



VACCINE ACCESS TEST

Score Summary: Turkey

The world is racing to find safe and effective vaccines against COVID-19. And when we do, these vaccines must be made available to everyone who needs them regardless of nationality or wealth. This is the fastest way to end the pandemic. So we want to know: **do world leaders' actions move us closer to, or further from, an equitable outcome?** The Vaccine Access Test provides a framework to answer this question based on the following metrics:

- **Access to COVID-19 Tools Accelerator (ACT-A):** Has this country provided financial support to the ACT-A?
- **Multilateral Leadership:** Has this country advanced multilateral cooperation to advance equity?
- **Policies:** Will this country's policies help ensure COVID-19 vaccines are accessible to all on a global scale?

Each metric is worth up to 3 points with a possible 9 points total. **Here's how Turkey stacks up.**

METRIC	SCORE	RATIONALE
ACT-A 	0	Turkey has not funded or partnered with the ACT-Accelerator.
Multilateral Leadership 	0	Turkey has expressed interest in COVAX facility but has not officially joined. Turkish leaders have not used political capital to advance equity globally.
Policies 	0	Turkey has not implemented policies that align with WHO's Solidarity Call to Action. Turkey does not have guidelines on domestic allocation that prioritizes the most-at risk.
Deal Score (average)	3	Turkey has completed 1 deal with a pharmaceutical company to secure COVID-19 vaccines, with a Deal Score of 3.

Total Score: 3 out of 15

The actions of Turkey have not proven any dedication to equitable outcomes.

Turkey can improve its score by providing financial support to the ACT-Accelerator, joining on to the COVAX Facility, ensuring domestic COVID-19 allocation guidelines prioritize most at-risk populations, and ensuring procurement contracts align with the WHO's Allocation Guidance to ensure adequate supply for other countries.

