



## Global Smile Foundation Covid-19 Policies

*We are assessing this constantly. Guidelines and policies will be updated based on CDC and WHO recommendations, in addition to Turkish Covid-19 regulations. We will continue to assess and provide updates as we receive new information.*

### Staff, Speaker, and Attendee requirements:

- I. All persons are required to be fully vaccinated before October 1, 2021.
  - a. According to the World Health Organization:

**There are several safe and effective vaccines that prevent people from getting seriously ill or dying from COVID-19.** This is one part of managing COVID-19, in addition to the main preventive measures of staying at least 1 meter (3 feet) away from others, covering a cough or sneeze in your elbow, frequently cleaning your hands, wearing a mask, and avoiding poorly ventilated rooms or opening a window.

As of 3 June 2021, WHO has evaluated that the following vaccines against COVID-19 have met the necessary criteria for safety and efficacy:

- AstraZeneca/Oxford vaccine
  - Johnson and Johnson
  - Moderna
  - Pfizer/BionTech
  - Sinopharm
  - Sinovac
2. All persons must wear Level 3 surgical mask, N-95, or KN-95 masks while in workshop meeting rooms
  3. A negative PCR test within 72 hours of travel to Turkey
    - a. We are working on PCR testing upon arrival at the hotel as well.

You may find information about Covid-19 cases and vaccination rates in Turkey on their website: <https://covid19.saglik.gov.tr/>

You may also find more information about the latest restrictions from the Ministry of Interior in Turkey here: <https://www.icisleri.gov.tr/81-il-valiligine-kademeli-normallesme-tedbirleri-genelgesi-gonderildi>