

# **MALTA CASE STUDY:** COUNTRY HEALTH CREDENTIAL FOR COVID-19 REQUIREMENTS



## **Reducing Friction at the Border**

As the world reopened with the advent of vaccines and readily available COVID-19 tests, Malta needed a means of reducing friction at its border entry points. Tourism is central to Malta's economy, with sizable revenues coming from US tourists. But the paper card primarily used by US citizens as proof of their vaccination status was requiring extensive review times by Malta's border agents. The island country needed a fast and flexible solution to process incoming visitors from flights and cruises. Approximately 25 airlines and 5 cruise lines provide regular service to Malta.





#### **VeriFLY for Malta**

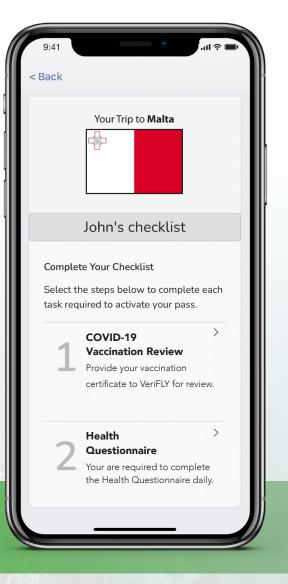
Daon's VeriFLY application, already in use by major airlines, offered a rapid solution to be used by Malta at its border control points. VeriFLY's Malta Arrival Pass went live on 1st August 2021 for U.S. citizens and was soon expanded to Canadian and Japanese citizens. Today, US, Canadian, and Japanese citizens traveling to Malta must have their vaccine information reviewed and presented as a green check and QR code in the VeriFLY app as the only accepted means of entry. Citizens of other countries are able to enter with VeriFLY or with a verifiable COVID vaccine certification issued by their own country (e.g., EU DCC).

## VeriFLY provides travelers with:

- Malta requirements for entry
- Vaccine or test result upload and review
- Notification of review results
- Multiple companions on the same pass
- A "before you go" checklist for travel

#### The green check and QR code provide Malta with the assurance a traveler meets the country's requirements for entry:

- 16,000+ entries since August
- Zero inadmissions for health requirements
- Consistent and rapid processing at all border entry points



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