

Requirements

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, Japan currently bans entry by most travelers coming from the United States. The following steps apply:

1. COVID-19 medical screening at the initial point of entry to Japan. Follow all instructions, to include completing online forms to receive MHLW QR code for PCR test. Downloading the tracking app is not authorized unless refusing to do so would impede forward movement. It may take 6+ hours to (1) receive your negative arrival test in the airport, (2) clear immigration & (3) customs. Plan accordingly.
2. Wear a mask when in public and maintain social distancing.
3. You can either (1) wait for your arrival test results (1-2 hrs); or (2) after providing contact info, depart to base ROM location using base provided transportation or POV (& have your results sent to you via email. This can take up to 24 hrs).
4. All public transportation from the airport, to include domestic air travel, is prohibited until the receipt of a negative arrival test from the MHLW authorities.
5. Travel directly to base ROM location is authorized (before receipt of negative test) using base provided transportation or POV.
6. 7-day ROM at a USFJ approved accommodation is mandatory if you are not up-to-date on vaccination. There will be the option to test out of ROM from day 3.



Helpful Tips:

- Ensure that you provide immigration the most updated and functional personal contact information.
- In your role as a U.S. ambassador, always remember to drink responsibly. In Japan, .03 BAC=DUI on/off base (about less than one (1) drink).
- Understand USFJ Liberty Order for all SOFA forces located or operating in Japan. <https://www.usfj.mil/Liberty-Order/>
- Stay away from the off limits establishments designated by component/installation commanders. The list of off limits locations is on the USFJ.mil homepage under the USFJ Policy tab.
- Review USFJ websites for the most updated information:
<https://www.usfj.mil/>
<https://twitter.com/USForcesJapan>
- **Preventive measures:**
 - Hand wash with soap and water as frequently as possible.
 - Watch for symptoms closely for 2 weeks following travel & contact your medical provider if any illness arises.



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Inbound International
SOFA Members
Guide

Welcome to Japan



Haneda Airport
羽田空港

This guidance applies to all SOFA members, dependents, and contractors arriving in Japan

Current as of 23 March 2022

WARNING: Follow-on domestic flights OR use of public transportation is NOT authorized until receipt of negative post-arrival test from the MHLW authorities.

Transportation Schedule

Base	Pick Up Time	Location	POC
Yokosuka	1500 & 2000	Terminal 3 Map on website	Duty Hours 0730 - 1700 Comm: 046-816-7777 After Hours: 090-8046-5452
Zama	1830	Group Bus Stop on 1F, use passageway on 2F of Terminal 3	USARJ Staff Duty Officer Comm: 046-407-5302
Atsugi	1230 2100	1st Floor, chartered bus sign after arrival exit	ROM Manager: 090-1453-8541; After hours 070-7798-8984 (Duty Officer) OR 070-2307-9499
Fuji	By reservation only, typically late afternoon to early evening btwn 1500-2000.	Terminal 3, Second floor at <i>Tully's coffee shop</i>	CATC Fuji S4 / ROM coord: Comm: 055-089-6102, ext: 224-8644/8744/8743/8475; OR 080-8591-8983 After Hours: 090-6861-7694 OR 090-6061-7694 (Duty Officer)
Yokota	1600 & 1900 1610 & 1910	Terminal 1 Terminal 3 (see map)	080-5022-1485



NO PICK UP at TERMINAL 2.

Terminal 2 has a walking pathway to Terminal 1

ROM Supporting Installations

Your nearest ROM-supporting installation for each service:

Air Force:

Yokota Air Base

Command Post:

042-552-2510, ext 53740 / 042-507-6510

Army:

Camp Zama

Command Center: 046-407-3123

Navy:

ROM Manager 090-1453-8541

Marines:

CATC Fuji

ROM Coordinator:

Duty Hours: 0550-89-6102, ext: 224-8475

Off Duty No: 090-6861-7694 / 080-8594-0506

NOTE: SOFA travelers, regardless of vaccination status, can wait for post-arrival tests at the airport and, if negative, take public transportation to a US facility or domicile within 24 hours of arriving in Japan. SOFA travelers who are up-to-date on vaccinations and receive a negative post-arrival test at the airport will not incur ROM. SOFA travelers who are **not** up-to-date on vaccinations and seeking use of off-base hotels must pre-coordinate through their chain of command with USFJ J54 & MOFA before coming to Japan.

Reminders

- Please contact your sponsor immediately upon arrival & for additional questions (to include ROM logistics/ sustenance support).
- Wear a mask and practice social distancing at all times.
- **DO NOT** take any public commercial transportation, which includes taxi, bus, train, domestic air travel, etc. **UNTIL** after receipt of negative arrival test from the MHLW authorities.
- Only direct travel to your ROM installation is authorized (before receipt of negative arrival test); no additional stops are allowed other than for essential services.
- Traveling from the airport to your ROM location could take several hours; please plan accordingly (food, water, etc.). The use of public rest stops is not authorized.
- Pets require coordinated private transportation, at owner expense.
- Follow all installation commander's guidance when conducting ROM.