



**OLIVE TREE**  
COUNSELING CENTER

# COVID-19 PRECAUTIONS

*Because our clients travel from around the world and have often booked flights in advance to be here, we ask you to help us take careful precautions to avoid the spread of the virus. If you have any questions, please contact us at: [info@olivetrecounseling.org](mailto:info@olivetrecounseling.org). Thank you for working with us to ensure your safety and the safety of other workers!*

## TURKEY'S TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS



- **A negative PCR test is required** within 72 hours of travel to Turkey unless you have proof of vaccination. Keep up to date on the latest travel requirements in Turkey and your country of residence here: <https://travelbans.org>
- **Make sure to check your specific airline's guidelines as they might require a PCR test even if vaccinated.**
- Masks are required in many indoor spaces. Please be respectful of those business requirements.
- Social distancing is encouraged.

## WHAT STEPS ARE WE TAKING?



**We are committed to monitoring the overall situation in Turkey and Antalya on an ongoing basis and have carefully put in place procedures to limit risk of exposure in our office, including:**

- Each client will be asked to read and sign a statement agreeing that you will monitor your health before, during and after counseling, and will notify your counselor if you become ill, up to 5 days after leaving OTCC.
- **Clients age 6 and over need to wear masks at Olive Tree EXCEPT when in the counseling session and seated 6 feet apart from the counselor.** Once you are in the counseling room, you can remove your mask for the session.
- **We are asking clients to arrive AT THE TIME OF YOUR SESSION.** Your counselor will let you in the office door. (Waiting rooms will NOT be open for most clients.)
- Hand sanitizer will be at the entrances (please use it!)
- We wipe down and clean the offices daily.

## PREVENTING THE SPREAD



- If you develop symptoms and/or test positive for COVID within 5 days of being with your counselor in person, please contact your counselor immediately.
- If you develop symptoms and/or test positive before/during your counseling, we will work to either transition your counseling online or work to reschedule your sessions.
- If your counselor has been directly exposed or develops symptoms, they will notify you immediately and get tested. Counseling can be either moved online or rescheduled as needed.