

SCOPE OF AEROMEDICAL EXAMINATIONS IN COMPARISON¹

Medical certificate and compatible licences	Class 1 – ATPL (A)(H) ² , CPL (A)(H) ³ , MPL (A)(H) ⁴	Class 2 – PPL (A)(H) ⁵ , SPL ⁶ , BPL ⁷	Class 3 – ATCO ⁸	Class LAPL ⁹ – LAPL (S)(B)(A)(H) ¹⁰	Class CC ¹¹ – CC ¹²
Legal basis	Reg. (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended Part-MED	Reg. (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended Part-MED	Reg. (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended Part-ATCO-MED	Reg. (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended Part-MED	Reg. (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended Part-MED
Clinical examination incl. blood pressure	<u>every</u> examination	<u>every</u> examination	<u>every</u> examination	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹ <u>every</u> examination	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹
12-lead resting electrocardiogram ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> until age 30: every 5 years age 30-40: every 2 years age 40-50: yearly afterwards: <u>every</u> examination	at the <u>initial examination</u> , <u>first examination after the age of 40</u> , <u>first examination after the age of 50</u> and afterwards <u>every 2 years</u>	at the <u>initial examination</u> until the age of 30: every 4 years afterwards at every examination and if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	at the <u>first examination</u> after the age of 40 after the age of 50: every 5 years risk factors present: every 2 years and if indicated ²¹
Ergometry ^{15/19}	at the <u>first examination</u> after the age of 65, afterwards every 4 years and if indicated	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
Lung function test ¹⁹	At the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²² single-pilot HEMS ²⁷ : first examination after the age of 60	if indicated ²²	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
Hemoglobin ¹⁹	<u>every</u> examination	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
Lipids ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> , at the <u>first examination after the age of 40</u>	if indicated ²²	at the <u>initial examination</u> , <u>first examination after the age of 40</u> and if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
Urine ¹⁹	<u>every</u> examination	<u>every</u> examination	<u>every</u> examination	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹	<u>every</u> examination
Routine ophthalmological examination ¹⁹	<u>every</u> examination after the age of 60: contrast sensitivity assessment	<u>every</u> examination after the age of 60: contrast sensitivity assessment	<u>every</u> examination	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹
Comprehensive ophthalmological examination ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> , if indicated ²² and periodically depending on the refraction value single-pilot HEMS ²⁷ : first examination after the age of 60, afterwards yearly	if indicated ²²	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
	medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{16/19}	medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{16/19}	specialist ¹⁶	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{16/19}	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{16/19}
Tonometry ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	at the <u>initial examination</u> , <u>first examination after the age of 40</u> , and if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
Colour Vision ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²² single-pilot HEMS ²⁷ : first examination after the age of 60, afterwards yearly	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²²	at the <u>initial examination</u> incl. further testing	for NVFR ¹⁷	at the <u>initial examination</u>
Routine ENT-examination ¹⁹	<u>every</u> examination	<u>every</u> examination	<u>every</u> examination	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹	<u>every</u> examination
Comprehensive ENT-examination ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²² single-pilot HEMS ²⁷ : first examination after the age of 60	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²¹
	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{18/19}	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{18/19}	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{18/19}	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{18/19}	Medical specialist or appropriately equipped aeromedical practice ^{18/19}
Pure tone audiometry ¹⁹	at the <u>initial examination</u> until the age of 40: every 5 years from the age of 40: every 2 years from the age of 60: yearly	at the <u>initial examination</u> until the age of 40: every 5 years from the age of 40: every 2 years from the age of 60: yearly (if IFR) ²⁰	at the <u>Initial examination</u> until the age of 40: every 4 years from the age of 40: every 2 years	if indicated ²¹	at the <u>initial examination</u> and if indicated ²¹
Cardiovascular examination ^{15/19}	first examination after the age of 40	first examination after the age of 40	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²
Comprehensive Cardiovascular examination ^{15/19}	if indicated ²² at the <u>first examination after the age of 65</u> and afterwards every 4 years single-pilot HEMS ²⁷ : first examination after the age of 60	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²² at the <u>first examination after the age of 65</u> and afterwards every 4 years	several risk factors and if indicated ²¹	if indicated ²²
Cardiovascular risk factor assessment ^{15/19}	2 or more risk factors: age 40-49.: every 5 years age 50-59.: every 3 years from age 60.: every 2 years	2 or more risk factors: 40.-59. LJ.: alle 5 Jahre ab 60. LJ.: alle 2 Jahre	if indicated	if indicated	if indicated
Obstructive sleep apnoea (OSA) screening ²⁶	single-pilot HEMS ²⁷ : first examination after the age of 60	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²	if indicated ²²
Mental Health Assessment	Comprehensive Mental Health Assessment at the <u>initial examination</u> ²³ afterwards: at every examination ²⁴	<u>every</u> examination ²⁴	<u>every</u> examination ²⁵	<u>every</u> examination ²⁴	<u>every</u> examination ²⁴
D&A Screening	at the <u>initial examination</u> ²⁷ and if indicated	if indicated	if indicated	if indicated	if indicated

Explanation page 1:

- ¹ The information contained in this document (As at 28/02/2025) have been compiled with the utmost care. The accuracy of the information is not guaranteed; in case of doubt, the legal norms apply.
- ² Air Transport Pilot License / License for airline pilots (A: airplane; H: helicopter)
- ³ Commercial Pilot License/ License for commercial pilots (A: airplane; H: helicopter)
- ⁴ Multi Pilot License / License for pilots in multi-pilot crews (A: airplane; H: helicopter)
- ⁵ Private Pilot License / License for private pilots (A: airplane; H: helicopter)
- ⁶ Sailplane Pilot License / License for sailplane pilots
- ⁷ Balloon Pilot License
- ⁸ Air Traffic Controller
- ⁹ Light Aircraft Pilot License Medical / medical certificate for Light Aircraft Pilot
- ¹⁰ Light Aircraft Pilot License / License for light aircraft pilots (S: sailplane; B: balloon; A: airplane; H: helicopter)
- ¹¹ Cabin Crew Medical Report
- ¹² Cabin Crew Attestation
- ¹³ Aeromedical Centre
- ¹⁴ In Austria, neither general practitioners nor occupational physicians or specialists in occupational medicine, unless they are AMEs of any class.
- ¹⁵ Performed by the appropriately equipped aeromedical practice (AME or AeMC) or by a specialist in internal medicine with the additional subject of cardiology, refer to AMC1 MED.B.010 and AMC2 MED.B.010
- ¹⁶ Performed by the medical specialist for Ophthalmology and Optometry, MED.B.070 and MED.B.075 of Regulation (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended incl. AMC1 MED.B.070 and AMC1 MED.B.075 as well as AMC2 MED.B.070 and AMC2 MED.B.075 as well as ATCO.MED.B.080 of Regulation (EU) 2015/340 as amended incl. AMC1 ATCO.MED.B.080 (for the scope of the examination, see above)
- ¹⁷ Night Visual Flight Rating
- ¹⁸ Performed by the medical specialist for Otorhinolaryngology or an appropriately equipped Aeromedical Center depending on the relevant regulations
MED.B.080 of Regulation (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended incl. AMC1 MED.B.080 and AMC2 MED.B.080 as well as ATCO.MED.B.080 of Regulation (EU) 2015/340 as amended incl. AMC1 ATCO.MED.B.070
(For the scope of the examination, see above)
- ¹⁹ according to Medical Practitioners Act 1998 the special subject restriction must be taken into account
- ²⁰ Instrument Flight Rating
- ²¹ according to best aeromedical practice
- ²² Indications see in the respective relevant paragraph, Regulation (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended in conjunction with AMC, Regulation (EU) 2015/340 as amended in conjunction with AMC
- ²³ Conducted by a clinical psychologist with a connection to aviation; Regulation (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended MED.B.055 in conjunction with AMCs and CAD MED 1
- ²⁴ Carried out by the AME or AeMC or by a clinical psychologist with a connection to aviation; Regulation (EU) No 1178/2011 as amended MED.B.055 (b) in conjunction with AMC and CAD MED 1, Reg. (EU) 2015/340 as amended icw
AMC 1 ATCO.AR.F.020
- ²⁶ Conducted in a Sleep Laboratory or similarly equipped institution
- ²⁷ HEMS = helicopter emergency medical services; applies from 13.02.2025