

## Information for Ukrainian citizens about health care services in Latvia

All the state funded healthcare services are available to you for free For information, questions & 80001234 (Monday-Thursday 8:30-17:00, Friday - 8:30-15:00, in English and Russian). 📞 from foreign phone numbers: +371 67045005 Ministry of Health (##) www.vm.gov.lv National Health Service www.vmnvd.gov.lv

IN LIFE-SAVING SITUATION – & emergency medical aid 113 or 112

## **MEDICAL AID**

General practitioner - consultations, prescriptions, referral to a physician-specialist, for examinations or analyses, vaccines etc. M nvd@vmnvd.gov.lv, & 80001234.

**Doctor on duty** – medical consultations, prescriptions, etc., beyond the general practitioner's business hours. Available Riga and other larger cities. Kur sanemt medicīnisko palīdzību or 📞 80001234.

Specialist of direct access - physician without a referral from the general practitioner: gynaecologist; oculist; paediatrist; children's surgeon; narcologist; dermatovenerologist (in case of sexually transmissive diseases); endocrinologist (in case of diabetes); oncologist, oncologist-chemical therapist (in case of oncologic disease); pneumologist (in case of tuberculosis); psychiatrist or children's psychiatrist (in case of mental illness); infectologist (in case of HIV or close contact with a HIV-infected person. ⊕https://www.vm.gov.lv → Informācija Ukrainas pilsoniem

Urgent medical aid point and hospital admission unit - urgent medical aid - sudden illness, exacerbation of chronic disease or injury. ⊕ https://www.vmnvd.gov.lv/lv/→ Kur sanemt medicīnisko palīdzību or 🦶 80001234.

**General practitioner's hotline** 66016001 – phone consultations in case of a simple illness (minor injuries, scars, cold, fever, vomiting, bruises etc.). Business days 17:00–8:00, weekends, public holidays – 24 h, also in Russian.

**Dentistry** – state funded for children up to the age of 18, paid service for adults. For information & 80001234.

## **PSYCHOEMOTIONAL SUPPORT –**

free support services for adults and children @https://www.vm.gov.lv → Informācija Ukrainas pilsoņiem



COVID-19 (www.covid19.gov.lv/en) – Testing – in case of Covid-19 symptoms, state pays for laboratory test. No referral is required. 📞 8303 (business days 8:00–18:00, weekends 9:00–14:00). Vaccination – at the general practitioner or & 8989 (business days 8:00–20:00; weekends 9:00–18:00). Communication in Latvian, English or Russian. Certificate – not required upon entry in Latvia, for receipt of services and in other cases, passport of a citizen of Ukraine is required. Information – 8989 (business days 8:00–20:00, weekends 9:00–18:00). About Covid-19 isolation and guarantine  $\langle +37167387661 \rangle$  (business days 9:00–16:00).

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS** – prior to receipt of service – passport/visa or permanent residence permit. If no documents are held \( 80001234\). No patient's co-payment (not applicable to paid services – find out in advance).