Tu | | |
| | FZ267 | Dubai-Lar | Sa, Tu | | |
| FZ268 | Lar-Dubai | Sa, Tu | | | |
| Aeroflot Airline | SU512 | Moscow-Tehran | Su, We | Conditional flights for special permit holders and returning nationals and residents to their countries | Aeroflot.com +982188639516 |
| | SU513 | Tehran-Moscow | Su, Th | | |
| Armenia Airways | 6A221 | Yerevan-Tehran | Sa, Su, Tu, We, Fr | Regular flights | Armeniaairways.am +982188365628 |
| | 6A222 | Tehran-Yerevan | Sa, Su, Tu, We, Fr | | |
| | 6A111 | Yerevan-Tabriz | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | 6A112 | Tabriz-Yerevan | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| Pegasus Airlines | PC512 | Istanbul-Tehran | Sa, Su, Mo, Tu, Th, Fr | Regular flights | flypgs.com +982126407530 |
| | PC513 | Tehran-Istanbul | Daily | | |
| | PC1736 | Ankara-Tehran | Sa, Tu, Th | | |
| | PC1737 | Tehran-Ankara | Su, We, Fr | | |
| ChamWings Airlines | 6Q561 | Damascus-Tehran | Sa, Tu | Regular flights | chamwings.com +982188476799 |
| | 6Q562 | Tehran-Damascus | Sa, Tu | | |
| Salam Air | OMS556 | Shiraz -Muscat | Su, We, Fr | Conditional flights for special permit holders and returning nationals and residents to their countries | salamair.com +982188746383 |
| | OMS555 | Muscat-Shiraz | Su, We, Fr | | |

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| Airline | Flight No | Rout | Weekdays | Remarks | Contact Information |
|--------------|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---|---|
| Iran Air | IR718 | Istanbul-Tehran | Su, We, Tu, Th, Fr, Sa | Regular flights | IranAir.com +98 21 46621888 |
| | IR719 | Tehran- Istanbul | Su, We, Tu, Th, Fr, Sa | | |
| | IR714 | Ankara-Tehran | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | IR715 | Tehran-Ankara | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | IR659 | Dubai- Shiraz | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | IR658 | Shiraz-Dubai | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | IR689 | Dubai-Lar | Su, We | | |
| | IR688 | Lar-Dubai | Su, We | | |
| | IR660 | Beirut-Tehran | We, Mo | | |
| | IR661 | Tehran- Beirut | We, Mo | | |
| | IR750 | Milan-Tehran | Tu | | |
| | IR751 | Tehran- Milan | Tu | | |
| | IR720 | Frankfurt-Tehran | Sa, We | | |
| | IR721 | Tehran- Frankfurt | Sa, We | | |
| | IR728 | Cologne-Tehran | Fr | | |
| | IR729 | Tehran- Cologne | Fr | | |
| | IR722 | Homburg-Tehran | Mo | | |
| | IR723 | Tehran- Homburg | Mo | | |
| | IR716 | Vienna-Tehran | Sa | | |
| | IR717 | Tehran- Vienna | Sa | | |
| IR710 | London-Tehran | Su, Tu, We, Th | | | |
| IR711 | Tehran- London | Su, Tu, We Th | | | |
| IR732 | Paris-Tehran | Fr | | | |
| IR733 | Tehran-Paris | Fr | | | |
| IR813 | Karachi-Tehran | Th, Fr | Regular flights | | |
| IR812 | Tehran-Karachi | Th | | | |
| Mahan Air | W5060 | Dubai-Tehran | Daily | Regular flights | Mahan.aero +98 21 48384838 |
| | W5061 | Tehran-Dubai | Daily | | |
| | W5113 | Istanbul-Tehran | Daily | | |
| | W5115 | Istanbul-Tehran | Daily | | |
| | W5112 | Tehran-Istanbul | Daily | | |
| | W5114 | Tehran-Istanbul | Daily | | |
| | W5080 | Guangzhou-Tehran | Sa, Su, Mo, Tu, Th, Fr | | |
| | W5081 | Tehran- Guangzhou | Sa, Su, Mo, Tu, Th, Fr | | |
| | W5119 | Ankara-Tehran | Su, We | | |
| | W5118 | Tehran- Ankara | Su, We | | |
| | W55057 | Sulaymaniyah-Tehran | Su, We, Fr | | |
| | W55058 | Tehran-Sulaymaniyah | Su, We, Fr | | |
| | W55059 | Erbil-Tehran | Su, Tu, Fr | | |
| | W55060 | Tehran- Erbil | Su, Tu, Fr | | |
| | W51102 | Kabul-Tehran | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | W51101 | Tehran-Kabul | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | W5085 | Moscow-Tehran | Th | | |
| | W5084 | Tehran-Moscow | Th | | |
| | W5050 | Bangkok-Tehran | We, Th | | |
| | W5051 | Tehran-Bangkok | Tu, We | | |
| W5086 | Shenzhen-Tehran | Su, Mo, Th | | | |
| W5087 | Tehran-Shenzhen | Su, We, Sa | | | |
| W5076 | Shanghai-Tehran | Sa, Mo, Tu, We, Th, Fr | | | |
| W5077 | Tehran-Shanghai | Su, Mo, Tu, We, Th, Fr | | | |
| W5082 | Kuala Lumpur -Tehran | Sa | | | |
| W5083 | Tehran- Kuala Lumpur | Fr | | | |
| Qeshm Air | QB2213 | Tehran- Istanbul | Daily | All flights are regular | qeshm-air.com +9821479999 |
| | QB2212 | Istanbul-Tehran | Daily | | |
| | QB2200 | Qeshm-Dubai | Mo, Th, Sa | | |
| | QB2201 | Dubai-Qeshm | Mo, Th, Sa | | |
| | QB2210 | Tehran-Dubai | Su, Mo, Tu, We, Th, Fr | | |
| | QB2211 | Dubai-Tehran | Su, Mo, Tu, We, Th, Fr | | |
| | QB2204 | Shiraz-Dubai | Su, We | | |
| | QB2205 | Dubai- Shiraz | Su, We | | |
| | QB2202 | Lar-Dubai | Fr, Tu | | |
| | QB2203 | Dubai- Lar | Fr, Tu | | |
| | QB2216 | Najaf-Tehran | Sa, Su, Mo, Th, Fr | | |
| | QB2217 | Tehran-Najaf | Daily | | |
| | QB2296 | Najaf-Mashhad | Daily | | |
| QB2297 | Mashhad -Najaf | Daily | | | |
| Iran Airtour | B99700 | Tehran- Istanbul | Sa, Su, Mo, Tu, Th, Fr | Regular flights | iranairtour.ir +982189317704 |
| | B99701 | Istanbul-Tehran | Su, Mo, We, Fr | | |
| | B99721 | Dubai-Tehran | Mo, Fr | | |
| | B99720 | Tehran-Dubai | Mo, Fr | | |
| | B99709 | Tabriz- Istanbul | Su, We, Fr | | |
| Taban Air | B99708 | Istanbul-Tabriz | Su, We, Fr | Conditional flights for special permit holders and returning nationals and residents to their countries | taban.aero +98214854 |
| | TBN7215 | Tehran-Muscat | Su, Mo | | |
| | TBN7216 | Muscat-Tehran | Su | | |
| | TBN7217 | Shiraz-Muscat | No Fixed Itinerary | | |
| | TBN7218 | Muscat- Shiraz | No Fixed Itinerary | | |

Other national airlines including Aseman, Vares Airlines, Meraj, Ata, Sepehran and Kish Air operate extra ordinary flights to neighboring countries, mainly to Istanbul and Dubai.

Available Cargo Services

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| Airline | Available Cargo Services | Contact Information |
|------------------|---|---|
| Qatar Airways | Chartered flights during the week for cargo services Qatar Airways daily passenger flights also accept cargo | qrcargo.com +982155678368 +9821-75 925 |
| Turkish Airlines | Chartered flights during the week for cargo services. Turkish Airways daily passenger flights also accept cargo | turkishcargo.com +982188890919 |
| Emirates | All daily passenger flights accept cargo Cargo flights for specific destinations in China, Hong Kong and Frankfurt are available | skycargo.com +982155678210 |
| Qeshm Airline | All daily passenger flights accept cargo. | qeshm-air.com/cargo +982155678355 +9821-47991429 |
| Mahan Air | Cargo service is currently available for specific destinations in China, Kuala Lumpur, Istanbul, Moscow, Delhi, Beirut, and Dubai | mahan-cargo.com +982155678215 |
| Iran Air | All Passenger flights accept cargo services | +982151005197 |

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WHO website on coronavirus:
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>
WHO online training:
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/training/online-training>
WHO COVID-19 Situation reports:
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/situation-reports>
New EPI-WIN website:

Access to timely, accurate, and easy-to-understand advice and information from trusted sources

www.who.int/epi-win
Web link to Farsi translations of WHO public awareness raising materials for COVID-19:
<https://www.who.int/ar/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019-farsi/advice-for-public-farsi/>
Protect yourself and others
<http://www.emro.who.int/health-topics/corona-virus/protect-yourself-and-others.html>
Myth busters
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/advice-for-public/myth-busters>
Travel health
<https://www.who.int/news-room/articles-detail/key-considerations-for-repatriation-and-quarantine-of-travellers-in-relation-to-the-outbreak-of-novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov>
Videos
<http://www.emro.who.int/health-topics/corona-virus/videos.html>
Questions and answers
<http://www.emro.who.int/health-topics/corona-virus/questions-and-answers.html>
Technical guidance
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/technical-guidance>
HIV and COVID-19
https://www.unaids.org/en/resources/documents/2020/HIV_COVID-19_brochure
WHO Database of Publications on Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)
<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019/global-research-on-novel-coronavirus-2019-ncov>
Worldometers Information on COVID-19 cases:
<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/>
WHO COVID-19 Updates:
<https://covid19.who.int>
COVID-19 Health System Response Monitor
<https://www.covid19healthsystem.org/mainpage.aspx>
WHO Iran Country Office COVID-19 Daily Updates Archive:
<http://www.emro.who.int/iran/information-resources/index.html>
WHO Iran Instagram
<https://www.instagram.com/whoiran/>
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