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2022 New Year's Greeting from Consul General Muto

The Consulate General of Japan in Los Angeles would like to wish all a Happy New Year 2022!



Guidance on Japan's Border Control Measures Related to COVID-19 (as of Jan. 4)

The Government of Japan has implemented multi-layer border control measures in order to mitigate the spread of COVID-19. Foreign nationals arriving from

the US or other designated nations/regions will be denied entry into Japan unless there are "[Exceptional Circumstances](#)." Effective Dec. 30, 2021, [all cross-border travelers from the State of California into Japan are requested to stay for 6 days and the State of Arizona for 3 days at specific facilities designated by the chief of the quarantine station](#). Those who obtain a negative result of COVID-19 test conducted on the third day and sixth day from the entry into Japan, may leave the facility and are still required to stay for the remaining period of 14 days after the entry of Japan at places such as their own residence.

COVID-19 Situation in Japan

(As of Jan 4, 2022)

	Total No. of COVID-19 Cases	Total No. of Deaths	% of Population Fully Vaccinated
Japan	1,733,901 (1,372 per 100,000 people)	18,392	78.74%
The U.S.	56,189,547 (17,100 per 100,000 people)	827,748	62.70%

Source: Coronavirus Resource Center, Johns Hopkins University & Medicine

Latest on COVID-19 in Japan: Vaccinations Up

In Japan, over 201 million doses of COVID-19 vaccines have been administered to date to the general public as of Jan. 4, 2022 with 78.74% of the population now fully vaccinated. As of Jan. 4, the total number of COVID-19 cases stood at 1,733,901 in Japan, and 56,189,547 in the United States, according to the Coronavirus Resource Center, Johns Hopkins University & Medicine.



Looking for something entertaining or informative about Japan? Look no further, the [Consulate General of Japan in Los Angeles' events calendar](#) includes information about virtual events related to Japan, as well as links to virtual museums.

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