

Hungarian COVID rules

A statement was issued on 31st August by the Hungarian Government that the borders of Hungary are closed as of 1st September. However, some exceptions were made, please find below a citation of the statement, that is only a part of the whole regulation, valid for non-Hungarian citizens intending to participate at an international competition in Hungary.

Provisions concerning non-Hungarian citizens

The Provision states that in passenger traffic non-Hungarian citizens cannot enter the territory of Hungary unless exception is determined by law or government regulation.

Such exceptional case is when the person in question intends to travel to Hungary in order to participate at a sports/cultural/ecclesiastic international event of paramount importance. A non-Hungarian citizen, who

- a) is a participant – not a spectator – of an international sports event held in Hungary,
- b) possesses an invitation letter (addressed to his/her name) issued by the official organizer of the international sports event held in Hungary,
- c) arrives by the invitation of a Hungarian sports organization or a national sports federation and
 - ca) is a competitor who has a competition license,
 - cb) is a sports professional,
 - cc) is a person taking part in the implementation of the sports event can

enter the territory of Hungary if he/she has one negative (at the time of taking the test the test could not identify the CoV-2 coronavirus in his/her system) SARS-CoV-2 PCR test that were taken maximum three days prior the entrance and he/she can certify it with a document in Hungarian or English.