

Frequently Asked Questions on Updated Test Regime

General Information

1. How do I check on my workers' vaccination status and Rostered Routine Testing (RRT) exemption status?

Ans: For recovered workers who are fully vaccinated before 15 January 2022, the message 'Exempted from ART' will be shown on FWMOMCare or '[PCR] Exempted from Rostered Routine Testing (RRT)' will be shown on SGWorkPass mobile applications, and Safe@Work, Safe@Dorm eServices from 20 January 2022. Recovered workers who are only fully vaccinated after 14 January 2022 will not have the message displayed on their applications and eServices and are not exempted from RRT till further notice.

2. My worker has to administer an ART test because his roommate tested positive on his ART and he received a Health Risk Warning (HRW) from Ministry of Health (MOH). What can he do?

Ans: If your worker receives a HRW issued from MOH, please get your worker to collect additional ART kits required for the duration of their HRW from the vending machines. For workers staying in dormitories, please collect at the migrant workers' recreation centres. For workers not staying in dorms, please collect at selected venues found at <https://www.gowhere.gov.sg/art>. They should bring along their FIN cards with a barcode, as they will need to scan it at the vending machine.

3. How do I know if my worker is a recovered worker?

Ans: A recovered worker is someone who has been infected with COVID-19 previously, which means he has tested PCR positive previously, tested Serology (Anti-N) positive or had a positive ART test with COVID-19 symptoms. Workers who were tested positive only on their ART previously and did not have any COVID-19 symptoms are not considered as recovered workers. They are still required to go for RRT.

4. How do I know if my workers are fully vaccinated and recovered from COVID-19?

Table 1: Fully Vaccinated COVID-19 Recovered Workers

Vaccine Type (PSAR / WHO-EUL)	Criteria to be considered as Fully Vaccinated COVID-19 Recovered Workers
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pfizer-BioNTech/Comirnaty - Moderna or - Vaccines listed on the World Health Organisation's Emergency Use Listing (WHO EUL) 	<p>Either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recovered from a COVID-19 infection and subsequently receives at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccination at least 3 months after date of positive polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test. <p>Or:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fully vaccinated with two doses, before being infected with COVID-19 and subsequently recovering from it. Persons who received one dose of the vaccination before being infected would need to receive their 2nd dose to be considered as fully vaccinated.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sinovac-CoronaVac - Sinopharm 	<p>Either:</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recovered from a COVID-19 infection and subsequently receives at least two doses of the COVID-19 vaccination at least 3 months after the date of PCR test <p>Or:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fully vaccinated with three doses, before being infected with COVID-19 and subsequently recovering from it. Persons who received two doses of the vaccination before being infected would need to receive a third dose of either Sinovac/Sinopharm or mRNA vaccines to be considered as fully vaccinated.
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5. If my workers are exempted from RRT, will they be exempted from public health measures as well?

Ans: Workers who are exempted from RRT are exempted from Health Risk Warning and do not need to undergo Health Protocol 2¹ or Antigen Rapid Test (ART) positive management protocol (for those residing in dormitories) if tested positive for ART but asymptomatic.

6. Can my worker who missed the FET RRT go to the Quick Test Centres for ART RRT if he misses his FET-RRT and show the SMS for entry to workplaces?

Ans: Workers who are on the RRT regime will not be allowed into QTCs to do their ART. They are advised to adhere to perform their ART and upload the results according to their swab schedule to prevent any work disruptions.

7. From 15 Jan 2022, are my unvaccinated or partially vaccinated recovered workers (within 180 days from date of infection or beyond 180 days) allowed to enter workplaces with FET-RRT or do they need to do PET?

Ans: From 15 Jan, all unvaccinated or partially vaccinated recovered workers within 180 days from date of infection will be allowed to enter the workplace if compliant with their RRT cycle. Unvaccinated recovered workers >180 days are not allowed to enter the workplace from 15 Jan onwards unless fully vaccinated.

8. My recovered workers will only be fully vaccinated after 14 January 2022. Will my workers still be exempted from RRT?

Ans: Recovered workers who are only fully vaccinated after 14 January 2022 will not be exempted from RRT till further notice.

9. Can my worker who is medically ineligible (MI) for vaccines continue to enter the workplace from 1 Feb 2022? What are the tests the MI worker need to perform to be allowed to enter the workplace?

Ans: Workers who are certified to be medically ineligible can continue to enter the workplace. They are required to undergo the respective RRT stated below.

¹ [Health Protocol 2](#): For those who are well and tested positive on their ART, they should self-isolate at home for the next 72 hours. After 72 hours, they can re-test and if negative, they may exit isolation and resume normal activities. If they become unwell at any time, they should see a doctor.

Worker groups	RRT Requirement
MI workers residing in dormitories	Need to undergo RRT: Employer-supervised ART every 3 days
MI workers entering the Construction and non border facing Process worksites and not residing in dormitories	Need to undergo RRT: Employer-supervised ART every 7 days
MI workers entering the border facing Marine and Process worksites and not residing in dormitories	Need to undergo RRT: Employer-supervised ART every 3 days