




**COVID-19**  
**DESTINATION INFORMATION RESOURCE**  
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**(alphabetical by country)**

<b>Argentina</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 1st, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Partially lockdown in Buenos Aires metropolitan area and main cities. Very reduced lock down in a few cities with low density populations. Except Buenos Aires metropolitan area, all the cities with less than 500.00 citizens within Argentina is in Phase 5 of quarantine, than means with 95% of activities partially activated, except schools or universities. Social meetings allow up to 10 people in open areas.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total active cases: 100629 Total deaths: 8730 Total recovered: 308376
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Not currently possible to have group activities or social opportunities, excep meetings up to 10 people in open areas. Still keeping the social distancing.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Borders closed. The only air traffic is for sanitary flights. The situation is being evaluated every week, to decide the date of possible re open for flights.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Closed. Depending on the property, they are estimating to reopen in October, however is subject to the situation.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open only with tables for sitting outdoor. No tables inside permitted.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed. Public parks are open with restrictions . Museums and interest places are completely closed to access.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	supermarkets are opened with limit of capacity to access. Shipments are working perfectly inside the country, with some delays. The government has allowed small food stores to be opened with special permissions and certifications. Clothes shops and similar are open with restrictions.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	<b>Public transport</b> is working, with a significantly reduced capacity. Distancing between seats, and facial masks is mandatory to enter. Special daily cleaning including sanitary measures, provided by the government to the vehicles and streets. <b>Private transportation for groups:</b> Our transportation supplier has informed the new protocol for all the services from now on. -hand sanitizer gel in every vehicle. -special cleaning with alcohol spray 70% after every service


	<p>-the cleaning was improved with approved specific products to eliminated germs, included covid 19. The name of the chemic product is Quaternary ammonium.</p> <p>-the driver is completely isolated from the passengers, in a separate cabin, without contact.</p> <p>-Based on the government requirements, all the transportation in the country cannot be more than 60% loaded. Every passenger must wear a facial mask. The updated capacity for buses is: Buses of 45 seats can be loaded up to 27 seats.1 Minibuses of 24 seats can be loaded up to 14 seats Van of 19 seats can be loaded up to 11 seats.</p>
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Middle September , new measures announcement based on the flow and numbers of cases.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>Argentina was the first country in South America to take extreme measures, close the borders and announce lockdown for the whole country as soon as we got less than 10 confirmed cases. That allowed us to have a better control of the situation and prepare the hospitals and all the activities related with health to work in advance and be ready in case of a big increase of cases in a massive way, which, luckily has not happened. The advantage of an earlier lockdown, gave the government the opportunity to build temporary hospitals and also, take the measures of requesting mandatory lockdown and isolation to all the citizens that returned from abroad countries, prevented to increase the cases.</p> <p>Nowadays is absolutely mandatory the use of facial masks everywhere. People is allow to visit parks , with restrictions, and restaurants are opening with outdoor seating space.</p>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>Australia</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<p>August 20<sup>th</sup> 2020 - based on New South Wales/NSW – Sydney only <a href="https://covid19.homeaffairs.gov.au/">https://covid19.homeaffairs.gov.au/</a></p> <p>Sydney, New South Wales has opened, with restrictions easing for residents.</p>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	<p>Australian borders are officially closed to non-essential travel. Australia will review opening it's borders later this year to designated "safe" destinations as decreed by the Australian Government's Health expert panel.</p>
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>A large number of businesses are returning to the office as long as social-distancing rules are in place and also employees are being encouraged to WFH (or do both I.e. office some days and others WFH) where it is reasonably practical to do so.</p>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>To date August 20<sup>th</sup> there are 52 deaths and confirmed 3,966 with 2,992 recovered cases in New South Wales.</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>All museums, galleries and libraries opened allowing 4-square-metres per person and ensuring hand washing facilities and/or sanitizer. Venues can have more than 500 people inside as long as they are separated by social distancing. Travel throughout the State of New South Wales is allowed and encouraged.</p> <p>Beauty and Nail salons are open with strict measures in place and no more than 10 clients in a shop at any one time. Gyms are now open and operating with social distancing in classes and around the venue.</p>
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>Intrastate travel in New South Wales is being encouraged for all residents. There are restrictions in place for some States in Australia whose borders are closed. Our national carrier Qantas/QF is revisiting their flight routes and</p>


	staffing levels. Currently international air travel arrivals is available for essential service personnel and residents and citizens returning to Australia from overseas. No overseas travel is permitted unless a special permit is obtained in the cases of hardship. Persons going in to quarantine hotels for 14 days is to their own expense.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Sydney and NSW Hotels are opening up as from June 1 – re-employment of furloughed personnel and re-training in place.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Currently open with up to 100 people in a public restaurant seated in a maximum party of 10, and social distancing applies, with sign-in for all patrons rule applies.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Ditto - with stadiums open for up to 500 persons.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Ditto and most are now open and operating – Our koalas and kangaroos and native animals welcome the return of visitors – as does our beautiful Taronga Zoo and Featherdale Wildlife Sanctuary. Social distancing also applies.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Ditto - all boutiques and major department stores and shopping centres are open and operating social distancing rules.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Increased services for trains, bus and ferries in Sydney – more than 3,300+ extra services added to the public transport network across Sydney to increase capacity for physical distancing and provide more options for customers. Marshalling and Support Teams are in place helping customers move safely across the network. Increased cleaning is also continuing across all modes with buses and trains being cleaned a minimum of four times a day.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	On-going and a fluid situation by the Government of Australia and the State Government in NSW - with daily updates
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	ALL VENUES AND HOTELS AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ARE IMPLEMENTING EXCELLENT CLEANING COVID-19 PROCEDURES IN ACCORDANCE WITH HEALTH PROTOCOLS FROM THE AUSTRALIAN AND STATE GOVERNMENTS
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Australia is looking forward to welcoming back our international incentive attendees. We are ready for your arrival when permission granted. Domestic tourism is going to boom and we expect New Zealand tourists on our shores very soon. Next step - International arrivals.

<b>Austria</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 18, 2020 Please note: The following pieces of information have been researched with the utmost care. However, we can provide no guarantee of accuracy.
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Borders are open to all EU counties. Travelers arriving from the Balearic Islands (Mallorca, Menorca, Ibiza, and Formentera), Croatia and Spain have to carry a medical certificate proving a negative COVID-19 PCR test. Entry is <b>prohibited to third-country nationals when arriving from states outside the Schengen area</b> . Exemptions apply. Third-country nationals travelling from inside the Schengen area have to carry a <u>medical certificate</u> proving a negative COVID-19 test result <b>AND</b> are additionally obligated to commit to a 10-day self-quarantine.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Third-country nationals travelling from inside the Schengen area have to carry a <u>medical certificate</u> proving a negative COVID-19 test result <b>AND</b> are additionally obligated to commit to a 10-day self-quarantine.


<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Decreasing
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Since 1 August indoor events for up to 500 people and outdoor events for up to 750 people are permitted.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Austria's airports are operating with limited flight plan.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Open
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Currently, there are no restrictions in place regarding public transport (metro, bus and tram services) in Austria.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Masks have to be worn on public transport and in taxis, in some museums, grocery stores, post offices and banks, at indoor events and whenever a minimum distance of 1 meter / 4 feet is not possible to maintain.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	We hope to welcome you back to Austria soon. In the meantime: Be positive and stay healthy!


<b>Baltic States (Estonia, Lithuania, Latvia)</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 21, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Borders are open to the citizens and residents of the EU, EEA, UK and the Swiss Confederation as well as several other countries listed on the official governmental websites, however, quarantine requirements may apply.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Anyone arriving in <u>Lithuania</u> and <u>Estonia</u> from a country with a higher infection rate than 25 must self-isolate for two weeks on arrival. Anyone arriving in <u>Latvia</u> from countries with COVID-19 incidence rate above 15 cases/100 000 population, will have to self-isolate for 10 days.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Latvia is currently one of the safest European countries with little to no new cases every day. Covid rate in Lithuania and Estonia is medium high at the moment (18.8 and 25.4 respectively).
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	2+2 rule in all public places is recommended
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	AirBaltic, Lufthansa, Finnair, Wizz Air, Ryanair, Norwegian, LOT, SmartLynx
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels have reopened
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. The number of guests is limited according to the total capacity of the establishment and local regulations. Tables must be spaced at least 2 m apart and guests and staff have to practice physical distancing.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most venues are opening up.

	<p><u>Estonia</u>: Hence July 15, no more than 1500 persons may participate in an indoor event. The amount public in outdoor events may be up to 2000 persons. Disinfectants must be provided and the dispersion requirement must be followed.</p> <p><u>Latvia</u>: From August 17 no more than 1000 people can gather for indoor events with a total area of less than 1000 square meters. In the indoor premises with an area of more than 1000 square meters - no more than 500 people. For outdoor events it is possible to gather up to 3000 people.</p> <p><u>Lithuania</u>: Outdoor mass events up to 1000 people and indoor mass events up to 200 people are allowed with certain distance restrictions.</p>
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most museums are open and are following the special new guidelines to keep visitors safe and healthy.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transportation is open, face masks are recommended in Latvia, required in Lithuania. Taxi, carsharing services, private transportation options available.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Most places advise following social distancing norms (2+2 rule) and taking care of good hygiene – e.g. careful washing of hands and using hand disinfectants <u>Lithuania</u> : As of 1 August, face masks are mandatory in all indoor public places, including shops, points of service and on public transport.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	A late-night restriction (00.00 - 10.00 AM) for selling alcohol will be set on September 25 all over Estonia - in order to help minimise the re-emerged risk of local virus spread in night clubs and other entertainment establishments.


<b>Bhutan</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Quarantine period is 21 days. As of now, no outside arrivals allowed. The lockdown imposed on 11 <sup>th</sup> Aug is lifted on 7 <sup>th</sup> Sept however borders towns of Phuentsholing, Samdrup Jongkhar and Gelephu are still under lockdown. .
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total – 246 Recovered – 175 Active – 71 Deaths – 0
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	No group gathering permitted starting 11 <sup>th</sup> August onwards due to lockdown.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Only relief / rescue flights are operating for stranded Bhutanese nationals those who are stuck outside the country and want to return home. Also, time to time cargo flights have been operating.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	All are currently closed.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All are currently closed.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Government & private offices are open from 7h Sept after lockdown is lifted however in border towns of Phuentsholing, Samdrup Jongkhar and Gelephu offices are still closed.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Sites except border town of Phuentsholing, Samdup Jongkhar and Gelephu are open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Except border town of Phuentsholing, Samdrup Jongkhar and Gelephu retail stores are open at other located with effect from 7h Sept.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public & Private transport are operational from 7 <sup>th</sup> Sept except border town of Phuentsholing, Samdrup Jongkhar and Gelephu

<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	21 <sup>st</sup> September 2020
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Standard operating procedures are in progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	There is zero fatality in Bhutan

<b>Brazil</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	Wednesday, September 23, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Opened as of August 1, 2020
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Brazil is divided in 26 States and the Federal District of Brasília, the Capital City of Brazil. Each State is responsible for the sanitary policies within its borders. Mayors of cities are also responsible for the definition of quarantine measure. In general, most large cities have now partially opened businesses with safety restrictions. Most States implemented a 6-phase plan to reopen gradually. Rio is one of them, and it is in phase 6 as of August 27 <sup>th</sup> . Hotels, shopping malls, stores and restaurants may now open with restrictions for social distancing and hours of operation.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	As of today, the number of cases in Brazil, which is a country of 211,000,000 plus inhabitants, is slightly above 4,600,000 cases with 140,000 deaths. The rhythm of increase has, for the 1 <sup>st</sup> time since April, started to decrease.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Beaches are open for sports in Rio de Janeiro, and individual water sports are allowed in the ocean. Public parks are open. Small groups are allowed in public open spaces
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Air borders are open as of August 1, 2020. Foreign visitors are welcome as long as they have valid health insurance for Covid-19 through their stay in Brazil.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Several hotels reopened on July 17 <sup>th</sup> . Most hotels reopening in September and October.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. Sidewalk cafes are open now, as well as bakeries
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some have reopened as of September 1 <sup>st</sup> .
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open since August 15 <sup>th</sup> .
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with limited attendance capacity
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transportation is open in Rio, as well as in other cities of Brazil.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	October 1 <sup>st</sup> , there will be an evaluation of the situation in several cities and States, including Rio, to decide if there will be further release in the stay at home recommendation. Early September, several hotels in Rio reopened. Also, several international airlines are announcing resuming flights to São Paulo and Rio.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Use of masks in public is mandatory in most cities. Several cities have built field hospitals in stadiums, convention centers and other large open areas. Government is buying and distributing IPEs (individual protection equipment) to health professionals. Most hotels and transportation companies are establishing safety and sanitary protocols for when they reopen.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Cambodia</b></p>	 <p style="text-align: center;">We make Asia Easy for You</p>
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September, 21st 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p><b>Entry Conditions:</b> As of 20th May, travelers from France, Germany, Iran, Italy, Spain &amp; USA will be able to visit Cambodia. Requirements mentioned below are applied to all nationalities who wish to enter Cambodia:</p> <p>Deposit of USD 3,000 must be made by each traveler on entry to Cambodia          COVID-19 test with negative result within 72 hours prior to travel          Proof of insurance with \$50,000 in medical coverage          VOA (Visa on Arrivals) and E-visa are not currently available. Travelers are required to apply for visas at Cambodian Consulates or Embassies outside Cambodia          Upon arrival in Cambodia, all travelers must undergo a COVID-19 test and remain into government facility until laboratory results are found, which may include an overnight stay.          If one or more travelers test positive for COVID-19 : People will be required to quarantine for 14 days at a facility designated by the Cambodia Government (Hotel or Government facility at their own expense)          If all travelers test negative: People have to self-isolate for 14-days at their home under supervision of local authorities. Health authorities will then oversee another COVID-19 test on the 14th day of self-isolation</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>If one or more travelers from the same flight test positive for COVID-19 : People will be required to quarantine for 14 days at a facility designated by the Cambodia Government (Hotel or Government facility at their own expense)</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>Decreasing          197 recorded cases.          140 patients have already been discharged from hospital and recovered.          The last community transmission was recorded on 8 April.</p>
<p><b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)</p>	<p>Social distancing is being recommended for all people in Cambodia, including:          Limiting group activities.          Avoiding public or crowded places.          Staying at home when possible.</p>
<p><b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)</p>	
<p><b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)</p>	<p>Open – some temporarily closed</p>
<p><b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Restaurants are now allowed to be open, but social distancing and hygiene measures should be followed.</p>
<p><b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Various spas, bars, restaurants and entertainment businesses have been closed until further notice. Please contact us if you have any specific inquiries about festivals, events, shows, or attractions.</p>
<p><b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	
<p><b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Allowed to be open, but social distancing and hygiene measures should be followed.</p>
<p><b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)</p>	
<p><b>Upcoming Key Dates</b></p>	

<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<b>Canada</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 21, 2020 The information below has been provided in an ever-changing environment and should be treated as a reference only, based on current information, and is subject to change. Cantrav cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information.
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	International borders remain closed with the exception of repatriated flights flying into one of four international Airports: Vancouver, Calgary, Montreal and Toronto; US-Canada border remains closed until October 21, 2020 where it will be reviewed in collaboration with the United States. It is unknown as to when we may consider opening up the Canadian border to International flights. Currently only essential travel is allowed. Non-essential including tourism temporarily closed.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	There is a mandatory 14-day quarantine upon arriving into Canada for any approved travel.  Some regions have implemented mandatory mask in public indoor settings including Montreal.  Canada has begun to 're-open' and most provinces across the country have identified a four or five stage phased plan for opening. While no formal lock-down was mandated, all residents were encouraged to stay home. Social distancing measures remain in effect. Currently most provinces are transitioning into phase 2 or 3 which primarily includes the opening of service based businesses. We are seeing some of our attractions open with strict social distancing measures in place.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Canada is flattening the curve. Current cases: Total Confirmed: 140,539 Total Deaths: 9,199 Total Recovered: 122,836 Total Active: 8,504 (55 cases in critical condition)
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Most provinces have passed a Health Order that prevents mass gatherings up to 50 people until the last phase of their respective reopening strategy. While mass gatherings continue to be banned, some provinces are beginning to relax the measures and allowing for smaller groups both indoors and outdoors. However, we are seeing increasing case counts and there is some discussion among provinces to tighten things back up as they prepare or try to mitigate a second wave. Alberta just announced on July 20 <sup>th</sup> that the province will allow exhibitions and tradeshow. The meetings and events sectors' messages are beginning to be heard, but this continues to be a pressing issue from the meetings and events industry, but governmental officials continue to believe meetings are high risk environments for community transmission of Covid-19. However, review and assessment will take place from there as provinces continue to see low transmission rates. As provinces begin to re-open, they are




	allowing smaller, social gatherings within one or two house-holds. They are allowing households to expand their personal social network.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	International borders remain closed with the exception of repatriated flights flying into one of four international Airports: Vancouver, Calgary, Montreal and Toronto; US-Canada border remains closed until October 21, 2020 where it will be reviewed in collaboration with the United States. It is unknown as to when we may consider opening up the Canadian border to International flights.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	More and more hotels are opening across the country, as many more provinces are now allowing interprovincial travel.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Beginning to reopen and many jurisdictions allow for greater than 50% capacity so long as you can maintain physical distancing of up to 2m. Depending on region in Canada, some restrictions have relaxed a little more and restaurants have been able to increase capacity so long as they continue to maintain appropriate social distancing measures. Many communities are relaxing city bylaws and are allowing restaurants to expand or establish outdoor patios. In British Columbia, due to recent cases, alcohol is no longer available to be purchased in restaurants and bars after 10:00pm.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Remain closed until phase three or four depending on the province. All venues are subject to the Health Orders in place regarding mass gatherings.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	More and more attractions and sites are opening depending on the region and their own specific operating requirements. As part of the phased approach, we will see tourist sites begin to open. Currently, outdoor parks and green spaces are open. Designated national parks (Banff National Park) remain closed with the exception of drive through traffic, but it is anticipated they will be opening within the month of June.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Retail stores are permitted to re-open based on social distancing and safety protocols. It will be to the discretion of each retailer when they open and at what level.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transportation is still open, albeit at a reduced schedule and capacity. Private transportation for the general public is available (Taxi, Uber), however many private transportation companies (limousine companies) are currently closed.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	October 21 <sup>st</sup> – US/Canada border review date. September 30 <sup>th</sup> – International flights review date and quarantine review date.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Protocols have been established by a number of bodies including the Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety and trade associations.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<b>Chile</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Completely lockdown in Santiago metropolitan area as well as some of the main cities. Reduced lock down in a few other cities. Only few activities are currently partially operating (schools and universities are still closed).
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Cases have recently increased (mainly in Santiago) as it seems we are just about to reach the pick of the outbreak.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	No current group activities. Social distancing is a must.

<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Few domestic flights operating at the moment. No international flights are expected until June/July.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Only few hotels are still open. Most of them are currently closed.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Currently closed
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Currently closed
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Partially operating
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Measures are reviewed by local authorities on a daily basis
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	The government is currently working on this along with local tourism authorities which will be followed by all DMCs.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>China</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	May 26,2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No more Quarantine within the country
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Almost cleared
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	At the moment not yet opened for international groups
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Chinese airlines are flying between US and China
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	All hotels are opened for taking local guests
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants are opened
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All venues are opened
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All tourist sites are opened with limitation on number of visitors per day
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All stores are opened
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	All available
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Next updates will be September
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b>	In progress


(in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	The Chinese government is cautious and conservative, we are waiting for the permission from the government to accept international groups

<b>Costa Rica</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	Set 22, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Costa Rica will welcome tourists from the United States starting in September 15 <sup>th</sup> . U.S. tourists will only be welcomed if they are residents of the following states: New York, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Colorado. Passengers must prove their residency in one of those states using their driver's license or state ID.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>International tourists entering the country will be allowed to do so with a travel insurance policy that meets the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The policy is valid throughout their scheduled visit to Costa Rica.</li> <li>• It covers medical expenses in Costa Rica related to COVID-19 of at least \$50000</li> <li>• It includes a minimum coverage of \$2,000 for accommodation expenses related to COVID-19.</li> <li>• Passengers must prove their residency in one of those states using their driver's license or State ID.</li> </ul>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Total Confirmed: 66689  Total Deaths: 760  Total Recovered: 25706</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings are not allowed.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Costa Rica will welcome tourists from the United States starting in September 15 <sup>th</sup> . U.S. tourists will only be welcomed if they are residents of the following states: New York, New Jersey, New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and Colorado. Passengers must prove their residency in one of those states using their driver's license or state ID.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Open at 50% capacity.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open at 50% capacity.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open for groups up to 75 people
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some national parks are open at 50% capacity
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some stores are open at 50% capacity.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transportation is open with social distancing requirements.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Oct 1 <sup>st</sup> – Opening borders to California.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Called to stay home, but not mandatory. Vehicular restriction by number plate. Keep social distance while outside. Sanitary protocols are being created by each sector to ensure the safety of visitors.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<b>Croatia</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17 <sup>th</sup> , Below is the current situation which is evolving
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Opened borders to all EU/EAA members as well as many other countries. Americans can enter if they have a negative PCR test that is less than 48hrs old or they can self-isolate 14 days upon entry.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Self-Isolation is not required for EU countries when entering Croatia however the recommendation from the Croatian Institute of Health is that arrivals are advised to avoid physical contact, maintain a distance of at least 1.5 m during face-to-face contact; wash or disinfect hands often.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Relatively low amount of cases throughout Croatia. Total cases 14279, Total deaths: 238, Total recovered:11933 Active Cases:2108
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings are currently limited to 200 indoors and 300 outside. Distance requirements are between 1,5m to 2m depending on location. Fr From July 1 <sup>st</sup> , 300 indoors and 500 outdoors. In some locations in Croatia numbers are more limited based on the epidemiological situation.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Flights to Croatia from all around Europe have begun
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Majority are open and have implemented various safety measures from hand sanitizer, staff wearing masks, temperature checks in some hotels.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened, capacity reduced based on size of establishment and to adhere to social distancing measures between tables
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Reopening with special health and safety measures and reduced capacities. Night Clubs are closed and bars can work until midnight.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened with certain capacity limits, most Museums are advised to operate at 50% capacity, face covering required.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened, capacity limits depending on size of store, face coverings required.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Reduced capacities allowed in buses. Face masks required on public transport (bus and ferry)
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	All segments of business have been provided protocols they should follow, link below: <a href="https://www.hzjz.hr/aktualnosti/covid-19-pandemic-recommendations-in-english/">https://www.hzjz.hr/aktualnosti/covid-19-pandemic-recommendations-in-english/</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Official English updates at <a href="https://www.koronavirus.hr/en">https://www.koronavirus.hr/en</a> Good Morning America Video from Dubrovnik July 28 <sup>th</sup> <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCvSFeBHgpU&amp;t=12s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCvSFeBHgpU&amp;t=12s</a> US EMBASSY IN CROATIA COVID INFO : <a href="https://hr.usembassy.gov/covid-19-information-2/">https://hr.usembassy.gov/covid-19-information-2/</a>

<b>Czech Republic</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 24,2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open, all rules, limits and if COVID test necessary is on <a href="http://www.mzv.cz/en">www.mzv.cz/en</a>
<b>Quarantine Details</b>	No requirements


(requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing like in all Europe at this moment
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Gathering – sports, art, religious allowed for max.1000 persons seated. In case of standing events only upto 10 persons
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Vaclav Havel airport operating, Amsterdam, Frankfurt, etc. And summer destinations. <a href="http://www.prg.aero.com">www.prg.aero.com</a>
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	95% hotel opened already, Four Seasons, Mandarin, Augustine, Hilton Prague etc. are open.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open till 10pm
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	open
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	October 1
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Obligatory to wear masks in public transportation and inside all buildings, shops etc. Events up to 1000 seated outside OK, inside seated upto 500, if standing, outside only 50, inside 10.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Our number 55464 pax infected, 555 died

<b>Denmark</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>10SEP2020 // (no new updates)</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Se below
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Situation is apt to change almost daily as and can also differ from region to region as well as depend of from which border to enter. Kindly contact us at <a href="mailto:info@snedmc.eu">info@snedmc.eu</a> for accurate details
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Tourist Sites</b>	

(open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<p><b>Full IATA update</b>  <a href="https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm">https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm</a></p> <p><b>Additional information (from other sources)</b></p> <p><b>Domestic Restrictions</b>  No domestic restrictions. Danish citizens are allowed to re-enter the country. It is mandatory to wear a mask in Denmark on public transport. People are asked to keep their distance and to stand at least 1m apart. Many shops have a maximum number of customers that are permitted in them at any one time.</p> <p><b>International Tourists</b>  As of 14th Aug, people who travel from Belgium or Malta must self-quarantine upon return. Denmark earlier has listed Spain, Andorra, Bulgaria, Luxemburg and Romania as countries where non-essential travels are not recommended. However, borders to Spain, Belgium, Luxembourg, Malta, Romania and Bulgaria are closed.  Denmark's borders are open to a select number of third countries (Australia, Canada, Georgia, Japan, New Zealand, South Korea, Thailand, Tunisia and Uruguay), based on the same set of health measures and analysis, see here: <a href="https://politi.dk/en/coronavirus-in-denmark/travelling-in-or-out-of-denmark/is-my-country-open-or-banned">https://politi.dk/en/coronavirus-in-denmark/travelling-in-or-out-of-denmark/is-my-country-open-or-banned</a>  If you enter from an open country as a tourist, you need to document a holiday stay for at least six nights.  If a tourist wishing to enter shows clear signs of sickness, for example a cough, fever, or similar, they will not be allowed to cross the border. Travellers are advised to quarantine at home for 14 days upon their return to Denmark from a country not included in the list of open countries. <a href="https://politi.dk/en/coronavirus-in-denmark/travelling-in-or-out-of-denmark/is-my-country-open-or-banned">https://politi.dk/en/coronavirus-in-denmark/travelling-in-or-out-of-denmark/is-my-country-open-or-banned</a>  No self-isolation requirement on arrival in England with exceptions, see details here: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-travel-corridors?utm_source=28f09be7-c61b-41bb-83f5-00197a7ea948&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&amp;utm_content=immediate#countries-and-territories-with-no-self-isolation-requirement-on-arrival-in-england">https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-travel-corridors?utm_source=28f09be7-c61b-41bb-83f5-00197a7ea948&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&amp;utm_content=immediate#countries-and-territories-with-no-self-isolation-requirement-on-arrival-in-england</a></p> <p><b>Hotels, Bars &amp; Restaurants</b>  Open with restrictions. Hotels, restaurants and bars are open and permitted to follow H+S guidelines as well as social distancing. No more than 10 people per group. The opening hours permitted for restaurants, bars, cafes etc. with the required licences will be extended to 2.00 am on the condition that no new guests are allowed in after 11.00 pm.</p> <p><b>Events/Mass Gatherings</b>  Commercial, public, and government services are widely open, though some have restricted capacities to adhere to social distancing policies. Venues such as nightclubs remain closed until October 31, 2020. Large gatherings are limited to 100 people and public events limited to 500.</p> <p><b>Official Advice Site/Source</b>  <a href="https://www.visitdenmark.com/denmark/travel-essentials/coronavirus">https://www.visitdenmark.com/denmark/travel-essentials/coronavirus</a>  <a href="https://politi.dk/en/coronavirus-in-denmark/controlled-reopening-of-denmark">https://politi.dk/en/coronavirus-in-denmark/controlled-reopening-of-denmark</a>  <a href="https://cphpost.dk/?p=115933">https://cphpost.dk/?p=115933</a>  <a href="https://www.schengenvisainfo.com/news/denmark-lifts-travel-restrictions-on-passengers-from-portugal/">https://www.schengenvisainfo.com/news/denmark-lifts-travel-restrictions-on-passengers-from-portugal/</a></p>

<b>Dominican Republic</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	August 28th, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open


<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Operations at the airports are active. All the economical areas, including the airport, hotels, DMCS have to follow certain protocols to ensure safety of all the people involved. Activities are partially open.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Still increasing in a low %.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Limits on group gatherings to a 50-25% in most of the establishments and transportation. Distancing required in all of them and the usage of masks is mandatory.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Open.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open. The total will be open between October-November, estimated
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open .
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open and working Mandatory to wear mask on the public spaces; establishments working on 50-25% capacity g with capacity limit to a 25%
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Private options working. Public open. Protocols must be followed.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	The establishment that have not open yet are looking at October or November, 2020
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Mandatory to wear mask on the public spaces; establishments working on 50-25% capacity. Social distancing is required. Most of the establishments are looking for certifications. For example, Connect DMC counts with the Safe Travels.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	There is a current curfew until August 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2020

<b>Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Oman, UAE</b>	 <p>incentives, conferences &amp; events</p>
<b>Updated Date</b>	Tuesday, September 22nd 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Opened on 07 <sup>th</sup> July 2020
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	All quarantine & lock down restrictions have been removed except for Mosques. People within the country are able to have a near normal life. People are allowed to move freely whilst wearing face masks and gloves. Social distancing and use of sanitizers are being enforced in all areas. Children 12 & under as well as people 60 and above are suggested not to visit public places such as malls, restaurants etc. For safety precautions.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Slight increase from a month ago.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Social distancing of 1.5 – 2 meters is required in all shops, offices, restaurants and public areas. Nost activities & excursions need to operate at 50-60% capacity to accommodate social distancing rules.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	In-bound flights are operating. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All passengers arriving in Dubai from any destination, including passengers connecting in Dubai, must have a negative COVID-19 test certificate to be accepted on the flight (I believe this will be true from other flights also). The test must be taken a maximum of 96 hours before departure. This</li> </ul>


	<p>excludes children under the age of 12 and passengers who have a moderate or severe disability.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The UAE government has specified <a href="#">designated laboratories</a>. If you are flying from India, Pakistan and Bangladesh, you must get your certificate from one of these labs. If you are flying from any other country, you can either use the recommended laboratories in the same document or any trusted and certified laboratories in your country of origin.</li> <li>• You may need to take another COVID-19 PCR test on arrival. If you take a test at the airport, you must remain in your hotel or residence until you receive the test result (Normally 24 hours). If the test result is positive, you will be required to undergo isolation and follow the Dubai Health Authority guidelines. You must also download the COVID-19 – DXB Smart App. iOS - Android</li> <li>• All travelers to Dubai, including passengers with a connecting flight, must complete a health declaration form and give it to the staff at check-in. This form will also be available at check-in.</li> <li>• You will also need to complete the quarantine undertaking form given to you on board if Dubai is your final destination. Hand this form to the Dubai Health Authority staff on arrival.</li> <li>• All passengers travelling from Dubai to UK or Europe (and other mandated destinations) will be required to take a COVID-19 PCR test no more than 96 hours before departure and present the test result certificate at check-in.</li> <li>• Before you travel, please <a href="#">check the requirements</a> of the country you are travelling to. You may need to take a printed COVID-19 PCR test before you depart.</li> </ul>
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels are open with most hotels operating at approximately 50%. Hotels have to follow a strict rigorous sterilization and disinfection procedures
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most restaurants are open. Distancing is required. Alternate tables should be empty to keep at least 2m gap in between diners.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open and to run at capacity keeping social distancing in mind.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Activities, Cinemas, public beaches & parks are now open. Social distancing is still required. Activity options are operating with limited capacities (Approx. 50%)
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All shops & malls are open as well as most of the public restaurants. Currently open from 12:00 noon till 22:00. A limit on how many people can be in the store at a time is also in place.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Available. Metro, Public busses and Taxis.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	N/A
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nationwide sanitizing started in March 2020. Ended in June 2020</li> <li>• As of 27 May – 2 million people have been tested at hospitals and 14 drive through testing facilities.</li> <li>• UAE has been listed amongst the top 10 countries for COVID-19 response measures.</li> <li>• Residents are enforced to wear a face mask and gloves when leaving the home.</li> <li>• Social distancing and reduced working hours are applied on all businesses.</li> <li>• Gloves and Hand sanitizer is being provided by almost every shop and restaurant to visitors</li> <li>• Mohammed Bin Rashid University Of Medicine and Health Sciences along with other entities have certification programs that teach, make aware and prepare the general public on Covid-19 and how to protect yourself from it.</li> <li>• Dubai has been granted the World Travel &amp; Tourism Council’s (WTTC) Safe Travels stamp, the world’s first ever global safety and hygiene stamp by the WTTC.</li> <li>• International MICE events will be allowed from 01<sup>st</sup> October.</li> </ul>




<b>Other Key Information</b>	The country is hoping to enter back into normal work life by the end of summer 2020.
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<b>Egypt</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	Jun. 23, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Egyptian Borders are Open.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Egypt is implementing 7-day quarantine periods (Home isolation) and other preventative measures in all cases upon arrival.  Government applying precautionary measures, it's effective Jun. 27 all shops, Cafes, Restaurants & clubs to open every day until 9:00 / 10:00 PM. Only to operate at 25% of their capacity as first stage of reopening.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	As of the evening of Jun 23, there were 58141 confirmed cases of Covid-19 in Egypt. the number of cases whose laboratory results have been converted from positive to negative for Covid-19 rose to 17022 cases, and 15535 recoverees from the 58141 total cases. All part of the Health ministry's surveillance and investigation procedures according to the guidelines of the World Health Organization.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Red Sea Beaches, Museums, Gyms, Sports & Social clubs are announced to reopen 1 <sup>st</sup> of July at 25% of their capacity as first stage with no large gatherings allowed, restrictions to limited numbers in closed places and maintaining social distancing at all public facilities.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Air traffic resuming on the 1 <sup>st</sup> of July to/from all international destinations. Most current air traffic are domestic flights.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Partially operating up to 50% of hotels occupancy, outlets & meeting-rooms for in-house guests
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Gradual reopening effective from the 27 <sup>th</sup> of Jun. At 25% of Restaurants capacities. except for Delivery orders 24/7.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Historical venues are reopening 1 <sup>st</sup> of July 2020 Gradual reopening of venues and activities by 27 <sup>th</sup> of Jun. Limited to 25% of capacity.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Reopening by 1 <sup>st</sup> of July 2020 with capacity limitations.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Supermarkets & pharmacies are open, Shopping Malls & retails are Partially open from 8:00 AM to 9:00 P.M. Delivery orders 24/7
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Effective from June 27 <sup>th</sup> , all public transportation (trains, metro, public buses) are operating till midnight. Private Trans allowed all the time.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> of July international flights, Resorts & venues will resume operation On Jun. 27 <sup>th</sup> Worship houses, private beaches & parks, Cafes, Pubs & bars to have the first stage of reopening with 25% of thir capacity (No Shisha allowed)
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<u>From 30<sup>th</sup> of May:</u> - Face masks are mandatory in public places and closed spaces, and public and private mass transportation and there will be penalties if not applied  <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• all hotels are sterilizing, either in agreement with the Ministry of Health or through a clear protocol with the facilities' administrations.</li> <li>• All workers in the field of tourism have been released from quarantine, and those who were infected have recovered and left hospital, and</li> </ul>


	<p>work will resume at tourist facilities in accordance with specific parameters, where all workers should wear gloves and masks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Egypt receives Safe Travel Stamp from World Travel &amp; Tourism Council (WTTC)</li> </ul>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>England/Wales</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<p><b>17 September 2020</b></p> <p><i>The situation remains fluid, so the following information should be treated as a guideline only, based on current information, and subject to alteration.</i></p>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	UK borders are open
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	2-week quarantine applies still to entrants to the UK from some countries (including North America) but around 60 countries are quarantine-exempt. The policy is under constant review. Domestically policies have reflected the downturn in cases and fatalities. Most businesses have re-opened as part of a slow, careful and considered easing of restrictions.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Very low and decreasing number of fatalities since the peak period in April. Slight rise in reported infection-rates since late August (but considered to be linked to increasing testing) and some additional regional restrictions in place.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Small groups can meet for leisure activities / family gatherings from different households up to 6 pax. Social distancing of 1 metre (3 ft) in place. Temporary tightening of restrictions on larger group outdoor gatherings.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Multiple airlines continue to operate international flights into London, including intercontinental flights by BA, American Airlines, United into Heathrow. Social distancing measures in place at airports.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most have now re-opened, with special hygiene and cleaning measures as well as other procedures to facilitate social-distancing.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Pubs and restaurants are open, as long as adequate social-distancing measures can be implemented (inc tables of no more than 6 people). Special hygiene and cleaning measures also apply in accordance with government guidelines, which may include one-way systems, masks for staff.... etc..
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	More spaces continue to open - with restricted capacities where necessary - to allow social-distancing measures to be enforced. Conference and meeting venues open since 1 <sup>st</sup> August for smaller gatherings up to 30 pax. Venues may open for larger conferences and business events from 01 October (under review).
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	An increasing number of attractions are open. Many museums, galleries and other attractions have re-opened with social-distancing and hygiene measures in place. Pre-booking necessary.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Shops are open and trading. Masks obligatory inside shops.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transport (including the London underground) is running. The wearing of masks or face-coverings is obligatory for using public transport.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	<p>Since 24<sup>th</sup> July: Masks need to be worn when going to shops.</p> <p>Since 01<sup>st</sup> August: More leisure venues open. Meetings and weddings up to 30 pax permitted and some live events.</p> <p>Schools open since 01 September.</p> <p>01<sup>st</sup> October: Larger conferences and events permitted in a "COVID-secure" way.</p>

<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	British government has issued “Safer Transport” guidelines and advice. No additional enforcement measures in place yet. Masks must be worn on public transport.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Businesses are adapting operational policies in response to COVID and to mitigate spread. Notable increase in traffic and return to work, expected to increase again when schools open from 01 Sep.


<b>Finland</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	3. September
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Boarders are open for several countries in the world, however some are still closed where the pandemic is at high risk. Airports and shipping terminals opening for tourists.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No Quarantine from most countries, although caution behavior is expected. Some countries with a high risk of infection risk have restrictions and cannot enter Finland.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Second “ wave “ in Finland , 19 infected, 0 dead ( over 75 years ) . Daily between 08 – 20 persons infected
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Under 500 persons free gathering, although with a safety gap of 2 meters is recommended.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Local carrier Finnair; Air has been opened to some major destinations, mostly in Europe. Starting to open up in June 8 and end of July launching most of their destinations. This is happening faster than expected. Lufthansa / SAS / KLM / Air France etc. Flying to Finland. Free Covid – 19 test at airports.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Many hotels are open at this point but serving for the moment national tourists and some business related guests.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants are opened from 1 <sup>st</sup> of June. No restriction’s in restaurants for outside dining but inside a 2 meters gap between serving tables.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most opened June 1 <sup>st</sup>
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most tourist sites are opened June 1 <sup>st</sup> .
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All retail stores opened on June 1 <sup>st</sup>
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Most transportation / public and private working as normal.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	13. August re-evaluate the second wave. Although much weaker than March / April
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Washing your hands and keeping high hygiene and sanitary standard. In all shops, hand disinfection bottles. No mask compulsory at this point but think of your safety.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	To Finland it is safe to travel but generating problems with flights to Helsinki and in peoples minds, not to travel. In September planned 5 cruise ship arrivals to Helsinki, if the situation will be stable. Doesn’t look like materializing.

<b>France (Northern)</b>	
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<b>Updated Date</b>	Sept 24, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	OPENED to EU and most of the countries
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No quarantine required Temperature check at airports + covid-19 tests in place for passengers who cannot show a negative test proof (of 72hrs)
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Still between 7000 and 10 000 new cases a day (over 1 200 000 tests a week) Little increase of hospitalizations, ICU, and death New restrictions in the big cities.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Social distancing required in all cases. Masks mandatory in all indoors places More and more cities require masks outdoors, Mask mandatory everywhere in Paris and ALL big cities
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	International flights opened
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Opened
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Starting to re-open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Opened
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Additional restrictions in the “red” zones – big cities - following the significant increase of cases we see since a few weeks
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Masks mandatory in ALL indoors places and all over France. Masks mandatory outdoors in certain cities or city centers that are crowded Masks now mandatory everywhere in Paris
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>France (southern) / Monaco</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	August 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	OPENED to EU and some other countries


	Closed to countries where Covid-19 has not yet seen a significant and consistent decrease. (I.e USA/Brazil/Russia..)
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	The quarantine measures apply to countries such as Belgium, Switzerland, Germany, Uk, USA, Bresil, China, Russia, and are changing weekly due to increase in cases.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing with more clusters in the touristic areas (Red zone for Paris & French Riviera / Monaco)
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Social distancing required in all cases. Masks required in all closed areas such as shops, busses and metro and public areas when these are crowded. Mask in open space required in Monaco & Nice.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	International flights open from July 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2020 (with exception of Russia / China / USA)
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Open since June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2020 with some exceptions (Carlton in Cannes, Chateau St Martin in Vence remain closed)
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open since June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2020 with some exceptions (those too small to cope with all the restrictions)
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants, bars, cafes: allowed to fully re-open all over France (indoors and outdoors) with safety restrictions Social distancing, masks for the service staff
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open since June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2020 and Theatra Cinema open from June 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 2020
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Allowed to re-open all over France since June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2020
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	All transportation (bus, metro, tramway) open since June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2020. No limit in numbers but social distancing & masks
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Waiting for further updates as the situation is changing constantly in several European countries too..
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Social distancing, masks inside venues & outside in major tourist areas Nice Côte d'Azur is amongst the first to sign on to the charter put forth by the European Union Aviation Safety Agency to guarantee the health and safety of passengers.... Nice requests masks in all areas.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Waiting to see if the holiday season in France will have an impact on Covid-19 numbers end of August and September. Schools re-openings planned for Sept.2 <sup>nd</sup> . Larger events of maximum 5000 in open air (but depending on each region)

<b>Germany</b>	 <p>Conference – Event – Destination – Association Management</p>
<b>Updated Date</b>	21 September 2020 <i>The situation remains fluid, so the following information should be treated as a guideline only, based on current information, and subject to alteration.</i>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Borders are open for EU members, planned opening for other countries: 31 October 2020 / New: Borders are open for all international trade visitors.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Depending on the state, 14 days for outside arrivals or a negative Covid- 19 test. In most of the states you can leave your home and meet with unlimited other households.

<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Flat. Northern Germany was less effected as the South.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	General: Distance requirements are 1,5 meters. Berlin: Indoor events and meetings from 31 August 2020 - 30 November 2020 with a maximum of 999 persons and other open-air events and meetings with a maximum of 5.000 persons.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Frankfurt Airport is the busiest airport in Europe at the moment. There are flights to the States and Canada. Mainly LH, but number of flights (esp. within Europe) is increasing.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Open, with health and hygiene restrictions (eg. no buffets), staff wearing masks.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open, with restriction (tables have 1,5 meter distance to each other, staff wearing masks, no buffets, opening times 6 am till 10 pm etc.)
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open, with restriction (tables have 1,5 meter distance to each other, staff wearing masks, no buffets)
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Museums and other attractions are open, with individual capacity limits (dep. On size, space etc.). Sightseeing tours and guided tours in the open air are allowed, provided that a minimum distance and hygiene rules are observed.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with capacity limits (see above) and mask obligation.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transport is running as usual, mask obligation. Private possible, same with mask obligation. They also take care on hygiene (disinfection etc.)
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Meetings in closed rooms and open-air meetings are allowed (no. of participants is increasing). See also above.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Wearing masks in all shops, disinfection agents in shops/restaurants, minimum distance of 1,5 meter etc. Certain initiatives are being developed for specific industries (airlines, hotels, restaurants etc.). The Berlin Senate has issued a guideline for the realization of events. CPO has a Hygiene (COVID-19) Policy.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	The requirements are changing weekly. Germany is a federal state (as the USA) and regulations vary from state to state.... Anyhow, Germany is doing quite well compared to other countries.

<b>Greece</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	8 September 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Partially Open
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No quarantine requirements for visitors from certain countries. For others need to have a recent (14 days) COVID-19 test result in hand. Also traveller need to fill in an online form and receive a QR code 24hrs. prior to travel.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	2-4 daily deaths, an avergae of 200 new cases daily. It is said that Greece is currently going through phase 2 of the pandemic.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Social distancing of min. 2m. In certain regions, masks are required both indoors and outdoors.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Some carriers have commenced flights. All domestic travel (flights & ferries) is open.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Some hotels that run on a 12-month operation opened up on June 1 <sup>st</sup> . A few resort hotels have also opened up in some of the more popular island destinations.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Currently open with social distancing and health measures in place. In some regions they close at midnight.
<b>Venues</b> 3(open, closed, capacity limits)	Same as above

<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All open-air sites have opened. Museums are open, but do not accept groups of more than 20 pax.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All retail stores are open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Have started operating as usual, but passengers need to wear masks.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	September 15 <sup>th</sup> . New evaluation and measures to be announced
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	-


<b>Hungary</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 18, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	As of September 1 Hungary closed the borders for all foreigners. Hungarians upon entering the country will be in 2-week quarantine.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	As of September 1 Hungary closed the borders for all foreigners. Hungarians upon entering the country will be in 2-week quarantine.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Weddings, concerts are allowed for up to 500 guests.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	See above
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Those have closed are now opening.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants are fully open.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Operating in regular opening hours.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Available, regular operation, in Budapest people need to wear mask on public transportation vehicles.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	tba
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Wearing masks in grocery stores and when using public transportation is still mandatory.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	The number of confirmed people infected with the coronavirus in Hungary now stands at 4,768. Recovered: 3,529. Deceased: 605.

<b>Iceland</b>	
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<b>Updated Date</b>	28.07.2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Borders are open for EU members. Foreign nationals, who are neither EU/EEA nor EFTA nationals are at present not allowed to enter Iceland unless they can demonstrate that their travel is essential.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<b><u>15<sup>th</sup> of June and onwards</u></b> Travelers will have the option to do a swab test for Covid19 upon arrival at the international airport. The cost of the swab test is approx. 65 USD. Results from the test will be given approx. 6 hours after the sample has been collected. If the swab test is negative, then the traveler is allowed to travel freely without quarantine.  If a traveler does not want to do a swab test, then a 2 week quarantine is the other option.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Situation is stable in Iceland, almost nonexistent active cases.  There have been total 1.857 confirmed cases in Iceland and 10 deaths. Iceland has tested over 20% of the population for Covid19.  On July 28 <sup>th</sup> , 20 there are 8 active cases in isolation in Iceland. 0 in Hospital & 0 in ICU There have only been 43 new cases since 1 <sup>st</sup> of May, and until 28 <sup>th</sup> of July, and 86 cases have tested positive (out of 38,865) at the international airport for, or 0,22% of the tourists.  <b>Covid19 is under control and rare occasional cases are being reported.</b>  Life is normal in Iceland. No need for wearing a mask in public, restaurants are open and life has resumed to normal, for the exception of international travels are limited.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings of 500pax are allowed.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	<b>There are currently flights to and from Iceland from US/Europe. The main destinations are listed below. More destinations are expected in the coming weeks</b>  Boston Copenhagen Berlin Brussels Stockholm München Düsseldorf Amsterdam Zürich Frankfurt Paris London Oslo Vienna Milano Aalborg Prague Budapest Riga Krakow Warsaw Wrocklaw Gdansk





<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	All key Hotels are open.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open (limited to 500 pax)
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open (limited to 500 pax)
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. No restrictions in the nature. Plenty of open space.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open (limited to 500 pax)
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Open. Following local guidelines of public and private transportation.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	<p><b>1<sup>st</sup> of August</b> Travelers from non-EU destinations are allowed to arrive to Iceland without quarantine (swab test performed at the airport). USA is still categorized as a risk zone, and will not yet be allowed to arrive to Europe (Schengen) until further notice.</p> <p><b>20<sup>th</sup> of August</b> Public gathering of 1.000 pax will be allowed, instead of 500 pax.</p>
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>Iceland is considered a very safe destination in regards to Covid19, as active cases are almost non-existent.</p> <p>People are encouraged to keep 2m (6 feet) apart, to wash hands with soap and use hand sanitizers.</p>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<a href="https://www.covid.is/data">https://www.covid.is/data</a>


<b>India</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Inter State borders are open. Rules for international travelers are expected to come in later
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	14 days
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Total – 5,141,905 Recovered – 4,039,986 Active – 918,486 Deaths – 83,433</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Yes, limits in place
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	All flights, international flights are banned. Domestic flights have resumed operations from May 25 2020
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Opened from 08 June onwards (Partial based on state directives)
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some open only for delivery
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some monuments are open for Public visit.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open, certain restrictions apply. Shopping malls opened (Partial based on state directives)
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	<p>Local transport in every city//state is open but interstate travel between certain states are still affected.</p> <p>(Metro lines have resumed operations in Delhi from 7<sup>th</sup> September onwards with timing restrictions)</p>

<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Ministry of Tourism have already issued SOPs for travel, hotels & airlines.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<b>Indonesia</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	August 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Remain closed until further notice
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	14 days
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<a href="https://covid19.go.id/">https://covid19.go.id/</a> August 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2020 Positive 160.165 Recover 115.409 Death 6.694
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Limits on group gathering up to 10 people
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Only selected flights are in operational for national route. Rapid test or PCR certificate required which valid for 14 days respectively.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open with strict protocol in the context of covid-19
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open with strict protocol in the context of covid-19
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some are slowly open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Retail stores are open with hygiene protocol. Shopping malls are mostly open with hygiene protocol
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Partially open with seating capacity re-arrangement. Half capacity regulation in place.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	End of December 2020
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In coordination to other departments, the ministry of tourism of Indonesia has established protocol in the context of covid-19 focusing on Cleanliness, Health and Safety.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<a href="https://www.indonesia.travel/gb/en/news/indonesia-enters-the-list-of-best-countries-to-invest-in-post-covid-19">https://www.indonesia.travel/gb/en/news/indonesia-enters-the-list-of-best-countries-to-invest-in-post-covid-19</a>  <a href="https://covid19.go.id/">https://covid19.go.id/</a>

<b>Ireland</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	09.17.20
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open, but flight schedule is still limited
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Currently Ireland has a 14 day quarantine period in place for incoming arrivals with the exception of a Green List of European countries. Currently, visitors from the US are subject to the quarantine. Locals are now at Level 2 of the government's Plan for Living with Covid19, meaning that all shops, restaurants, cinemas, gyms, hotels, activity providers and attractions are now open.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Ireland has had a slight increase in daily cases due to some small regional outbreaks in the past two weeks. Cases: 31,799 Deaths: 1,788 Recovered: 24,000
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Currently groups of up to 100 people can gather indoors at larger venues, and groups of up to 200 people can gather outdoors in large venues such as stadia. Social distancing of 2 metres must remain in place.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Currently, flights into Dublin Airport (main international airport) are severely impacted by Covid19 restrictions. The majority of flights are operating through our national airline, Aer Lingus. Aer Lingus – Some US routes still operational – today there are flights from Chicago and Boston, also regular flights between European hubs such as London and Amsterdam Ryanair – some domestic/UK flights KLM – Amsterdam route open We are currently awaiting government guidelines on the 14 day quarantine period and incoming travelers into Ireland, which will then enable more airlines to reinstate their routes via Dublin. This update is due in early July.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels have reopened as of the 29 <sup>th</sup> June.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants Have reopened as of the 29 <sup>th</sup> June, with limited capacities and social distancing measures in place. Bars/pubs have been allowed to reopen nationwide, with the exception of Dublin, where they must serve food in order to open.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurant/hotel venues will open in accordance with the above, with social distancing measures in place. Venue capacities are limited by the max indoor individual group size of 6 persons at present.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Tourist attractions have reopened from the 29 <sup>th</sup> June, with social distancing and reduced capacity in place.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	As of the 29 <sup>th</sup> June, all retail outlets are now open, with social distancing and crowd control measures in place.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transport is currently operating, with social distancing measures in place. With the 2 metre rule in place, capacity is greatly reduced on private coaches/public transport.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	There will now be weekly updates to the Green List of countries that are not subject to quarantine on entry into Ireland. These updates will be on Thursdays.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Individual guidelines for hotels, restaurants, attractions, activity providers and bars in place. WTG are now a member of the Failte Ireland Covid19 Safety Charter, which provides training to tourism businesses and certifies their compliancy with the government health and safety guidelines. WTG have also announced Operational Guidelines for upcoming events, more details on <a href="http://www.wallacetravelgroup.com">www.wallacetravelgroup.com</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<b>Israel</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	Aug 5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals only )	Currently a 14 day quarantine period in place for incoming arrivals. For local's life is back to normal with very few restrictions.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Cases: 78000 Deaths: 560 Recovered: 48216
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Maximum 250 together.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	As of July 15th most airlines fly to Israel including all US airlines ]
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	All hotels are allowed to open. So far 386 hotels opened
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants are allowed to open with 75% occupancy and social distance
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	venues are not allowed to open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All are open with pre booking
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	No limits
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	No limits
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Aug 14th for flights to 10 green countries
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	People are encouraged to keep 2m apart, to wash hands with soap and use hand sanitary. Israel incoming sector is preparing a Velvet PLAN FOR INCOMING GROUPS as of late fall 2020
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>Italy</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 23, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Reopened between EU countries
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No quarantine for all arrivals from EU countries, except for Spain, France, Greece and Malta due to their increase of COVIDS cases. As of July 1, only 15 countries non-EU are allowed entrance without need of quarantine and USA, Russia and Brazil are not one of these 15. Due to recent increase of Covid cases within a few EU countries, visitor from these countries are subject to 14 day quarantine.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Numbers are slightly growing during this summer season


<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Inside events limited to 200 persons in one ballroom and up to 1000 for outdoor events. AS OF SEPTEMBER 1, ITALY IS OPENING TO TRADE FAIRS AND OTHER EVENTS, always subject to authorities protocols
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	During summer months, most airlines are resuming flights in to and out of Italy. Some Transatlantic flights from/to USA have resumed as of August. Delta Airlines has implemented 3 flights weekly New York JFK to Rome Fiumicino.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Cities of art such as Rome, Florence, Venice and Milan still hesitant to reopen until a good number of transatlantic and long distance flights resume. A few have reopened, while other reopenings are expected in September. Hotel Excelsior Rome has reopened today September 10.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Majority have reopened with physical distancing restrictions, and strict safety measures
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Are reopening during this period
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Major museums, archeological parks and monuments are have reopened with physical distancing restrictions, strict safety measures and rigid limitations for groups and allowance of total number of visitors throughout the day. Within the next months we are expecting a gradual entry to "normality". As days goes by, more openings and less restrictions
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Have reopened
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Available but with physical distancing restrictions
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	More than Key Dates, it is the increase or decrease of Covid-19 cases that will eventually implement additional regulations and rules
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Continuously in progress. Mask is highly recommendable while in many public spaces and closed-in spaces they are compulsory.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	It's a continuous work in program.


<b>Jordan</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>INFORMATION PENDING</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	

<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>Laos</b>	 <p>We make Asia Easy for You</p>
<b>Updated Date</b>	September, 21st 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	<p>Closed</p> <p>As of 20 March, total suspension of visas (including tourist visa, visa on arrival, e-visa) at every entry point, along with the closure of all traditional checkpoints.</p> <p>All international and inter-provincial and traditional borders must remain closed to all people.</p> <p>Savannakhet International Airport has been temporarily closed until further notice.</p>
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Those wishing to enter Laos must submit applications to the Lao National Taskforce Committee for COVID-19 Prevention and Control. If allowed, they must file visa applications at Lao diplomatic agencies in the host countries.</p> <p>They are also required to present medical certificates issued no more than 72 hours before entry. Following arrival, they will be tested for COVID-19 and subject to a 14-day quarantine at designated facilities.</p>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Decreasing</p> <p>19 confirmed cases.</p> <p>16 of the patients have already been discharged from hospitals (No new Covid-19 cases since 13 April 2020).</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>As of 01 July 2020:</p> <p>All sporting events, casinos are allowed to resume operations</p> <p>Social gatherings, weddings, parties, and traditional festivals may now be held</p> <p>Entertainment venues including karaoke bars, nightclubs, and internet cafes will remain closed until further notice</p>
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	<p>Open</p> <p>Restaurants, hotels, resorts, guesthouses, coffee shops, barbershops, and beauty salons are allowed to operate under strict social distancing guidelines.</p>
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open</p> <p>Restaurants, hotels, resorts, guesthouses, coffee shops, barbershops, and beauty salons are allowed to operate under strict social distancing guidelines.</p>
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Entertainment venues, beer gardens, bars, cinemas, karaoke venues, spa and massage parlors, casinos, night markets, indoor fitness gyms, outdoor team sports venues are prohibited from re-opening.</p>
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Various events &amp; festivals have been cancelled or postponed. Please contact us if you have any specific inquiries about festivals, events or shows.</p>
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open</p>
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	<p>Public transport has been temporarily suspended but now resumes with social distancing measures.</p> <p>Interprovincial travel is now permitted for all people throughout the country.</p>

<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	


<h2>Maldives</h2>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>September 17, 2020</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>To ensure the safety of all, the Health protection Agency (HPA) has made it a mandatory requirement for all tourists and other travelers entering Maldives for short term stay to present a Negative PCR test result for Covid - 19 for arrival effective 10<sup>th</sup> September .</p> <p>All tourists arriving in Maldives must have the health document in English that confirms the tourist has a PCR test for Covid 19 with a Negative result. The said PCR test has to be conducted within a maximum of 72 hrs prior to the departure for Maldives.</p> <p>Split stays between Resorts are now permitted. However, guests need to confirm with the Ministry two days before arrival.</p>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Total cases: 9427</p> <p>Total deaths: 33</p> <p>Total recovered: 7904</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Not allow gathering
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Open
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Some hotels on the Islands opened partially on 15 <sup>th</sup> July (some Resorts may open in September and some from 1 <sup>st</sup> October)
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	A few are open in Male City
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	A few are open in Male City
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Close
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Ministry of Tourism have already issued SOPs for travel, hotels & airlines.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Not Available


<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Malta</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>21st September 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>Travelers from all EU countries except Sweden can enter Malta. As of July 11th, travelers arriving from the countries on the following list <b>do not</b> have to do any quarantine. They do not require any special permits either.</p> <p>EU (except Sweden)</p> <p>Switzerland Iceland Norway United Kingdom Canada Australia New Zealand South Korea Andorra Monaco San Marino China Vatican City Rwanda Uruguay Japan Morocco Thailand Tunisia Lebanon Indonesia United Arab Emirates Turkey Jordan Liechtenstein</p> <p>2. Special permit Nationals coming from any country not listed above and who has not spent at least 14 days in any of the safe countries listed above needs <a href="#">a special permit</a> from health and may be obliged to do quarantine in Malta if accepted by the Health Authorities</p> <p>3. Quarantine No, unless you have to travel to Malta urgently from outside its “safe list,” in which case there’s a mandatory 14-day quarantine</p> <p>4. Third country nationals A number of non-European countries are on the safe list (see above) but the US is currently not included.</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>The health authorities have added the <b>Czech Republic</b> and <b>Tunisia</b> to the ‘amber list’ of arrivals with effect from Friday 28th August 2020. Countries on the list, which also includes <b>Bulgaria, Romania</b> and the Spanish regions of <b>Barcelona, Girona and Madrid</b>, are required on arrival in Malta to produce a negative COVID-19 test taken not more than 72 hours before their flight to Malta.</p> <p>Paris and Marseille added to the above list as of the 11<sup>th</sup> September 2020.</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>2776 total cases – 22 Deaths since March 6<sup>th</sup> 2020 676 active cases</p>




<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Various protocols in place depending on outside or inside events, social distancing has to be respected.																																																																				
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>Malta is opening it's doors again! Flights from the following countries have been added to the safe corridor list, the majority of flights have started operating since the 1st July.</p> <table border="0"> <tr><td>Austria</td><td>Vienna</td></tr> <tr><td>Belgium</td><td>Brussels</td></tr> <tr><td>Czech Republic</td><td>Prague</td></tr> <tr><td>Denmark</td><td>Billund</td></tr> <tr><td>France</td><td>Bordeaux</td></tr> <tr><td>France</td><td>Lyon</td></tr> <tr><td>France</td><td>Marseille</td></tr> <tr><td>France</td><td>Nantes</td></tr> <tr><td>France</td><td>Paris</td></tr> <tr><td>France</td><td>Toulouse</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Baden-Baden</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Berlin-Schonefeld</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Berlin-Tegel</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Cologne</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Dusseldorf</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Frankfurt</td></tr> <tr><td>Germany</td><td>Munich</td></tr> <tr><td>Greece</td><td>Athens</td></tr> <tr><td>Greece</td><td>Thessaloniki</td></tr> <tr><td>Hungary</td><td>Budapest</td></tr> <tr><td>Ireland</td><td>Cork</td></tr> <tr><td>Ireland</td><td>Dublin</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Bari</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Catania</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Milan</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Naples</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Palermo</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Pisa</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Rome</td></tr> <tr><td>Italy</td><td>Venice</td></tr> <tr><td>Luxembourg</td><td>Luxembourg</td></tr> <tr><td>Netherlands</td><td>Amsterdam</td></tr> <tr><td>Poland</td><td>Gdansk</td></tr> <tr><td>Poland</td><td>Katowice</td></tr> </table>	Austria	Vienna	Belgium	Brussels	Czech Republic	Prague	Denmark	Billund	France	Bordeaux	France	Lyon	France	Marseille	France	Nantes	France	Paris	France	Toulouse	Germany	Baden-Baden	Germany	Berlin-Schonefeld	Germany	Berlin-Tegel	Germany	Cologne	Germany	Dusseldorf	Germany	Frankfurt	Germany	Munich	Greece	Athens	Greece	Thessaloniki	Hungary	Budapest	Ireland	Cork	Ireland	Dublin	Italy	Bari	Italy	Catania	Italy	Milan	Italy	Naples	Italy	Palermo	Italy	Pisa	Italy	Rome	Italy	Venice	Luxembourg	Luxembourg	Netherlands	Amsterdam	Poland	Gdansk	Poland	Katowice
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<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most have reopened.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants reopened on the 22 <sup>nd</sup> May. Max number of persons per table restricted to 6 persons - 2 meters apart from each other. Capacity depends on size of restaurant. Bars with food licenses also open, same rules apply. Beach Clubs, Lido's and Public pools open. Night Clubs closed.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All open for events. Capacity limits based on size of venue. Mass events are not allowed.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most reopened in July.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open – Number of persons limited to enter based on size of outlet, information provided on the door, security at door to monitor access. Masks must be worn at all times.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	All transportation is available. Masks must be worn.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	<p>Next Phase saw the Airport and Port opening, date 1<sup>st</sup> July – with flights to other well managed Covid destinations in Europe. <b>As from the 15th July</b>, Malta will be open to ALL the other countries that were previously restricted.</p> <p>Update:</p> <p>Reopening Malta's Tourism: restaurants, outdoor pools, lidos &amp; accommodation, including hotels and holiday furnished premises, to reopen as fr. You can view and download protocols on <a href="https://lnkd.in/ef7NMvZ">https://lnkd.in/ef7NMvZ</a></p>
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	National Guidelines for reopening published 18 <sup>th</sup> May 2020. Overseen by the Malta Tourism Authority compliance division. See <a href="https://lnkd.in/ef7NMvZ">https://lnkd.in/ef7NMvZ</a> For further information please download our digital booklet: <a href="#">Malta Sunny &amp; Safe</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	US Citizens are allowed to visit Malta but they must have been in one of the list of safe countries for at least 14 days before arrival in Malta.


<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mexico</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September 21<sup>st</sup> , 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>OPEN   THE US AND MEXICAN GOVERNMENTS EXTENDED THE LAND BORDER TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS UNTIL SEPTEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup>   ENTER BY AIR ARE OPEN FOLLOWING THE HEALTH PROTOCOLS</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>As of June 15<sup>th</sup> destination is open , the availability of hotel rooms and other commercial lodging, limitations on the number of guests within a hotel, and requirements for guest to be engaged in essential business or transit will vary depending on the state’s stoplight color designation and local restrictions. Government recommend to stay at home and if you are going outside, mask and social distance is required. Baja California sur is Organge</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>MEXICO 694,000.00   BAJA CALIFORNIA STATE 9356   LOS CABOS 2439 / recovery, 159 deaths, 141 active)</p>
<p><b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)</p>	<p>Limited with social distance,</p>
<p><b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)</p>	<p>Domestic : Aeromexico, Volaris and Vivaaerobus, back to operations International: American Airlines, Southwest, Delta operating normal</p>
<p><b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)</p>	<p>OPEN   RECOVERY PHASE 2, capacity at 40% as a destination in Los Cabos as up today September 21<sup>st</sup> 72 hotel re-open at 40%</p>
<p><b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>OPEND   Capacity restrictions at 40 % on this phase 2</p>
<p><b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>CLOSED</p>
<p><b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Beaches are open with social distance, Water activities open with social distance at 40% capacity Land activities, like ATV, ziplines, off road vehicles are open with 40% capacity and following health protocols</p>
<p><b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>OPEN</p>
<p><b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)</p>	<p>PUBLIC TRANSPORSTATION at 40% capacity</p>
<p><b>Upcoming Key Dates</b></p>	<p>October 22<sup>nd</sup></p>
<p><b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)</p>	<p>BAJA CALIFORNIA STATE OBTAIN THE CERTIFICATION “SAFE TRAVELS” FROM WTTC,   INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT GOT THE CERTIFICACION OF AIRPORT HEALT ACREDITATION This certificate recognizes Los Cabos international airport is commitment to prioritizing health and safety measures in accordance with ICAO ( Council Aviation Restart Task Force (CART) recommendations and in alignment with the ACI ( Aviation Business Restart and Recovery Guidelines along with industry best practices.</p> <p>PARTENERED WITH TRAVEL SUPPLIERS TO OBTAIN “CLEAN POINT” CERTIFICATION OFFERED BY THE MEXICAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO STRICTLY ADHERE TO HYGIENE PROTOCOLS   MEXICO PLANNERS DMC HAVE THIS CERTIFICATION TO GUARANTEE BEST PRACTICES AND HEALTH PROTOCOLS</p>
<p><b>Other Key Information</b></p>	

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Morocco</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September 10th, 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>Morocco’s borders reopened on July 15 for an “exceptional operation” permitting the entry of Moroccan citizens, whether they are stranded tourists, students, or residents abroad; foreigners holding Moroccan residency cards; and the family members of both citizens and residents. Since September 7<sup>th</sup>, Morocco opens its borders to foreign visitors upon presentation of a hotel reservation</p> <p>Travelers must take a PCR test less than 48 hours before departing for Morocco, in addition to a serological test to rule out a COVID-19 infection. If a traveler shows symptoms related to COVID-19 upon arriving in Morocco, they will be subject to additional medical examinations.</p> <p>Moroccans residing abroad and foreigners who are currently in Morocco may also leave the country starting July 15.</p> <p>Moroccan students recently admitted to foreign universities, business people, Moroccans seeking medical treatment abroad, and foreigners who hold Moroccan residency cards must obtain exceptional authorization in order to leave the country.</p> <p>Air Arabia, Air France and Royal Air Maroc will facilitate all air travel to and from the country, while the reopening of maritime crossing points will only concern ferries from the ports of Sete, France and Genoa, Italy.</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>The government has decided to announce any further gradual ease of COVID-19 partial lockdown measures on a weekly basis, depending on the epidemiological situation of each region.</p> <p>On September 9<sup>th</sup>, the government announced an extension of Morocco’s state of emergency until October 10. The decision, however, came with the ease of some lockdown measures on those cities / regions classified in Zone 1. Citizens from Zone 1 can go out on the streets without exceptional movement permits. They are also allowed to enjoy access to public spaces, such as gardens.</p> <p>In Zone 1, businesses with suspended activities, such as beauty salons, have been allowed to reopen their doors with a capacity of 50%.</p> <p>Zone 1 residents can also enjoy individual outdoor sports activities such as walking and cycling.</p> <p>The country, however, will maintain its ban on large gatherings, including weddings and celebrations, in both zones.</p> <p>Hammams will also remain closed.</p> <p>Citizens in both zones will have to abide by sanitary measures, including the wearing of face masks in public, social distancing, and other preventive measures to contain the spread of COVID-19.</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>Morocco’s Ministry of Health has reported 2 157 new COVID-19 cases against 2 484 recoveries in the past 24 hours. This brings the total number of confirmed cases in Morocco to 77 878.</p> <p>The number of active COVID-19 cases stands at 16 702 as of 6 p.m. on Wednesday, September 9.</p> <p>The ministry reported that 91% of the new cases resulted from monitoring people who made contact with confirmed COVID-19 carriers.</p>

	<p>Morocco also recorded an additional 2 484 recoveries from COVID-19 in the past 24 hours. The total number of recovered patients now stands at 59 723. The country has a recovery rate of 76,7%, the ministry announced. Meanwhile, the health ministry recorded 26 more fatalities related to COVID-19. The death toll stands at 1 453, and Morocco has a COVID-19 mortality rate of 1.87%.</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Not currently possible to have group activities or social opportunities. Still keeping the social distancing.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	See above
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Mostly have reopened
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Cafes and restaurants permitted to provide dine-in services so long as they operate at 50% capacity.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	CLOSED
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened with limit of capacity to access.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transport is working, with reduced capacity.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>Morocco aims to perform 25 000 COVID-19 tests on daily basis. Since February, Moroccan laboratories have performed 2,1 million (2 138 164) COVID-19 tests, including 2 060 286 that yielded negative results. At the early stage of the pandemic, swift and strict actions were enacted by the Moroccan government and a state of health emergency was declared by implementing aggressive measures to contain the virus.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compulsory confinement, fairly strict, unless there is a specific exemption for going to work.</li> <li>• "Partial lockdown, closing neighborhoods, hammam, parties and sport halls, salon.</li> <li>• Strict guidelines to ensure social distancing.</li> <li>• Cancel all sporting, cultural and artistic events and meetings.</li> <li>• Creation of an emergency fund and cash transfers to vulnerable citizens, and especially those who have lost their jobs.</li> <li>• Upgrading the medical device, in terms of adapted infrastructure and additional means to be acquired in an emergency.</li> <li>• Wearing face masks mandatory, which production is 100% Moroccan made and self-sufficient for the medical sector and population</li> <li>• Establishment of an economic watch committee in order to anticipate the direct and indirect repercussions of the Covid-19 health crisis on the national economy.</li> </ul> <p>Promising Moroccan research and innovation initiatives against the Covid-19 Since the outbreak of the Coronavirus crisis, several university researches teams have launched many initiatives with engineers and volunteer doctors from all over Morocco with the idea of developing innovative solutions.</p>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<p>Morocco is among the 10 countries whose tourism sector is most impacted by the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic. According to the International Monetary Fund's (IMF) latest report, Morocco's tourism sector is the fourth most impacted in the world by the COVID-19 pandemic. With an estimated direct impact equating to 3.8% of GDP, Morocco ranks among the 10 countries calculating the greatest loss from tourism revenues since COVID-19 began its global spread. The North African country's tourism sector is only better off than those of Portugal (4.3%), Greece (6%), and Thailand (6.1%).</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Myanmar</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September, 21st 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>Closed</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>Temporary Suspension of Visa on arrival and E-Visa: on Sunday, 28 June, The Myanmar Ministry of Foreign Affairs announced the temporary <b>suspension of Visa On Arrival and E-visa for all countries will be extended to 31 July 2020.</b></p> <p>On 28 May, The Central Committee on Prevention, Control &amp; Treatment on Covid-19 of Myanmar announced the regulations for foreign nationals traveling to Myanmar to follow if they are granted an entry visa (once applications are available). The conditions, which appear to be aimed mainly at foreign workers, are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreigners will have to fulfill a 21-day quarantine – one week home quarantine in their respective country before flying, another one week facility quarantine after arriving in Myanmar and finally one more week of home quarantine in Myanmar, before being cleared to work in the country</li> <li>• They will also need to provide evidence they are free from Covid-19 infection (medical certification provided by a doctor or hospital)</li> <li>• Proof they have completed the one week home quarantine before flying is also required, however it is unclear what type of proof would be requested.</li> </ul> <p>All foreign travelers are required to present a medical certificate issued by a medical facility in their country of departure before boarding their flights. On arrival, they will be quarantined for 14 days in a government facility.</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>Decreasing 341 confirmed cases. 280 of the patients have already been discharged from hospital. The last community transmission was recorded on 16 July 2020.</p>
<p><b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)</p>	<p>The government is recommending that all people stay at home and practice social distancing.</p> <p>Gatherings of more than five people, with exceptions for public servants, factory employees, and corporate employees are banned</p> <p>Yangon imposed a 10pm to 4am curfew and a stay-at-home order on 10 Yangon townships until June 18, excluding essential worker</p>
<p><b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)</p>	<p>International flight restrictions to and from Yangon International Airport have been further extended to 31 July 2020</p>
<p><b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)</p>	<p>Partially open</p>
<p><b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p><b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Partially Closed</p>
<p><b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	
<p><b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p><b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)</p>	

<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>Nepal</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	The government announced September 14 that all land ports of entry into Nepal remain closed through midnight the night of October 16. There are a limited number of border points through which returning Nepali citizens are allowed entry.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>On 09 Sep, Government of Nepal officials announced loosening of lock down in Kathmandu valley. As per the new provision, private and public vehicles will have to follow the odd-even rule, with odd-numbered vehicles plying on odd dates according to Nepali calendar and even-numbered vehicles plying on even dates.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Essential businesses are open in the morning until 1100 hours and again from 1700-1900 hours.</li> <li>- Takeaway and other delivery services are permitted to operate from 1200-1900 hours.</li> <li>- Shopping Malls and luxury goods stores are open on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays.</li> <li>- Restaurants are permitted to open beginning September 17.</li> <li>- Hotels are also permitted to open beginning September 17.</li> <li>- On September 13, Nepal Immigration in Kalikasthan, Kathmandu, resumed operations. All visa holders requiring any visa-related services should consult the Department of Immigration for information about visa matters</li> </ul>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Total cases: 59,573</p> <p>Total deaths: 383</p> <p>Total recovered: 42,949</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Large gatherings is banned and all public places like movie theaters, culture centers, gymnasium, nightclubs, stadiums and swimming pools remain closed until further notice.


<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Government announced the resumption of limited domestic flights beginning today 17 <sup>th</sup> September. Each flight will be allowed only to operate at 50% capacity and under strict COVID mitigation measures.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Resumed operations with safety protocol
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Resumed operations with safety protocol
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Public venues like cinema halls, party palaces etc. remain closed
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Temples and town squares are open for business adhering to safety and social distancing measures
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Super markets and store are open for business with strict social distancing measures
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Transport entrepreneurs can operate public transport vehicles that carry more than 16 passengers. Taxis can carry three passengers and two more children if they are from the same family and below five years of age. Public vehicles cannot allow more than one passenger in one row and cannot carry more than half the capacity of their vehicles. Sanitisers will have to be kept at the entrance for passengers' use and bus drivers and conductors will have to wear masks and gloves
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>In context of mitigation and control of the global pandemic COVID-19, the Government of Nepal has halted on-arrival-visa till further notice. As of now, entry permit and on-arrival-visa shall only be granted to Nepalis repatriated from abroad and foreign nationals who have entry permission to Nepal from the Government. With regular flights to Nepal starting from Sept. 2, 2020, as per Cabinet Decision on Aug. 20, 2020, the Department of Immigration (DoI) at Kalikasthan has requested the Immigration Office at Tribhuvan International Airport (TIA) to facilitate arrival and departure as per the following regulations, on Aug. 28, 2020</p> <p><b>A. Arrival, on-arrival visa and entry permission</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. On-arrival-visa service at entry points has been halted till further notice.</li> <li>2. Visa shall be granted to foreigners with diplomatic and official passports who work in Nepal-based foreign diplomatic missions, UN offices and development agencies, on the basis of official recommendations from the agencies/ organization.</li> <li>3. In case of foreigners who need to visit Nepal on other important matters, visa shall be granted at the entry point only if permission to enter has been sought and granted from Nepal Government beforehand.</li> <li>4. All passengers are required to produce RT-PCR Negative evidence not older 72 hours before boarding the flights.</li> <li>5. All passengers shall pledge to stay on mandatory home quarantine for a minimum of 14 days on arrival.</li> <li>6. Foreign individuals recommended entry facilitation by Nepal Government (Ministry of Home and Ministry of Foreign Affairs) shall not need further decision from DoI regarding issuing visa or entry permit.</li> </ol> <p><b>B. Departure of Nepali citizens to foreign destinations</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Departure shall be allowed to Nepalis for foreign employment, business, studying abroad, on the basis of evidence and documents. Nepalis working in international organizations and Nepalis with permission for residing abroad shall also be allowed to depart based on evidence and documents.</li> </ol>




	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Departure shall be allowed to Nepalis for medical treatment and to those whose immediate family members are abroad on the basis of evidence and documents. Departure shall not be allowed for tourism and similar activities till further notice.</li> <li>3. In addition to satisfactory evidence and documents before Immigration officer, passengers will be required to fill in self proclamation forms before departure.</li> </ol>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<p>Link to safety protocol at TIA released by Civil Aviation Authority Nepal.</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/rX4rUHCgE_o">https://youtu.be/rX4rUHCgE_o</a></p>

<b>New Zealand</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	July 29 <sup>th</sup> 2020 - New Zealand could keep eliminating coronavirus at its borders for months to come, even as the global pandemic worsens in many countries. New Zealand citizens and residents have returned to a “normal” life. BRAVO NEW ZEALAND!
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	New Zealand’s borders remain closed to everyone except residents, citizens and a small number of foreigners with special exemptions.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Currently about 400 people fly in to New Zealand each day. New Zealand has had a total of 1,548 cases of COVID-19 and 22 people have died. New arrivals to New Zealand have to spend 14-days in quarantine at government-managed hotels. Each person has to have a COVID-19 swab test on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> day of their ISO period and cannot leave without a negative test result.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Zero new cases - New Zealand continues its efforts to flatten the curve – and we are all working together to ensure this progress amazing progress continues.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	During Level 1 (- NEW ZEALAND is back to pre-covid-19 in the “new normal” - with no social distancing or wearing of masks required.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Domestic flights operating with great success around New Zealand for all residents.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	All hotels continue to open, following procedures put in place by the New Zealand Government. Hotels must keep records, maintain social distancing rules and all seated when eating or drinking.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants and cafes are open and operating with great success!
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Ditto - including football stadiums – GO THE ALL BLACKS!
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Ditto
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All open and operating


<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Up and running with time tables increasing weekly.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Level 1 announced by the Government of New Zealand Pre-COVID rules and regulations. Borders are expected to open shortly in three phases.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	On-going in all establishments per Government protocols.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<b>BRAVO NEW ZEALAND !</b> New Zealand has done an AMAZING job of maintaining and controlling all COVID-19 virus. Industry professionals will be working to ensure the highest possible standards of hygiene, tracking and tracing to ensure incentive events are safe now and in the future. WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO YOUR RETURN TO THE 'SAFE' AND CLORIOUS DESTINATION OF NEW ZEALAND!

<b>Norway</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>10SEP2020// (no new updates)</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Se below
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Situation is apt to change almost daily as and can also differ from region to region as well as depend of from which border to enter. Kindly contact us at <a href="mailto:info@snedmc.eu">info@snedmc.eu</a> for accurate details
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	
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<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<i>Full IATA update</i> <a href="https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm">https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm</a>


	<p><b>Additional information (from other sources)</b></p> <p><b>Domestic Restrictions</b> There are no restrictions on travel within Norway. Social distancing guidance remains in force. Face masks are now being recommended by Norwegian health officials for everyone riding on public transportation in Oslo and nearby Indre Østfold.</p> <p><b>International Tourists</b> Anyone who travels to Norway must stay in quarantine for 10 days after arrival. Exemptions are given upon arrival in Norway from areas in the Nordic countries and other EU/EEA/Schengen countries with sufficiently low transmission. Norway is not yet open for travellers from countries outside of the EU/EEA/Schengen area. On the Norwegian Institute of Public Health (NIPH)'s official website, you'll find a map and list of which countries and regions that are exempt from quarantine: <a href="https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/travel-advice-COVID19/">https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/travel-advice-COVID19/</a> No self-isolation requirement on arrival in England with exceptions, see details here: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-travel-corridors?utm_source=28f09be7-c61b-41bb-83f5-00197a7ea948&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&amp;utm_content=immediate#countries-and-territories-with-no-self-isolation-requirement-on-arrival-in-england">https://www.gov.uk/guidance/coronavirus-covid-19-travel-corridors?utm_source=28f09be7-c61b-41bb-83f5-00197a7ea948&amp;utm_medium=email&amp;utm_campaign=govuk-notifications&amp;utm_content=immediate#countries-and-territories-with-no-self-isolation-requirement-on-arrival-in-england</a> Third country nationals may not enter Norway without special exception.</p> <p><b>Hotels, Bars &amp; Restaurants</b> Most businesses have resumed operations but there may be some exemptions. Be sure to check with the individual business before traveling. Most of the following tourism services are now open including: hotels restaurants spas shops malls tours</p> <p><b>Events/Mass Gatherings</b> Conferences and meetings of up to 500 are allowed as long as participants are mainly seated throughout the event. Large gatherings, such as festivals and other big events, remain banned through to at least 31 August 2020.</p> <p><b>Official Advice Site/Source</b> <a href="https://www.fjordnorway.com/planning-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway">https://www.fjordnorway.com/planning-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway</a> <a href="https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/travel-advice-COVID19/">https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/travel-advice-COVID19/</a> <a href="https://www.visitnorway.com/plan-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway/">https://www.visitnorway.com/plan-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway/</a> <a href="https://www.newsinenglish.no/2020/08/03/updates-here-as-corona-rages-on/">https://www.newsinenglish.no/2020/08/03/updates-here-as-corona-rages-on/</a></p>
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<b>Panama</b>	 <p>PANAMA DMC   BY TURISTA INTERNACIONAL</p>
<b>Updated Date</b>	September, 01, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Airport open to passengers in transit, humanitarian flights and freight.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Unrestricted movement of citizens Monday to Saturday except for curfew time (21:00 – 05:00)
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Active cases: 24,560 Daily cases: 570 (last 24 hrs) Daily death: 16 (last 24 hrs) RT (Reproduction rate): 0.96 Decreasing (tendency)
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	No groups allowed yet. Guidelines ready.


<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Regular flight for passengers on transit. Only humanitarian flights. Freight flights.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Closed Soon expected to open at 50% capacity.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Only delivery
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed Expected to open soon at 50% capacity.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed Expected to open soon at 50% capacity.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Non-essential retailers open just for pick up. No restrictions on Pharmacies, supermarkets, food distribution, gas stations
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Metro line public buses are open. 5:00 to 21:00
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Every Sundays the restrictions are reviewed When RT falls under 0.5 we expect to open all business without restrictions.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Tourism Safety Guidelines Ready
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Hospital beds and ICU units at less than 80%. RT under 0.96 (1 person infects less than 1 person), Mortality Rate 2.2%.

<b>Peru</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	May 25. 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	All country is lockdown until June 31th. Obligatory curfew in Lima from 9pm to 4 a.m., and some regions from 6pm to 4am. Allowing one family member to acquire basic needs such as food and medicines any day except for Sundays, when only essential workers may circulate. Banks, markets and pharmacies are open from Monday to Saturday. Since this week some restaurants approved their hygiene protocol and start operating by delivery.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	As today cases in total are 99, 483 from a total population of 33 millions of people. Government reported 2914 deaths and 36,524 people recovery from the virus
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	From now, not groups allowed, still keeping social distancing.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Borders are closed. The only flights that we have are the humanitarian flight to bring people to their countries, bring Peruvians back to our country and regionals flights for people out from their homes when quarantine started.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Closed. Some hotels are attending people that coming by humanitarian flight and need to do quarantine. According with the reactivation economic phases, hotels will start operating between August-September, but is subject of the situation.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most of them are closed but some other start to attendee by to go or delivery only.
<b>Venues</b>	Closed

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<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Limit capacity for public transportation and works only 4am until 9pm, facial mask is mandatory. Some companies' taxis started operating since last week. We expected more information by the government in order to work in procedure of Coltur transportation guidelines.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Jun 31, 2020
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Use mask is mandatory in public areas in all country. Most of the hotels and tourism companies are working in safety and sanitary protocols. At Coltur we are working in the protocol as well and is subject to improve once the government bring more information about general regulation.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>Poland</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> of August 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	<b>As of 13 June 2020</b> , Poland has restored <b>full border traffic within the internal borders of the European Union</b> , and travellers have regained the right to free entry, exit and transit through the territory of the Republic of Poland. <b>Importantly, they do not have to quarantine.</b> International rail traffic within the EU's internal borders has also been resumed, and <b>from 17 June 2020, international flights have been partially resumed.</b>
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Persons crossing the borders of the Republic of Poland that are internal EU borders, <b>do not have to undergo a mandatory 14-day quarantine.</b> The obligation to undergo a 14-day quarantine is imposed on persons crossing the borders of the Republic of Poland that are also the external borders of the EU, when traveling to their place of residence or stay.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Confirmed cases: 63 000; Recovered: 42 700; Deaths: 1 970
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Adjusting the number of participants to the applicable regulations, i.e. presence of no more than 1 person on 2.5 m2 of space available to participants, excluding service. <b>Guidelines of business meetings, training sessions, conferences &amp; congresses applies</b> (by The Ministry of Development with The Chief Sanitary Inspector): <a href="https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/spotkania-biznesowe-szkolenia-konferencje-i-kongresy">https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/spotkania-biznesowe-szkolenia-konferencje-i-kongresy</a> <b>Guidelines of trade-fairs, exhibitions applies:</b> (by The Ministry of Development with the Chief Sanitary Inspector): <a href="https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/targi">https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/targi</a>
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	<b>International Air Travel has opened. Flights to/from following countries are forbidden:</b> Bosnia and Herzegovina; China; Montenegro; Russia; Brazil; The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia; The Kingdom of Bahrain; The Kingdom of Eswatini; Mexico; Israel; Qatar States; States of Kuwait; Argentina; Armenia; The Republic of Chile; The Dominican Republic; Ecuador; The Gabonese Republic; The Republic of Guatemala; The Republic of Honduras; Iraq; Kazakhstan;


	The Kyrgyz Republic; Colombia; Kosovo; Costa Rica; North Macedonia; Maldives; Moldova; Panama; Peru; South Africa; Salvador; Serbia; Singapore; Suriname; Cape Verde; United States of America; Oman; Luxembourg; Bolivia; Bahamas Community															
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	From <b>May 4</b> , hotel and accommodation services are opened. <b>From 30th May, 2020</b> – hotel’s restaurants and bars are opened and <u>served service</u> is allowed. <b>From 6th June, 2020</b> – the re-opening of the following facilities: swimming pools, fitness centres, massage parlours, restaurants <b>From 6th June, 2020</b> – business meetings, training sessions, conferences, congresses and trade-fairs, exhibitions are allowed* * Official Decree of The Council of Ministers from 29th May, 2020 <b>Official guidelines for hotels and accommodation facilities:</b> <a href="https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/hotele-i-inne-miejsca-noclegowe">https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/hotele-i-inne-miejsca-noclegowe</a>															
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	<b>From 30th May</b> the limitations of numbers of guests are lifted, but there is a maintaining a tables distance restriction of 1,5 meters in between. Disinfection of tables after each client applies. Guests can take of their masks when seated at the table. <b>Official guidelines for gastronomy:</b> <a href="https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/gastronomia">https://www.gov.pl/web/rozwoj/gastronomia</a>															
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Depending on the venue, its capacity and safety preparedness. Gatherings – as above.															
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<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Info below – Stages of Lifting Restriction Measures in Poland															
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	<b>Public transportation:</b> Public transit authorities are now allowed to increase the passenger limit in public transit vehicles. How many people can use a vehicle? As many people as there are seats (if there are only seats) as many as 50% of the total number of seats and standing spots (in this case, however, half the seats must remain empty). <b>Example:</b> If there are seats on the bus, they can all be occupied. If the bus has 30 seats and 70 standing spots, it can accommodate 50 people. <b>Private transportation:</b> all seats can be occupied as there is no possibility of standing places. Obligatory mouth masks.															
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<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	The Polish MICE & Travel industry initiative TUgether is currently working on the 4 <sup>th</sup> phase of lifting the restriction measures in our business. The Crisis Team TUgether is an industry representation in front of The Polish Ministry of Development and working closely with Polish authorities.															
<b>Other Key Information</b>	It is obligatory to follow the measurements such as 1,5 meters social distancing. No mouth masks obligatory anymore in open spaces, if social distancing is followed. The obligation of covering mouth and nose in public spaces still remains: public transportation, supermarkets, cinemas & theatres, at massage and tattoo parlours, in a church, at the hospital and doctor’s office, in public buildings, incl. offices, in particular while handling official matters.															

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Portugal</b></p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"><small>DESTINATION MANAGEMENT COMPANY</small></p>
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September 24th, 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>Land borders with Spain have reopened on July 1<sup>st</sup>.</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>All commercial establishments are open. Commercial spaces must close until 8 PM with the exception supermarkets that can close at 10 PM and restaurants where clients can be admitted until 11 PM, as determined by the city hall of the geographical area.</p> <p>Schools have reopened. with the necessary hygiene and safety measures.</p> <p>Health and safety measures must be maintained: the use of mask and social distancing are mandatory.</p> <p>Portugal is not considering imposing a mandatory quarantine on anyone who arrives in the country but could do so in the framework of negotiations by the European Union (EU).</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>71,156 confirmed cases, 22,549 active cases, 46,676 recovered and 1,931 deaths in a population of 10M.</p> <p>Portuguese government has been taking all necessary public health measures to protect the entire population. The analysis of the evolution of the outbreak is constant and implementation of new measures will be carried out whenever necessary.</p>
<p><b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)</p>	<p>Confinement is mandatory for sick people and under active surveillance.</p> <p>People can meet up in groups, at public areas or establishments, up to a maximum of 10 people (unless they belong to the same household).</p> <p>People can meet up in groups, at restaurants or cafes located within 300m distance from schools, up to a maximum of 4 people.</p> <p>People can meet up in groups, at restaurants located inside shopping centers, up to a maximum of 4 people (unless they belong to the same household)</p>
<p><b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)</p>	<p>1. Passengers are not allowed to enter.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- This does not apply to nationals and residents of Portugal.</li> <li>- This does not apply to passengers with a long-term visa issued by Portugal</li> <li>- This does not apply to passengers arriving from Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, China (People's Rep.), Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Japan, Korea (Rep.), Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Rwanda, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Tunisia, United Kingdom or Uruguay;</li> <li>- This does not apply to - passengers with a residence permit issued by Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden or United Kingdom, returning via Portugal to their country of residence;</li> <li>- This does not apply to - passengers with a long term visa issued by Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden or United Kingdom, returning via Portugal to their country of residence.</li> </ul> <p>2. Passengers must have a medical certificate with a negative Coronavirus (COVID-19) PCR test result issued at most 72 hours before departure.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- This does not apply to passengers arriving from Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Canada, China (People's Rep.), Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Japan, Korea (Rep.), Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Rwanda, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand, Tunisia, United Kingdom or Uruguay.</li> </ul> <p>3. Flights to Portugal restarted</p>


	<p>4. Passengers are subject to medical screening. Upon their arrival at Lisbon, Oporto, Faro and Beja airports, all passengers will be required to carry out a temperature scan by infrared, and, whenever they are detected with fever, they will be subject to a second temperature scan. If the situation assessment justifies it, they will be subject to a test for COVID-19 and will be allowed to leave the airport after providing their contact details, and they will have to remain confined at their destination until they receive the negative result of the PCR test, following the guidelines of the Directorate-General for Health for these cases.</p> <p>5. Flights between Portugal and other destinations are only permitted for essential travel. In this case, passengers must present a negative test to COVID-19 (RT-PCR), carried out within 72 hours before departure. This test is not required for those who are in transit and do not have to leave the airport facilities.</p> <p>“Essential travel” is defined as trips allowing the transit, entry into and departure from Portugal for the following persons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- citizens of a European Union member state, Schengen Associated countries and their family members;</li> <li>- citizens repatriated through consular assistance.</li> <li>- third-country nationals travelling for professional purposes, study, family reunions, health, and humanitarian reasons and under the reciprocity principle.</li> </ul> <p>In essential travels, national and foreign citizens with legal residence in Portugal and also diplomatic personnel accredited in Portugal who, exceptionally, do not present the test, will have to do it on arrival, at the airport, and at their own expense. Foreign passengers who embark without the test performed, will be refused entry into national territory.</p> <p>6. Passengers flying to the Madeira archipelago must present a negative test to COVID-19 carried out within 72 hours prior to departure or they can perform it upon arrival. Specific information for Madeira islands: - <a href="http://www.visitmadeira.pt/en-gb/useful-info/corona-virus-(covid-19)/information-to-visitors-(covid-19)">http://www.visitmadeira.pt/en-gb/useful-info/corona-virus-(covid-19)/information-to-visitors-(covid-19)</a>.</p> <p>7. Passengers flying to the Azores archipelago will be subject to one of the following options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Submit proof of testing to COVID-19 up to 72 hours prior to flight departure;</li> <li>- Perform test on arrival and stay in prophylactic isolation until the result is obtained;</li> <li>- Perform voluntary quarantine for a period of 14 days in a hotel indicated for the purpose;</li> <li>- Return to the destination of origin or travel to any destination outside the Region, fulfilling, until the time of the flight, prophylactic isolation in a hotel indicated for this purpose;</li> <li>- More information for Azores are available at <a href="http://covid19.azores.gov.pt">covid19.azores.gov.pt</a></li> </ul>
<p><b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)</p>	<p>Most hotels closed during the state of emergency and most have reopened gradually with protective measures.</p>
<p><b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Restaurants and cafes are open: Provided that hygiene and social distancing measures are respected.</p> <p>Closing time: 11 PM. No alcoholic drinks can be served after 8 PM, except for accompanying meals.</p> <p>Bars and Nightclubs - They may operate only as cafes and are subject to the rules specified for these establishments.</p> <p>No consumption of alcohol in public spaces, except in restaurants, cafés, and bars.</p> <p>Distance between tables must be at least 1.5 meters.</p>
<p><b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Closed Venues - TBA</p> <p>Open-air events - Outdoor shows can take place in a delimited venue to allow access control. They must follow rules of social distance and circulation, to minimize physical contact.</p>
<p><b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Museums, monuments, palaces, art galleries and similar are open with the necessary hygiene and safety measures.</p>
<p><b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>All retail shops, shopping malls, movie theaters and gyms are open with the necessary hygiene and safety measures.</p>



<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	In public transportation it is mandatory the use of mask, hygiene and frequent cleaning.  In private vehicles with more than five seats, they cannot carry more than two thirds of the expected occupants. Exceptions are members of the same household. Private transportation is done with the necessary hygiene and safety measures - drivers will use gloves and mask during the service and the vehicle will be disinfected between services.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	October 15 <sup>th</sup> – update and balance of the contingency measures related to the Covid-19 pandemic initiated on September 15th and extended on September 24th.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Safety and sanitary measures are insured by the competent authorities and reinforced by the police if necessary. The “Clean & Safe Establishment” Seal is implemented for companies in the tourism sector that comply with the recommendations of the Directorate-General for Health to avoid contamination of spaces with SARS-CoV-2
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Portugal was recognized by several countries as an example in the fight against the Covid-19 pandemic for the effectiveness, discipline and rationality of the measures applied. Portugal is indeed working non-stop so that the country can return to a new normal and be able to welcome tourists back.

<b>Puerto Rico</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 14, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open. Domestic flights to/from U.S. mainland and US Virgin Islands open. If traveler already allowed entry into the U.S., they are free to continue travel to Puerto Rico on domestic flights. International flights to/from some other Caribbean islands open. The United States lifted the restrictions for inbound international flights and those may resume.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Inbound travelers must complete an online travel declaration, available at <a href="https://travelsafe.pr.gov">travelsafe.pr.gov</a> . Confirmation must be presented to local officials upon arrival. All air arrivals, whether visitors or returning residents, must provide evidence of a negative molecular COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours of travel. Failing that, passengers may undergo a health screening, to include a rapid test, at the airport. Travelers must then remain in quarantine until able to procure a negative molecular test on-island, at own cost, and upload the negative results to the app. Hospitality properties and travel agents are requested to advise travelers of restrictions before booking. Short-term rentals (AirBnBs, etc.) that do not have an inn-keeper registration number from the Puerto Rico Tourism Company must remain closed. Nose and mouth coverings required when entering each authorized establishment, except when exercising, swimming, doing sports or water sports, actually dining or drinking, or when precluded by a medical condition, or if under two years old. Curfew in effect daily from 10:00 PM to 5:00 AM. Residents and visitors must remain at their homes or their hotel, unless in an emergency or if in transit to or from the airport. Food delivery allowed until 11:00 PM. Exceptions for food service, medical, emergency and ports and airports personnel.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Deaths remain very low (169 per million in population – 10 <sup>th</sup> lowest in the United States), cases decreasing. Puerto Rico was the first U.S. jurisdiction to establish strict lockdown on March 15, 2020.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Crowding not allowed. Groups may gather with health and safety measures in approved venues.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	In service: Delta, United, American, Southwest, Spirit, jetBlue, Cape Air, Silver Airways, Frontier. Intra and Inter-island from San Juan to Ponce, Aguadilla, Mayagüez, Vieques and Culebra available on Cape Air, Flamenco Airways and Vieques Air Link.


<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Open. Pool areas open at 25% capacity. Beaches are open with distancing between unrelated groups. Spas are open by individual appointment only; no couples or group sessions. Golf and tennis are open. Casinos are open at 25% capacity. Gyms are open at 25% capacity. Hotel restaurants open at 50% capacity. Alcohol service only at dining tables. Bars are closed. Hotels were never ordered closed, but “external tourism must not be incentivized”. Not prohibited, but not promoted.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open, 50% dine-in capacity. Bars are closed. Alcohol service only at dining tables.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Meetings, conferences and other corporate activities allowed with a waiver from the Governor’s Chief of Staff. Must conform to health and safety measures and no crowding.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Privately-run tours and excursions (sightseeing, zip lines, kayaking, horseback riding, adventures, etc.) have received their guidance and can open now. Territorial parks are open at 50% capacity. El Yunque National Forest (Rainforest) open, admittance based on a reservations system and at 50% capacity. Old San Juan National Historic Site (castles/forts/old city walls) awaiting guidance from the U.S. National Park Service. Rest of Old San Juan is open. Beaches, including public beaches, are open. Museums open at 50% capacity. Marinas are open. Boating and sailing allowed. Rafting is prohibited. Boats must remain 17 feet apart at anchorages, beaches and moorings.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open, 50% capacity for strip malls, 1 person per 100 sq. ft. in closed malls.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	For-hire sedans, SUVs and vans, and taxis and share-rides available for individuals, couples, families and small groups traveling together. Coaches and mini-coaches for larger groups also available, at 50% load capacity. Public transportation (city buses, metro) is not operating.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Current executive order effective September 12, 2020 to October 2, 2020.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Destination Puerto Rico has acknowledged and certified adherence to the Puerto Rico Tourism Company (Authority) Destination-wide Health and Safety Program, and the Puerto Rico Department of Labor Occupational Safety and Health (OSHA) COVID-19 Exposure Prevention Plan Self-Certification. Destination Puerto Rico established a Health and Safety Task Force, which published a manual on policies, protocols and procedures. Employees are being trained and certified on these as they come back onboard.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Puerto Rico medical facility capacity remains underused or within a comfortable margin.

<b>Russia</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>Sept 22nd</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed with few exceptions since mid-March & few international flights available and with EU introduced Travel embargo from Russia July 1 <sup>st</sup> Only Countries allowed entering Russia based on providing a 48 hours negative Corona Result in advance or completing a negative result within 72 hours after arrival or a quarantine for 14 days. Eu Restriction prolonged until October 31st UK, Turkey Tanzania (Zanzibar only). Opened by 27 <sup>th</sup> of September: Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, South Korea with same conditions
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Only flights from UK, Turkey and Tanzania (Zanzibar only), Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, South Korea allowed entering Russia based on providing a 48 hours negative Corona Result in advance or completing a negative result within 72 hours after arrival or a quarantine for 14 days. Repatriate return flights needs a 14 days quarantine.  Recovering Positive result patients on Covid test needs home quarantine with checks of 14 days
<b>Cases</b>	Based on 145 Million people:

(increasing, decreasing, flat)	Infected (1.115.810) Deceased (19.649 persons)
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Families only not determined – not determined
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Only flights from below countries allowed with restrictions of providing tests or quarantine with registration upon arrival. UK, Turkey Tanzania (Zanzibar only) Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, South Korea  Embargo from EU
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels partially opened in Moscow & St. Petersburg with low occupancy and limited staff. Sochi mainly opened for local travellers
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Mainly opened with social distancing and outsided perference
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Majority public museums opened at own initiative
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Beginning Tuesday, June 16, museums, exhibition halls, libraries, zoos, may open at own initiative
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Metro working as well as local coaches, domestic trains some domestic airline routes
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	November 1st Aeroflot preliminary opened for bookings depending bilateral agreements in place. Indication boarders closed until end of Decemeber/April 2021 January 1 <sup>st</sup> : VISA Requirements will be offered on-line for the majority of countries (USA, Canada & Australia not included)
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Facemasks, gloves are recommended in public places and social distancing but not used commonly, Quarantine 14 days after recovering with negative results.
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Health Ministry will likely register a vaccine, which is still undergoing clinical trials, Schools will re/open September 1 <sup>st</sup> with restrictions and distance learning.


<b>Scotland</b>	 
<b>Updated Date</b>	July 8, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Open - US citizens cannot travel to any European Country for the moment due to the high COVID cases in America – this decision is reviewed every 2 weeks
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	14 days if visiting the country – the quarantine will be abolished from July 10th
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Flat - near to eradication
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	No group allowed as yet
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Airlines started to come back to Edinburgh : Lufthansa, KLM, Qatar Aurways, Ryanair, Loganair, British Airways, Easyjet, Wizz
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Opening on July 15th
<b>Restaurants</b>	Opening on July 15th

(open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opening on July 15th
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opening on July 15th
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Supermarkets are open – 80% of retail stores are open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Private coaches – taxis and public busses and trains are running but only 20 people for 49 seater coach are allowed – only 2 people can sit using 8 seats on a train
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	July 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	All in progress – Safestay as well as all other aspects will soon be revealed
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Scotland is looking forward to welcoming their clients back to one of the most amazing countries on earth


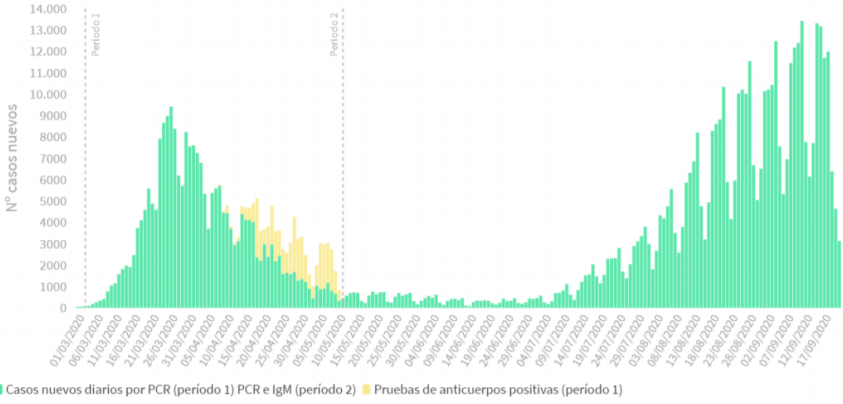
<b>Slovenia</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 16th
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Opened to EU/EAA Countries and other low risk countries
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>As of July 17<sup>th</sup>, Only countries on the red list need to quarantine <i>Arriving from countries on the red list</i></p> <p><b>The 14-day quarantine</b> rule applies to all travellers arriving in Slovenia from countries with an unstable epidemiological situation (red list), and travellers with a temporary or permanent residence in these countries entering Slovenia (irrespective of their citizenship or residence).*</p> <p><b>Countries on the red list:</b> Qatar, Bahrain, Chile, Kuwait, Peru, Armenia, Djibouti, Oman, Brazil, Panama, Belorussia, Andorra, Singapore, Sweden, Maldives, Sao Tome and Principe, United Arab Emirates, United States of America, Saudi Arabia, Russian Federation, Moldavia, Gibraltar, Bolivia, Puerto Rico, Gabon, Cayman Islands, Dominican Republic, South African Republic, Iran, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, North Macedonia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, Kosovo, Portugal, and Albania.</p> <p>* <b>By way of exception</b>, travellers from the above listed countries, whatever their nationality or residence, can enter Slovenia without restrictions or having to quarantine if they qualify as one of the <a href="#">six exceptions in Article 10 of the Ordinance</a> (under points 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7). However, travellers entering Slovenia as exceptions under points 2 and 7 also have to show a negative test for Covid-19 that is not older than 36 hours and must be taken in an EU/Schengen Area member state.</p>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Very few cases over the last month, single-digit cases daily. Total cases: 4058 Total deaths: 136
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Up to 50 pax , but need to adhere to distancing requirements. Masks are required in indoor public spaces and public transport.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Evolving situation for more info on flights link to Ljubljana Airport <a href="https://www.fraport-slovenija.si/en/Main/">https://www.fraport-slovenija.si/en/Main/</a>

<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Opened. Accommodation providers with more than 30 rooms are open and available again, as are spa accommodations, wellness centres, gyms, swimming pools, and water activities.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened with capacity limits
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some are reopened with capacity limits. Nightclubs and discos are closed.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened with capacity limits, face masks required
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened , face masks required
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Both public and private transport is working, masks required on public transport
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress, more info from the government at the following link: <a href="https://www.gov.si/en/topics/coronavirus-disease-covid-19/">https://www.gov.si/en/topics/coronavirus-disease-covid-19/</a> <a href="https://www.policija.si/eng/newsroom/news-archive/103470-crossing-the-state-border-during-the-coronavirus-epidemic">https://www.policija.si/eng/newsroom/news-archive/103470-crossing-the-state-border-during-the-coronavirus-epidemic</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>South Africa</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	19 May 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Lockdown stage 4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Most shops open</li> <li>• Work from home preferred</li> <li>• Exercise from 6 – 9 am</li> <li>• Curfew from 8pm - 5am</li> </ul>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Slow increase
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Maximum of 5- - 100 people gathered with distancing but only for essential services no events
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	No flights at all
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most closed, only open for essential service
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	closed
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	closed
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	closed
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Capacity Limits
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public with Capacity Limits – Private only within specific hours
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	NA
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	NA
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>South Korea</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September 4, 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>Open but can be considered closed with strict quarantine procedure and visa requirement without existing long term visa.</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>&lt;Quarantine Requirements&gt;</p> <p>All passengers entering Korea (as of Apr 1)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Korean nationals/foreign nationals of long-term stay : will be quarantined at registered address.</li> <li>- Foreign nationals of short-term visit : will be quarantined at designated facilities with own expense : except for foreign nationals who are family members of Korean nationals or foreign nationals of long-term stay</li> </ul> <p>&lt;Entry Restrictions&gt;</p> <p>Foreigners with an E-9 visa without a 'Confirmation of Self-quarantine'</p> <p>&lt;Entry &amp; Transit Restrictions&gt;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign nationals who have visited Hubei in the past 14 days</li> <li>• Nationals of China who have a passport issued by Hubei province</li> </ul> <p>&lt;Transit Restrictions&gt;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any passenger transiting in Korea must have a confirmed connecting ticket and transit within 24 hours.</li> <li>• Nationals of Mongolia and Russia are not allowed to transit through Korea (as of Jun 3) [Exception] Nationals of Mongolia and Russia are allowed to transit through Korea if they depart from and arrive in a 3rd country.</li> <li>• Foreign nationals* traveling from China without Korea visa are not allowed to transit through Korea * who are not eligible for visa waiver entry to Korea including nationals of Mongolia and Russia</li> <li>• Thai nationals returning to Thailand need to hold documents issued by the Thai Embassy to transit in Korea</li> </ul> <p>&lt; Entry Procedures / Special Conditions &gt;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Re-entry permit exemption will be suspended for long-term stayers in Korea as of 1st Jun. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- They are required to obtain a re-entry permit before before leaving Korea.</li> <li>- They are required to submit a medical certificate related to COVID-19 test results issued within 48 hours prior to the date of departure for Korea.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>[Exception1] Diplomats (A-1), Government Officials (A-3), Overseas Korean (F-4)</p> <p>[Exception2] Registered aliens who left Korea before June 1, 2020</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All crew members holding C-3-1 visa are required to hold a valid PCR-negative certificate. (as of 24 July)</li> <li>• All international/domestic passengers must wear a mask. (as of May 27)</li> <li>• All valid single/multiple short-term visas issued before Apr 5, 2020 are suspended. (as of Apr 13) [Exceptions] Long-term visa and short-term employment (C-4) visa</li> <li>• All visa exemption entry into South Korea for 90 countries will be suspended as of April 13. Restriction on entry to nationals of Japan is effective as current.</li> <li>• All passengers entering Korea will undergo special quarantine. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- must have an available phone number</li> <li>- must have a mobile device for installing self-diagnosis apps</li> <li>- restricted to use public transportation and domestic flights</li> </ul> [Exceptions] Jeju residents, certificate of quarantine exemption holders, E9 visa holders <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- must get COVID-19 test within 3 days upon arrival</li> </ul> </li> <li>• All passengers on the flight to Korea will undergo fever check at the departure airport. Boarding will be rejected for those who have fever with temperature over 37.5'C.</li> </ul>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Decreasing but more than before.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gathering of more than 10pax not allowed. Now on 2.5 social distancing level (3 – highest)
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Still flights available to and from major cities in United States and Asian countries.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Some open, partially open, and some temporarily closed.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Mostly open except for buffets. Maintain log of all entrants (Destroy after 4 weeks) and no in-dining after 9pm. Only deliveries allowed. Cafes - only allowing take out.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed for now during the social distancing level 2.5 period.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Mostly open. Most closed sites start reopening by end of July. Maintain log of all entrants (Destroy after 4 weeks) with limited capacity (approx 50%)
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. Maintain log of all entrants (Destroy after 4 weeks)
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Operate as usual, but mask required when taking public transportation. Shortened operation hours.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Sept 13 / Will decide whether to extend level 2.5 or not.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	South Korea is still not ready to take foreign travelers due to the mandatory quarantine procedure upon arrival. Currently we're advised to stay home unless it's necessary to go out (work, etc) No lockdown in South Korea unless you have symptoms and/or are tested and waiting for the test results.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Spain</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020</p>
<p><b>Borders</b> (open, closed)</p>	<p>You can travel to Spain if you are travelling from the European Union, from a country in the Schengen area, or from another country which has a reciprocal agreement with Spain for accepting travelers. This last group comprises Australia, Canada, China, Georgia, Japan, Morocco, New Zealand, Rwanda, South Korea, Thailand, Tunisia, and Uruguay.</p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>Certain countries have established restrictions or quarantine periods on people arriving from Spain. These countries are: Germany, Austria (unless arriving from Canary Islands), Australia, Belgium (unless arriving from island of Tenerife), Canada, South Korea, China, Denmark, Slovenia, Finland, Georgia, Greece, Italy, Norway, Japan, Netherlands, Poland, United Kingdom, Switzerland (unless arriving from Canary Islands), Uruguay and Tunisia. All travelers arriving in Spain by air or sea will go through a health check. This check may include having their temperature taken, checking their documents, and a visual examination of the passenger's state of health. In all cases, you must show your health control form (FCS). There are no restrictions such as lock-down's for the locals. However, new mobility restrictions have been applied this week for certain areas of the city of Madrid.</p>
<p><b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>Spain is now a safe destination thanks to its strict measures to control the worldwide healthcare crisis. There are also many precautions in place to ensure everybody's safety, including tracking infections, early detection of possible outbreaks, and containing localized cases.</p> <p>The recent numbers of daily suspected and confirmed COVID-19 cases indicate that Spain has entered in a "second wave" scenario. However, the elevated number of detected cases is due to the massive tests taking place all over the country. Also, the newly detected cases are generally presented in a much milder form than during the first outbreak in March-April.</p> <p><i>New daily suspected and confirmed COVID-19 cases in Spain (data gathered on 09/22/2020):</i></p> <p><b>Figura 1.</b> Casos diarios confirmados y sospechosos de COVID-19 en España a 21.09.2020 (d:</p>  <p>■ Casos nuevos diarios por PCR (período 1) PCR e IgM (período 2) ■ Pruebas de anticuerpos positivas (período 1)</p>
<p><b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)</p>	<p>Large group gatherings are not yet allowed. They are on hold until authorities determine that they will be safe to go ahead depending on the epidemiological evolution of the virus spread. Gatherings of over 6 people are currently banned in Catalonia, Balearic Islands and Madrid region.</p>




<p><b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)</p>	<p>You can travel to Spain if you are travelling from the European Union, from a country in the Schengen area, or from another country which has a reciprocal agreement with Spain for accepting travelers. This last group comprises Australia, Canada, China, Georgia, Japan, Morocco, New Zealand, Rwanda, South Korea, Thailand, Tunisia, and Uruguay.</p> <p>All travelers arriving in Spain by air or sea will go through a health check. This check may include having their temperature taken, checking their documents, and a visual examination of the passenger's state of health. In all cases, you must show your health control form (FCS).</p>
<p><b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)</p>	<p>More hotels are reopening all over Spain starting from the end of August and September.</p> <p>Apart from the basic security and hygiene protocols that apply in all the establishments, the hotels also apply some of the following measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited occupancy in reception areas and common areas.</li> <li>• Restriction on valet parking or ironing services.</li> <li>• Changes to restaurant services, with the use of self-service single-use products, disposable table linens, or individual servings in buffets.</li> <li>• There may be temporary limitations on the number of diners per table.</li> <li>• The use of disinfectant mats is recommended at the entrances and exits of the space.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>The majority of F&amp;B establishments across Spain are open now.</p> <p>Apart from the basic security and hygiene protocols that apply in all the establishments, the restaurants also apply some of the following measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Protection of products displayed on the counter.</li> <li>• Use of digital menus or lists of services.</li> <li>• Use of self-service single-use products (napkins, toothpicks, cruets, etc) and disposable table linens.</li> <li>• Social distancing of 1.5 meters at the bar, and tables at least 1.5 meters apart.</li> <li>• A maximum of 10 diners per table.</li> <li>• Booking in advance is recommended.</li> <li>• Smoking is prohibited in the street or in outdoor areas if a minimum distance of two meters cannot be maintained.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Gradually reopening not for large events though as these are not allowed yet.</p>
<p><b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Almost all the main tourist sights and museums in Spain are now open. Apart from the basic security and hygiene protocols that apply in all the establishments, the museums, sights and tours also apply some of the following measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Routes designed to facilitate social distancing.</li> <li>• Encouraging the use of outdoor spaces.</li> <li>• The use of digital or individual leaflets and maps.</li> <li>• Restrictions in interactive installations or services to enrich the visitor experience (touchscreens, audioguides, virtual reality, etc.).</li> <li>• Visitors will be registered and asked to sign an affidavit stating that they are aware of and accept the health and hygiene measures.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Open with the basic security and hygiene protocols and the social distancing policy.</p>
<p><b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)</p>	<p>Masks are compulsory on all public transport.</p> <p>Trains:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Measures to facilitate social distancing.</li> <li>• Enhanced hygiene with regular disinfection.</li> </ul>


	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Replacement of head rest covers on all seats after each journey, and increased ventilation in carriages.</li> </ul> <p>Buses and coaches:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cleaning and disinfection routines.</li> <li>• Possible limitations on occupancy in vehicles and premises.</li> <li>• Travelers may not change seats after the journey has started.</li> </ul> <p>Hired vehicle with driver seating up to nine people:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Passengers may always take the row of seats behind the driver.</li> </ul>
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	None
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Checklist of Measures for the Reduction of H&amp;S Risks in the Hotels against COVID-19 (Issued May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020 by Spanish Confederation of Hotels and Tourist Establishments)</li> <li>• EASA (European Union Aviation Safety Agency) safety measures</li> <li>• “Safe Tourism Certified” certification program by ICTE (Institute for Spanish Tourism Quality)</li> <li>• WTTC “Safe Travels” stamp</li> </ul>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<p>Everybody aged 6 or over must wear a mask in all public spaces and on public transport. Masks are the only compulsory protective equipment.</p> <p>Free movement is allowed throughout Spain, with a few exceptions, restricted to small areas, to ensure safety.</p>

<b>Sri Lanka</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>September 17, 2020</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Closed.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No international arrivals are permitted; however, it was planned to have a PCR test on arrival, it is compulsory to stay 01 night in Negombo or Colombo to get the PCR test report. Minimum of 05 days are required in the country;
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Total cases: 3274  Total deaths: 13  Total recovered: 3</p> <p><a href="https://www.hpb.health.gov.lk/en">https://www.hpb.health.gov.lk/en</a></p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	So far for wedding functions and meetings 50% from the venue capacity are permitted for local events and weddings by adhering to the 01-meter distance.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	<a href="https://www.srilankan.com/en_uk/corporate/emergency-news-detail/513">https://www.srilankan.com/en_uk/corporate/emergency-news-detail/513</a>
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels which are registered with Srilanka tourist board are open, the one's which are not registered are open under the supervision of public health officer.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurant registered with tourist board are open, unregistered under the supervision of Public health Officers
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurant registered with tourist board are open, unregistered under the supervision of Public health Officers

<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed, expected to open October 2020 but not officially confirmed yet / All national parks are open / bars, night clubs and Cinemas all open in Colombo
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open 0500 hrs – 2000 Hrs
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	<b>Public transport</b> - Operating -
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	Planning to open the airport from 01 <sup>st</sup> Sep 2020 but not confirmed yet or we do not have any written document from the SLTB
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<a href="https://www.hpb.health.gov.lk/en">https://www.hpb.health.gov.lk/en</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	In comparison to most Asian countries in Sri Lanka the number of cases are very low compared to the 22million population.  Sri Lanka gets World Travel & Tourism Council Safe Travel stamp  <a href="https://bit.ly/3gIAOuf">https://bit.ly/3gIAOuf</a>

<b>Sweden</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	<b>10SEP2020 (no new updates)</b>
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Se below
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Situation is apt to change almost daily as and can also differ from region to region as well as depend of from which border to enter. Kindly contact us at <a href="mailto:info@snedmc.eu">info@snedmc.eu</a> for accurate details
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	

<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	<p><i>β</i></p> <p><b>Full IATA update</b>  <a href="https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm">https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm</a></p> <p><b>Additional information (from other sources)</b></p> <p><b>Domestic Restrictions</b>  The Swedish government has announced that individuals without symptoms are allowed to travel domestically, but are urged to continue to follow the Public Health Agency's advice and restrictions related to coronavirus. Face masks are not required in public areas but recommended at airports.</p> <p><b>International Tourists</b>  The Swedish Government has decided to suspend non-essential travel to Sweden from countries outside the EU. until 31st August. There is no quarantine requirement for travellers to Sweden. The entry ban does not apply to citizens of EU/EEA countries, UK, Switzerland, Andorra, Monaco, San Marino and the Vatican, or their families, or for travels to Sweden from the EU/EEA area. Citizens residing in 14 selected countries are also allowed to enter Sweden. The list of countries is evaluated on a regular basis and will be updated every other week. Current countries of exemption: Algeria, Australia, Georgia, Japan, Canada, Morocco, New Zealand, Rwanda, South Korea, Thailand, Tunisia and Uruguay.  <a href="https://www.government.se/articles/2020/04/faqs--entry-to-the-eu-via-sweden-banned/">https://www.government.se/articles/2020/04/faqs--entry-to-the-eu-via-sweden-banned/</a></p> <p><b>Hotels, Bars &amp; Restaurants</b>  Hotels are open with necessary adherence to imposed health and safety measures; only table seating is allowed in cafés, restaurants, bars, and nightclubs so that everyone can keep a safe 1m distance from each other. Most shops and stores are open. These may have reduced opening hours and limits to the number of customers allowed.</p> <p><b>Events/Mass Gatherings</b>  50 people maximum.</p> <p><b>Official Advice Site/Source</b>  <a href="https://www.folkhalsomyndigheten.se/the-public-health-agency-of-sweden/communicable-disease-control/covid-19/travel-to-and-from-sweden/">https://www.folkhalsomyndigheten.se/the-public-health-agency-of-sweden/communicable-disease-control/covid-19/travel-to-and-from-sweden/</a>  <a href="https://www.krisinformation.se/en/hazards-and-risks/disasters-and-incidents/2020/official-information-on-the-new-coronavirus/visiting-sweden-during-the-covid-19-pandemic">https://www.krisinformation.se/en/hazards-and-risks/disasters-and-incidents/2020/official-information-on-the-new-coronavirus/visiting-sweden-during-the-covid-19-pandemic</a>  <a href="https://www.government.se/articles/2020/04/faqs--entry-to-the-eu-via-sweden-banned">https://www.government.se/articles/2020/04/faqs--entry-to-the-eu-via-sweden-banned</a></p>

<b>Switzerland</b>	
<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17, 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Travel is now possible between Switzerland and the European Union, EFTA countries and the United Kingdom since June 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Anyone who has been in close contact with a sick person, i.e. less than 1.5 meters away for more than 15 minutes, must also remain in quarantine for two weeks.</p> <p>Since 6 July, persons entering Switzerland from a country or area with an increased risk of infection are legally mandated to go into quarantine (this is not merely a recommendation).</p> <p>The <a href="#">Epidemics Act</a> (in German) provides the legal basis for this measure. Report your arrival to the <a href="#">responsible cantonal authority</a> within two days. Anyone who evades quarantine or fails to comply with the duty to report to the authorities is committing an offence under the Epidemics Act, which is punishable by a fine of up to CHF 10,000.</p>

	<p><b>States and areas with an increased risk of infection</b>  This list of countries and areas with a high risk of infection is regularly updated, next update 23 July 2020, midnight (0:00 hours).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Argentina</li> <li>• Armenia</li> <li>• Azerbaijan</li> <li>• Bahrain</li> <li>• Belarus (<b>no longer</b> on the list from 23 July)</li>   <li>• Bolivia</li> <li>• Bosnia and Herzegovina (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Brazil</li> <li>• Cape Verde</li>   <li>• Chile</li> <li>• Colombia</li> <li>• Costa Rica (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Dominican Republic</li> <li>• Ecuador (from 23 July)</li> <li>• El Salvador (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Eswatini (Swasiland) (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Guatemala (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Honduras</li> <li>• Iraq</li> <li>• Israel</li> <li>• Kazakhstan (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Kyrgyzstan (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Kosovo</li> <li>• Kuwait</li> <li>• Luxembourg (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Maldives (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Mexico (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Moldova</li> <li>• Montenegro (from 23 July)</li>   <li>• North Macedonia</li> <li>• Occupied Palestinian Territory (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Oman</li> <li>• Panama</li> <li>• Peru</li> <li>• Qatar</li> <li>• Russia</li> <li>• Saudi Arabia</li> <li>• Sweden (<b>no longer</b> on the list from 23 July)</li>   <li>• Serbia</li> <li>• South Africa</li> <li>• Surinam (from 23 July)</li> <li>• Turks and Caicos Islands</li> <li>• United Arab Emirates (from 23 July)</li> <li>• United States of America (including Puerto Rico and US Virgin Islands)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Cases</b>  (increasing, decreasing, flat)</p>	<p>The cases are decreasing  Coronavirus Cases 44592  Coronavirus recovered 37500  Coronavirus Deaths 1734  Coronavirus cases the last 24 hours 274  Coronavirus Death in the last 24 hours 0  Please note, the average age of all deaths in Switzerland is 74 years of age</p>
<p><b>Groups</b>  (limits on group gatherings,  distancing requirements)</p>	<p>Public and private events of up to 1000 people are permitted on condition that contact tracing can be guaranteed. All religious services and celebrations have been permitted since late May. Restrictions on restaurants were lifted in early June, and zoos, theatres, cinemas and campgrounds have also re-opened.</p>

<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Only European destinations will be served by the companies due to the travel restrictions. Since the 18th of May, the TGV Lyria is linking again the cities of Paris and Geneva in 3 hours, twice a day. The traffic will be increasing from the 8th of June with an additional option bringing it to 3 rotations a day between the city of lights and the Lake of Geneva. With more and more options to travel to Geneva again, we will hopefully see an increase of the overall tourism activity of Geneva in the next weeks and months!
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open, others have opened on May 29, 2020 if it made financially sense.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most are open but with security distance between tables. All the protocols have been put into place in order to offer our guests the highest quality of experience in a safe and warm environment!
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Events attended by more than 1,000 people remain prohibited until at least the end of August.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All Open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Hair stylists, physiotherapists, florists and garden/DIY stores re-opened on April 27. Additional businesses and schools re-opened on May 11. All religious services and celebrations will be permitted from May 28.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Masks compulsory on all public transport from 6 July 2020.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	<p>Supermarkets and pharmacies have remained open throughout the crisis. On April 27, businesses such as salons, florists and DIY shops were allowed to re-open with precautionary measures in place, such as the use of face masks. The second phase began on May 11, when compulsory schools re-opened, as well as all shops and several leisure facilities. Restaurants can serve groups of four but, along with bars, must ask for <u>contact details from guests</u> (who are not required to give them). Public transport returned to the standard timetable, with the <u>recommendation that people wear face masks at rush hour</u>.</p> <p><b><i>ALL Safe &amp; “Clean and Safe” Labels</i></b></p> <p>Reassuring guests in term of hygiene and safety has never been as important as it is today. In this objective, Accor, together with the Bureau Veritas, has been developing global cleanliness &amp; prevention standards that are now implemented on a daily basis at the Fairmont Grand Hotel Geneva in order to guarantee the best for our guests when it comes to safety. Additionally to this first label, “Suisse Tourisme” has created the Clean &amp; Safe label. The objective of this one is to communicate on how responsible touristic attractions of Switzerland are when it comes rules and regulations to face the COVID-19.</p> <p>Events with more than 1,000 people – notably festivals and sporting events – will not be allowed until the end of August at the earliest. Many of Switzerland’s biggest business and cultural events have been cancelled or postponed. It is not clear when smaller events can resume.</p> <p>To protect staff during the phase-out of lockdown measures, employers must adapt the work environment or allow those at especially high risk to work from home. High-risk persons can refuse to work and be entitled to leave with pay.</p>
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Under the supervision of the SwissFederal office for Public Health (FOPH)
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Mandatory quarantine for persons arriving in Switzerland From 6 July 2020, people arriving in Switzerland from certain countries and areas are required to go into quarantine. The Swiss Federal Council decided on 1 July 2020 to introduce this measure. Status: 7.7.2020

	<p>Persons arriving in Switzerland from a country or area with an increased risk of infection are required to go into quarantine (this is not simply a recommendation). The <u>Epidemics Act</u> (in German) provides the legal basis for taking this measure.</p> <p>The list of countries and regions with a high risk of infection can be found in the COVID-19 Ordinance on International Passenger Transport Measures.</p> <p><b>Quarantine</b>  Since mid-June, the number of new cases of coronavirus has been rising in Switzerland as infected persons have entered the country. Anyone entering Switzerland from a country or area with a high risk of infection now has to go into quarantine for ten days (as of 6 July). You will find the list of these countries and further information on the page on <u>Mandatory quarantine for persons arriving in Switzerland</u>.</p> <p><b>Airports in Switzerland</b>  Air passengers from abroad may enter the country through the airports at Zurich, Geneva and Basel as well as through regional airports from 15 June. You will be provided with instructions on how to best protect yourself against becoming infected with the coronavirus. <b>According to the rules applicable in France, you are required to wear a face mask at Basel airport.</b></p> <p><b>Conditions of entry</b>  Consult the website of the State Secretariat for Migration SEM before your journey where you will find <u>FAQs on entry restrictions and exceptions, freedom of movement and visas</u>.</p> <p><b>Measures introduced in Switzerland</b></p> <p>Masks are compulsory on all public transport from 6 July.  You must observe the applicable <u>rules on hygiene and social distancing</u> in Switzerland. At public establishments such as restaurants, shops and museums, you must follow the rules set out in the applicable set of precautionary measures. This information will be provided on the premises. If you experience <u>symptoms of illness</u> after entering Switzerland, please consult the page on <u>Isolation and quarantine</u> and follow the instructions provided.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tahiti (French Polynesia)</b></p>	
<p><b>Updated Date</b></p>	<p>July 29<sup>th</sup> 2020  Air Tahiti Nui and French Bee are operating regular flights to Papeete. There are also numerous charter flights and private jets arriving in to Bora Bora  We opened for tourism busines JULY 15<sup>TH</sup> 2020 - pack your bags and jump on an Air Tahiti Nui Flight and come to our overwater bungalows. We are waiting for you!</p>
	<p><b>AIR TAHITI NUI/TN - ANNOUNCED THAT THEY WILL BE FLYING TO LOS ANGELES STARTING 20 JULY – and from Paris from 03 JULY.</b>  <b>This is wonderful news for Tahiti and her Islands.</b>  If you are looking to plan a future trip to Tahiti and her Islands, please reach out to Destination Pacific <a href="mailto:hcoplestone@destination-pacific.com">hcoplestone@destination-pacific.com</a></p>
<p><b>Quarantine Details</b></p>	<p>The President of French Polynesia has announced that gathering of any size are allowed, church services can resume and sports events can be held. All companies and administrations will resume their activities.</p>

(requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	For further details
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	All cases recovered with Zero deaths in French Polynesia. No new cases since 18 May 2020.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Contact us – our Tahitian team based in Papeete and Bora Bora is waiting to received your RFP. Our flights commence July and the majority of resorts are retraining for grand scale openings in July.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	Domestic travel is on going with increasing capacity weekly International travel commencing 03 July from Paris and from the USA mid-July via Air Tahiti Nui/TN, Air France, United Airlines and French Bee – contact us for timetables and connections with relevant airline.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels and resorts are reopening by end of July 2020 – re-employment and re-training taking place at all resorts.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants, bars and nightclubs have resumed their activities under usual conditions i.e. no dancing. Service and food is spectacular once again
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All opening or opened
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All opening or opened
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All opened and operating – those gorgeous Tahitian pearls are waiting for you!
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Aremiti and Terevau Ferries are operating between Papeete and Moorea – with social distancing and hygiene practices in place.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	On going for resorts and already international flights recommending mid-July 2020 with Air Tahiti/TN, Air France, United and French Bee - yeah!
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Under the supervision of the French Polynesian Government and French High Commission. <b>FOR FULL AND COMPLETE DETAILS PLEASE CONSULT THE ENCLOSED LINK UPDATED REGULARLY BY TAHITI TOURISM :</b> <a href="https://datastudio.google.com/u/0/reporting/1a96cb1f-9d86-40fb-a5b4-8e8a91f8202d/page/mY3PB?mc_cid=46f679ab18&amp;mc_eid=7b35d6b02e">https://datastudio.google.com/u/0/reporting/1a96cb1f-9d86-40fb-a5b4-8e8a91f8202d/page/mY3PB?mc_cid=46f679ab18&amp;mc_eid=7b35d6b02e</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	ZERO DEATHS - YOUR OVERWATER BUNGALOW AWAITS – WE HIGHLY RECOMMEND YOU VIEW THE FABULOUS “TAHITI COMES TO YOU – SUNNIER DAYS AHEAD” SERIES – IT'S AMAZING !! ONLY 8 HOURS FROM LOS ANGELES WITH AIR TAHITI NUI - PACK YOUR BAGS AND THE BEAUTIFUL TAHITIANS ARE WAITING TO WELCOME YOU TO OUR ISLANDS! Please contact Platinum or Destination Pacific with your FIT's and/or group program proposal – we are waiting for you to arrive!

<b>Thailand</b>	 <p>We make Asia Easy for You</p>
<b>Updated Date</b>	September, 21st 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	<p>Partially closed</p> <p>As of 23 August 2020, The Thai government has set September 31 as the end of the emergency decree (State of Emergency).</p> <p>From 01 July 2020, 11 groups of foreigners (<a href="#">the list and required documents are mentioned here</a>) are allowed to enter Thailand. Travelers will be tested for Covid-19 prior to travel and on arrival in Thailand, where they will be required to undergo mandatory 14-day quarantine. Tourists are still not considered for entry at this time.</p> <p>Airports are still open &amp; Thai authorities are not blocking foreigners leaving for the time being.</p>



<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Travelers will be tested for Covid-19 prior to travel and on arrival in Thailand, where they will be required to undergo mandatory 14-day quarantine. Tourists are still not considered for entry at this time.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Decreasing 3,255 recorded cases. 3,105 of the patients have already been discharged from hospitals. The last community transmission was recorded on 26 May.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Events ban Large gatherings are banned.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Various entertainment businesses and nightlife venues have been closed until further notice.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Open
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

<b>Turkey</b>	 OMAR'S DESTINATION SERVICES
<b>Updated Date</b>	as of September, the 18th 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	Borders are open and domestic, international flights continue.
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	NO 14 days quarantine and self-isolation are required when entering Turkey. Wearing of face masks in public areas and temperature checks, medical screening and body scans at the airport upon arrival are a must. It is highly recommended by the Health Institute, that outside arrivals should avoid close physical contact, maintain required distance of minimum 1,5 m during face-to-face encounter; wash and disinfect hands often. "Social distancing" policy recommended, it is promoted and implemented where possible.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Significant decreasing in infection rate and decreasing number of fatalities. Covid-19 is under control since June 2020 and less occasional cases are being reported. The cases of the virus in Turkey have been steadily decreasing day by day, with the death rate also decreasing. Life has gradually returned to normal.
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	It is advised to avoid any type of gatherings and events of larger size groups. Social distancing required in all cases. Face masks to be worn in shops, local markets, in all public transportation and in rest of the public areas. Mid-size gatherings are allowed and maintaining the social distancing at all public facilities pursued.


	Social distancing of 1.5 – 2 meters is required in all shops, offices, in restaurant and public areas. Beaches, cafes, restaurants, public & recreational parks, fitness centers, sports & social clubs are open.
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	All Airport ground operations have started as of June 2020. All airports required to follow certain published protocols to ensure the safety of all the passengers, ground staff and other parties involved. Social distancing measures in place at airports. THY has started the domestic flights as of 4 <sup>th</sup> of June 2020, followed by international flights started by 10 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 to several key international destinations and now increasing the number of destinations.
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels are opened as of June 2020 under strict health and hygiene controls and measurement guidelines. (e.g. no buffets, staff wearing masks). All hotels will have to qualify and take part in a Certification Program implemented by the Ministry of Tourism, to operate under strict guidelines and criteria. Hotels are operating under strict government guidelines on social distancing, which will dictate capacities.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants are open since of 1 <sup>st</sup> of June 2020 under strict controls and measurement guidelines such social distancing and new seating formats at 50% of their capacity will be allowed. Capacities are reduced based on the size of the establishment with restrictions (tables have 1,5 meters distance to each other, staff wearing masks, no buffets, opening times 10 am till 12 pm /24:00 hours, etc.) Restaurants have started operating under strict government guidelines on social distancing, which will dictate capacities.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most of the venues are open since 1 <sup>st</sup> of June 2020 with special health and safety measures and reduced capacities. Events and meetings in closed areas, rooms with up to a certain number of participants are permitted. Venues will operate under government guidelines on events in larger venues. Venues are open in accordance with these guidelines, with social distancing measures in place and strictly conducted supervision by authorities.
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Museums and historical sights are opened as of June 2020 with capacity limits and museums are advised to operate at limited capacities, which may change from venue to venue.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	All retail stores, the Spice Bazaar and the Covered Grand Bazaar in Istanbul and shopping malls are open and in business. Strict capacity guidelines are to be followed and capacity limits are applied how many people can be inside the stores at a time.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transport and private transportation are running, with social distance measures in place and limited passenger numbers. Intercity travel bans are lifted completely.
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> September 2020. The easing of measurements and restrictions are fully observable. Government is keen to allow people increased freedom provided that, safety is the first concern. As no serious setbacks have struck after 1 <sup>st</sup> of June, the lifting of restrictions reached greater volume after August and will continue as of beginning of September 2020.
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	All services are under strict supervision in line with the health and sanitary guidelines and recommendations. All hotels and restaurants will have to qualify and take part in a Certification Program to operate under strict guidelines and criteria. Please visit link for a sample certification program. Item a: <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DLiEiQcDiMc_Je3vsh9J-aOhC9UFfoBD/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DLiEiQcDiMc_Je3vsh9J-aOhC9UFfoBD/view?usp=sharing</a> Item b: <a href="https://drive.google.com/file/d/1MmQgigmN9ah77SOwVdIFKfsJbJL7SF41/view?usp=sharing">https://drive.google.com/file/d/1MmQgigmN9ah77SOwVdIFKfsJbJL7SF41/view?usp=sharing</a>
<b>Other Key Information</b>	The reopening of the country and easing of measurements has started by beginning of June 2020 and onwards. Turkey now went back to normal as of mid of June 2020 and the country has started the holiday season in June, by gradually increasing international flights to Turkey since 10 <sup>th</sup> of June 2020. All arrangements have been made to host guests in reliable, health and hygienic conditions throughout their visit to Turkey. Turkey pursues a similar timeline and set of procedures in parallel with the European countries, regarding the reopening and making all services become available and functional. Turkey is looking forward to welcoming their guests back! For further detailed information on Covid-19 updates and to read the protocols, implementations of the “new normal”, please visit ODS Turkey website: <a href="https://www.ods.com.tr/covid-19-procedures/">https://www.ods.com.tr/covid-19-procedures/</a>

<b>United States – Hawai’i</b>	
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<b>Updated Date</b>	September 17, 2020 <a href="#">Click Here</a> for Hawai'i information.
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Due the increase in cases nationwide the Governor has extended the 14-day quarantine for visitors to October 15, 2020.</li> <li>• Beginning October 15, travelers to Hawaii who have a valid negative COVID-19 FDA-approved PCR test from a CLIA-certified laboratory within 72 hours prior to arriving at Hawaii's airports will not be subject to the 14-day quarantine. <b><u>To reiterate, this test result must be done prior to arrival and the traveler must present evidence of this test upon arrival.</u></b> Travelers will be responsible for the cost of the pre-travel test.</li> <li>• <b><u>No testing will be provided upon arrival at the airport.</u></b></li> <li>• <b><u>The 14-day quarantine will remain in place for those who choose not to get pre-tested.</u></b></li> <li>• <b>On August 19, 2020 the Governor stated the inter-island 14-day quarantine will be in effect until further notice.</b></li> </ul>
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<b>Group gathering limits vary per island</b> <b>Masks are required State wide</b>
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels have plans for reopening that follow the Governor's 14-day quarantine which is currently scheduled through October 15, 2020.
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants are at 50% capacity and limited to specific numbers of guest per table. This varies per island. Currently restaurants are closed on the island of Oahu for dining in and open for takeout only. Face mask must be worn at all times when ordering or picking up food at all restaurants.
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some re-opening with social distancing measures based on size, face masks must be worn.
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	This varies per island. Number of people allowed in store at one time will follow the social distancing guidelines and is based on the size of the retail space. Face masks must be worn while in the store and from the parking area. For the island of Oahu retail stores deemed essential will be open. All other retail stores will be temporarily closed.
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	Public transportation is operating on a reduced capacity and schedule, face masks must be worn
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
<b>Other Key Information</b>	Please see attached document for more details

<b>Vietnam</b>	
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<b>Updated Date</b>	September 21st , 2020
<b>Borders</b> (open, closed)	<p>Closed</p> <p>Entry Conditions:</p> <p>As of 0:00 AM on 22 March 2020, Vietnam has suspended entry at all borders for all nationalities until further notice.</p> <p>Vietnamese nationals or diplomatic travelers who are permitted entry will be sent to medical camps for centralized quarantine for 14 days.</p> <p>On 16 June 2020, the Vietnamese government confirmed that <b>no commercial flights to Vietnam will be permitted before 16 September 2020.</b></p> <p>Only foreign passengers who require entry for diplomatic reasons or official duties, or highly skilled workers will be permitted special dispensation to travel to Vietnam. All travelers granted permission will also be required to complete compulsory 14-day quarantine</p>
<b>Quarantine Details</b> (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Vietnamese nationals or diplomatic travelers who are permitted entry will be sent to medical camps for centralized quarantine for 14 days.
<b>Cases</b> (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Decreasing</p> <p>401 recorded cases.</p> <p>365 of the patients have already been discharged from hospitals. The last community transmission was recorded on 17 April 2020.</p>
<b>Groups</b> (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>As of 7 September 2020, Danang City had eased its social distancing campaign. This restoration includes:</p> <p>Domestic transportation such as airlines, railways, and passenger cars will be allowed to re-operate normally</p> <p>Restaurants, shops, food and beverage establishments to offer takeaway services</p> <p>Festivals, religious events, and other cultural gatherings are permitted</p> <p>In Quang Nam Province (home to Hoi An ancient town):</p> <p>Public transport across the province are allowed to return to normal</p> <p>Attraction sites will be reopened to welcome visitors</p> <p>Entertainment outlets, bars, karaoke parlors, and dance clubs will resume operation</p>
<b>Air</b> (carriers flying to/from country)	
<b>Hotels</b> (open, closed, partially open)	Open
<b>Restaurants</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Venues</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Tourist Sites</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Retail Stores</b> (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
<b>Transportation</b> (public and private options)	
<b>Upcoming Key Dates</b>	
<b>Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives</b> (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
<b>Other Key Information</b>	

