




COVID-19
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(alphabetical by country)

Argentina	
Updated Date	August 18th, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Partially opened. Flights has a lower frequency as usual
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Lockdown from 1am to 6 am. Restaurants opened until 12 am. Schools opened. Domestic flights working. Indoor and outdoor meetings up to 10 people with social distance. Absolutely mandatory the use of facial masks everywhere, sanitize the hands before entering closed places and keep the social distancing.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total active cases: 219.997 Total deaths: 109.405 Total recovered: 4.767.041
Groups (limits on group gatherings, wdistancing requirements)	The Cultural activities, Sports & Social clubs Outdoors are allowed. Meetings up to 10 people in open areas. Still keeping the social distancing.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Partially opened.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open at 50% capacity
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with tables for sitting indoor (50% capacity) and outdoor till 12 am
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Semi-open. Some venues are open for social and corporate events with a 50% capacity and maintaining the social distance.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened. Public parks are opened with restrictions. Museums and cultural interest places are open with a prior visit reservation via online
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Supermarkets, malls and local shops are opened with limit of capacity to access. Shipments are working perfectly inside the country, with some delays.
Transportation (public and private options)	<p>Public transport is working, with a significantly reduced capacity and with priority for essential workers. 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.</p> <p>Private transportation for groups: Our transportation supplier has informedP the new protocol for all the services from now on.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">-hand sanitizer gel in every vehicle.-special cleaning with alcohol spray 70% after every service-the cleaning was improved with approved specific products to eliminated germs, included covid 19. The name of the chemic product is Quaternary ammonium.-the driver is completely isolated from the passengers, in a separate cabin, without contact.

	<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.</p> <p>The updated capacity for buses is:</p> <p>Buses of 45 seats can be loaded up to 27 seats.1</p> <p>Minibuses of 24 seats can be loaded up to 14 seats</p> <p>Van of 19 seats can be loaded up to 11 seats.</p>
Upcoming Key Dates	New measures announcement based on the flow and numbers of cases.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Since February Argentina started the process of vaccination. All the sanitary staff, school teachers and adults of more than 25 years old received the vaccine. This week is the turn to start to vaccinate the people from 18 to 24 years, and every person elder than 12 years old with risk diseases is able to get the vaccine.
Other Key Information	Argentina has the Safe Travel Stamp provided by the World Travel Tourism Council. And also, Faus DMC got this stamp


Austria	
Updated Date	September 2, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p><u>The following measures are currently in effect:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hotels, restaurants, night clubs etc. are open. Find protective measures here. Shops, museums, culture and leisure facilities are open. Events can take place again under strict protective measures. Find more information here. Entry regulations are in effect. For almost all public indoor and some outdoor spaces (hotels, restaurants, events etc.), you will need to show either a negative COVID test or proof of vaccination/past infection. Find more information on these so-called "entry tests" here. Face masks are required on public transport and in other public spaces. We will provide more information as it becomes available.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Entry Requirements:</p> <p>Required Documents: Proof of Vaccination, Past Infection, or Negative Test</p> <p>Anybody entering Austria has to show any one of these three documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Negative COVID Test</u> <p>You need to show a PCR test no older than 72 hours OR an antigen test no older than 48 hours. (For travellers from certain countries, only PCR tests are valid, please see below.) Tests need to be issued by a medical authority; self-tests are valid for 24 hours only if the result is entered into an official data processing system (except Vienna). Children under 12 do not need to show a test.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Vaccine Certificate</u> <p>The following vaccines (including mix-and-match vaccines) are recognised: BioNtech/Pfizer, AstraZeneca, Johnson & Johnson, Moderna, and Sinopharm. (Please be aware that this only applies to entering the country. Sinopharm is not valid for entering hotels, restaurants etc. within Austria.) You are considered "vaccinated" starting on the 22nd day after your first dose, lasting for 90 days from the vaccination date. After the second dose, the validity extends for another 270 days. Vaccines that only require one dose are valid from the 22nd day after that dose and for 270 days from the vaccination date. This also applies to people who have had COVID before and received only one dose of any vaccine.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Proof of Past Infection</u> <p>You can enter Austria for 180 days after a SARS-CoV-2 infection. Proof of antibodies is valid for 90 days from the test date.</p>

	<p>What proof is accepted?</p> <p>Proof of negative test, vaccination, or past infection can be a doctor's certificate, an official test result, a vaccination certificate/vaccination card/vaccine passport (including a pdf from an electronic vaccine passport, either on your phone or as a hard copy), or an official/medical certificate proving a past infection, either in German or English. If your original certificate is not in English or German, please use this official health certificate in German or English as proof.</p> <p>If you are unable to show any of these documents, you are required to take a PCR or antigen test within 24 hours of arriving in Austria (please note that you WILL need to show proof when checking into a hotel). However, in this case, you will need to register digitally before travelling to obtain pre-travel clearance, and are required to show proof of it at the border (either digitally or as a hard copy). Find more information on the pre-travel clearance here and find the form you need to fill in before travelling here.</p> <p>Please note that travellers from certain countries always need to obtain and show pre-travel clearance in addition to the above documents. Find rules for specific countries below.</p> <p><u>Who can enter Austria? Additional requirements depending on country:</u></p> <p>a) Travellers from safe countries with low incidence rate</p> <p>Travellers from countries with a low incidence rate (see list below) who can show proof of negative test/vaccination/past infection can enter the country for tourism purposes without needing to self-isolate. This currently includes most European countries and some non-European countries. You need to have spent the past 10 days within these countries (or Austria) only.</p> <p>List of Countries Without Quarantine Requirement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ .○ .○ United States of America
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Decreasing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	See above
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Austria's airports are operating with limited flight plan.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	See above
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	See above
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	See above
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	See above
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	Currently, there are no restrictions in place regarding public transport (metro, bus and tram services) in Austria.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	See above
Other Key Information	We hope to welcome you back to Austria soon. In the meantime: Be positive and stay healthy!


<p>Baltic States (Estonia, Lithuania, Latvia)</p>	
<p>Updated Date</p>	<p>August 18th, 2021</p>
<p>Borders (open, closed)</p>	<p><u>Estonia:</u> 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 for non-essential travel.</p> <p>The person arriving in Estonia can complete traveller's questionnaire 72 hours before their arrival in Estonia. This will make the border crossing faster, and they do not have to wait in line in order to fill in a paper declaration. All travellers from risk or high-risk countries are subject to the requirement for a pre-departure negative PCR test. For high-risk countries also a second test after entry and a 10 quarantine is required.</p> <p><u>Latvia:</u> Unessential travel from a very high-risk countries is not allowed. Unessential entry from a high-risk countries is allowed only for vaccinated/recovered persons. All travelers must fill in an electronic confirmation form at Covidpass.lv. Electronic confirmation must be completed no earlier than 48 hours before crossing the Latvian border. Non-vaccinated or non-recovered travellers entering Latvia will be asked to show proof of a negative PCR test performed no earlier than 72 hours or a negative rapid antigen test performed no earlier than 48 hours before boarding or crossing the Latvian border.</p> <p><u>Lithuania:</u> EUDCCs are valid to enter Lithuania if they contain one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a certificate of vaccination. The certificate is valid 14 days after taking the second dose of the vaccine (or the single dose, for vaccines with 1 dose only). • Accepted vaccines: Janssen, Comirnaty (Pfizer/BioNTech), Moderna and Vaxzevria (AstraZeneca); • a certificate of recovery from Covid-19, confirmed by a positive PCR test, valid for 180 days since the date of the positive test; • a pre-departure negative Covid-19 test. Accepted tests: PCR taken within 72 hours prior to arrival or rapid antigen test (RAT) taken within 48 hours prior to arrival. <p>Travellers arriving from countries classified as "yellow" have to take a second PCR test between day 3 and 5 after arrival (unless they are vaccinated or have recovered from Covid-19).</p>
<p>Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p><u>Estonia:</u> . Testing (before and after entry) and a 10-day quarantine period is mandatory for passengers arriving from outside an EU Member State or Schengen Associated country with an infection rate above 200 cases per 100.000 inhabitants in the last 14 days. All travellers from risk or high-risk countries are subject to the requirement for a pre-departure negative PCR test. For high-risk countries also a second test after entry and a 10 quarantine is required. The quarantine period can be shortened after a negative test result for the second test on day 6.</p> <p><u>Latvia:</u> Non-vaccinated or non-recovered travellers entering Latvia will be asked to show proof of a negative PCR test performed no earlier than 72 hours or a negative rapid antigen test performed no earlier than 48 hours before boarding or crossing the Latvian border.</p> <p>Self-isolation is required:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Persons who have not been vaccinated or have not had Covid-19 and recovered from it should observe self-isolation when returning from high-risk countries (EU, EEA, Switzerland, United Kingdom and other countries);

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All travellers entering from a high-risk country (including the EU, EEA, Switzerland and the United Kingdom) with a very high incidence or prevalence of a new Covid-19 strain. <p><u>Lithuania:</u> Travellers arriving from countries classified as "yellow" have to take a second PCR test between day 3 and 5 after arrival (unless they are vaccinated or have recovered from Covid-19). Travellers arriving from countries that are listed as risk areas (all areas other than "green" or "yellow"), unless they can provide proof of full vaccination or recent recovery from Covid-19, are also subject to mandatory self-isolation for 10 days from the day of arrival. The isolation period may be shortened after a second negative PCR test performed no earlier than on day 7 of self-isolation. Travellers arriving from third countries, unless they can provide proof of full vaccination or recent recovery from Covid-19, are also subject to mandatory self-isolation for 10 days from the day of arrival. Those who travel on a work basis from "red" or "grey" areas can leave the place of isolation and perform their work-related duties following a negative result to a PCR test carried out after arrival in Lithuania.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p><u>Estonia:</u> since the end of July COVID cases has been increasing with 14-day cumulative rate being 293.68 per 100,000 inhabitants (as per 01.09.21). <u>Latvia:</u> COVID cases has been steady for the last few weeks with cumulative rate being 85.13 per 100,000 inhabitants (as per 01.09.21). <u>Lithuania:</u> since the end of July COVID cases has been increasing with cumulative rate being 277.91 per 100,000 inhabitants (as per 01.09.21).</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	2+2 rule in all public places, mandatory use of face masks indoors and public places.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	AirBaltic, Lufthansa, Finnair, Wizz Air, Ryanair, Norwegian, LOT, SmartLynx and many more are operating with extended summer schedule.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels have reopened for summer
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p><u>Latvia:</u> Persons who are vaccinated, recovered from Covid-19, or tested: Indoor and outdoor catering are allowed following the requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No more than 4 adults, excluding children under age 13 (but not more than 10 persons in total), from no more than 2 households may be present at one table; a distance of at least 2 metres is ensured between persons sitting at different tables. <p>Persons who are not vaccinated, recovered from Covid-19, or tested: Public outdoor catering is allowed from 6.00 to 24.00 following the requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No more than 20 persons excluding minors (but no more than 30 persons in total) may be present at one table <p>Indoor catering is not allowed.</p> <p><u>Lithuania:</u> Restaurants, cafes and bars are open. Face masks are mandatory in indoors shared spaces. No limitation of the people at the table if the entity serves only holders of National Certificate. Only two people inside or 5 people outside are allowed to sit at one table if an entity provide service to non holders of National Certificate.</p> <p><u>Estonia:</u> From August 9th, a maximum of 50 people is allowed for indoor bars and restaurants, if there are no safety checks (i.e., proof of vaccination, negative test or recent recovery from COVID) at the entrance. There is no limitation to buying food for takeaway.</p>
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p><u>Estonia:</u> From August 9th, a maximum of 50 people is allowed for indoor events and activities, and a maximum of 100 people is allowed to take part in events in a restricted outdoor area. For events and activities with a safety check (i.e., proof of vaccination, negative test or recent recovery from COVID) at the entrance, a maximum of 6000 people is allowed indoors and a maximum of 12000 people is allowed in a restricted outdoor area.</p>

	<p><u>Latvia</u>: Persons who are vaccinated, recovered from Covid-19, or tested:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are allowed to attend events subject to the requirements to use face masks, distancing and personalized seating. • A public indoor event can take place for up to 4 hours, gathering up to 500 people. • A public outdoor event can take place without a time limit, gathering up to 1000 people. <p>Parents may attend events together with their children who have not been vaccinated and haven't recovered from Covid-19 if the children are under the age of 13, no Covid-19 tests will be required in these cases.</p> <p>Persons that are not vaccinated, recovered from Covid-19, or tested:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public indoor and outdoor events are not allowed <p><u>Lithuania</u>: No restrictions on the number of participants for outdoor events. For short-term (up to 2 hours) non-commercial events held outdoors in public spaces: there is no requirement for the National Certificate. Indoor events can be held at up to 75% seating capacity when attended by non-holders of the National Certificate. Face masks will still be mandatory in events held indoors in public spaces. Only seated indoor and outdoor events are allowed when attended by non-holders of the National Certificate. Online ticketing and/or registration of spectators and/or participants and controlling access by spectators and/or participants to the venue of the indoor/outdoor event must be ensured. Catering can be organised during the indoor and outdoor events in designated locations.</p>
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p><u>Estonia</u>: From August 9th, a maximum of 50 people is allowed for indoor events and activities, and a maximum of 100 people is allowed to take part in events in a restricted outdoor area. These limits apply to public meetings and events, including cinema showings, entertainment services, museums and exhibitions. For events and activities with a safety check (i.e., proof of vaccination, negative test or recent recovery from COVID) at the entrance, a maximum of 6000 people is allowed indoors and a maximum of 12000 people is allowed in a restricted outdoor area.</p> <p><u>Latvia</u>: 10 m2 per visitor or members of one household</p> <p><u>Lithuania</u>: Visits to culture establishments and organized tours indoors fall subject to the requirement of 10 m2 visiting space per person.</p>
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Stores, marketplaces and other public points of sale are open and will ensure the total of 10 m2 per visitor (except the cases where only the holders of the National Certificate are served) or serve only one visitor at a time. Use of facemasks is mandatory.
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transportation is operating with reduced capacity, use of face masks are mandatory.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>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</p> <p>The Lithuanian Hotel and Restaurant Association has introduced the SAFE & CLEAN label, which guarantees the highest standards of safety and cleanliness among hospitality businesses – hotels, restaurants, and leisure and entertainment venues.</p>
Other Key Information	<p>Updates about Estonia Updates about Latvia Updates about Lithuania</p> <p>Baltic Travel Group hopes to see you soon in Baltics!</p>

Bhutan	 CREATIVE TRAVEL a family story since 1977
Updated Date	Sep 10, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Land Borders are closed
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>The quarantine period is currently reduced to 14 days.</p> <p>Bhutan is open for tourists but with 14 days of mandatory quarantine. Also, travelers are subject to the following</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Per day Sustainable Development Fee (royalty) is payable for the entire quarantine period - The Royal Government of Bhutan will bear the food and room charges during 21 days quarantine period in Government-authorized hotels. - Entry is allowed only those traveling by flight and the land route is still closed - Minimum daily package rate will be applicable for the entire tour duration after the mandatory quarantine - Insurance coverage is mandatory - A Covid-19 negative certificate issued by a laboratory certified to carry out RT-PCR test, not earlier than 72 hours before embarking or the country of origin - In addition, it is encouraged to have both the doses of Covid-19 vaccine. <p>As of date, bubble flights operating from Delhi & Kolkatta once a week, and the quarantine period is 21 days for all travelers.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Confirmed cases: 2596 Recovered: 2494 Death: 3 Active: 99
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gathering is not permitted. All towns are now open for internal movements of locals. But people travelling to / from border towns need to obtain travelling permit.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	As of now, bubble flights operating from Delhi & Kolkatta, every Mon from Delhi, and every Fri from Kolkatta. These flights are operated by Druk Air.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	All hotels are mostly closed however in some of the hotels, reservation staff working with limited capacity.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants are now open for locals.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	All government and private offices/venues are open now but only for locals.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Sites are all open with social distancing norms for locals only.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Retail stores are open now with Covid protocol however group gathering is not permitted.
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transport operating as usual.
Upcoming Key Dates	Sept 2nd week, 2021 (Update on availability of vaccine for children expected)
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Standard operating procedures are in progress
Other Key Information	<p>Bhutan began a nationwide vaccination drive on 27 March 2021 and to date, about 95% of the eligible population already got the first jab.</p> <p>Vaccine: Total doses are given 10,45,074 People fully vaccinated 4,77,931</p>

	<p>About 95% of the adult population have received both doses of the Covid-19 vaccine.</p> <p>About 75% of children in 9 districts of the country who are sensitive to Covid have received the first dose of the Moderna vaccine.</p> <p>To achieve herd immunity, Bhutan targets to vaccinate at least 80% of its total population (total population – 7,56,000 which constitute 30% of children)</p> <p>2,00,000 doses of Pfizer vaccine have been received and this will pave for the second round of children’s vaccination and to inoculate children of 12-17 years age group in remaining districts.</p>
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Brazil	
Updated Date	Wednesday, September 1, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Opened as of August 1, 2020
Quarantine Details (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 LI 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 27th . Hotels, shopping malls, stores and restaurants may now open with restrictions for social distancing and hours of operation.
Cases (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 20,800,000 cases with 580,000 deaths. Both number of cases and deaths are decreasing steadily as vaccination progresses
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Beaches are open in Rio de Janeiro for individual sports. Public parks are open. Small groups are allowed in public open spaces
Air (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, and a proof of being tested 48 hours before starting their trip to Brazil.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open with the necessary COVID protocols.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some have reopened as of September 1 st .
Tourist Sites	Open since August 15 th .


(open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transportation is open in Rio, as well as in other cities of Brazil.
Upcoming Key Dates	Vaccination started on January 18, 2021. Until yesterday, over 197,000,000 Brazilians were vaccinated or 93% with at least one jab.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (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.
Other Key Information	

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Cambodia	
Updated Date	April 12, 2021n
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Closed</p> <p>Entry Conditions:</p> <p>Foreigners are now allowed to visit Cambodia but must comply with a long list of regulations.</p> <p>All foreign visitors:</p> <p>Need to have a certificate no more than 72 hours old confirming that they are not infected with the novel coronavirus.</p> <p>Will be given an on-site PCR swab test.</p> <p>Must have proof of \$50,000 worth of travel insurance while in Cambodia.</p> <p>Must quarantine for 14 days after arrival at a place designated by the government.</p> <p>In addition, Cambodia has instituted a visitor-pays system of testing:</p> <p>All visitors must pay for a COVID-19 test and associated expenses upon arrival in Cambodia.</p> <p>Visitors must also make a \$2,000 deposit to cover potential costs of quarantine, hospitalization, and even burial, should they fall ill with coronavirus while in the country.</p> <p>Should the test come back positive for even one person on a flight:</p> <p>All passengers from the flight will be quarantined in a state facility at their own expense.</p> <p>If hospitalization is required, that will also be at the visitor's expense.</p>


Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	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)
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>For the first time since the beginning of the pandemic, Cambodia is recording significant numbers of new COVID-19 cases each day. The 7-day average is currently at 89 per day. Cambodia reported its first death from COVID-19 on March 11.</p> <p>On April 9 Cambodia reported a surge of 576 new COVID-19 infections, more than doubling the country's total infections. All of these cases are linked to four businessmen who broke quarantine on February 20 by bribing staff at the hotel.</p> <p>Restrictions on travel into and out of certain provinces and regions are in place. The health ministry has been urging people not to travel between provinces and cities and a law has been passed that carries long jail terms for serious violations of health measures. Check with local authorities if you're planning to travel within Cambodia.</p> <p>Most public places and service are open and restrictions are few. Gatherings of more than 20 people are not allowed.</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open – some temporarily closed
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some closed
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed – or limited capacity
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
Other Key Information	


Canada	
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Updated Date	<p>April 30, 2021</p> <p>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.</p>
Borders (open, closed)	<p>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 May 21, 2021 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. Anticipated that this rolling closure will remain until June/July 2021. Recently banned flights from India due to the increasing Covid cases.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>There is a mandatory 14-day quarantine upon arriving into Canada for any approved travel.</p> <p>Most regions have implemented mandatory masks in public indoor settings.</p> <p>With the third wave in full effect, we've seen tighter restrictions in place including lockdowns across the country.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Canada is flattening the curve. Current cases:</p> <p>Total Confirmed: 1,216,387</p> <p>Total Deaths: 124,204</p> <p>Total Recovered: 1,109,223</p> <p>Total Active: 75,281</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>As we are seeing increasing case counts we are seeing provinces tighten things back up as we are now in a second wave. Most provinces have passed a Health Order that has reduced social gatherings down to a small group or even just family members. Some provinces are now implementing circuit breaker lockdowns where they are locking down for 2 weeks to help manage this second wave. Gatherings are also banned and only meetings deemed 'essential' are allowed to take place when/where necessary and must observe all social distancing and safety protocols.</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>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 May 21, 2021 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.</p>
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	<p>More and more hotels are opening across the country, as many more provinces are now allowing interprovincial travel.</p>
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Tighter restrictions are in place. Mostly all takeout or patio dining allowed.</p>
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Remain closed until phase three or four depending on the province. All venues are subject to the Health Orders in place regarding mass gatherings. No gathering beyond 5-10 depending on province.</p>
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>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.</p>
Retail Stores W(open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>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.</p>


Transportation (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.
Upcoming Key Dates	May 21, 2021 Border Review May 25 in BC review of current lockdown measures.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (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.
Other Key Information	


Chile	
Updated Date	September 1, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Closed
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Quarantine is no longer active for most cities in the country although there are still few cities which are in lockdown. Compulsory 10-day quarantine for all travelers once they enter Chile.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Cases continue to decrease in the country due to the very successful vaccination process which has allowed local authorities to think about border openings although dates have not been informed yet.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group activities are allowed but only for small groups at the moment.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Domestic flights operating and some international carriers are also operating mainly from USA and Europe.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Some hotels are already open.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some restaurants are already open.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most of them are closed.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some of them are currently open.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with capacity restrictions.
Transportation (public and private options)	Operating as normal.
Upcoming Key Dates	Measures are reviewed by local authorities on a weekly basis
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Safe Travels certification has been implemented by the government and local tourism authorities being followed by all DMCs and the different hotels and restaurants.
Other Key Information	

Costa Rica	 P R E M I O <small>D M C</small> <small>C O S T A R I C A</small>
Updated Date	September 2, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Air and marine entry to Costa Rica has been opened for all countries. International arrivals by air are possible through Juan Santamaria Airport in San Jose (SJO) and Guanacaste Airport (LIR) on the north Pacific coast. Costa Rica is allowing entry at land border crossings only to those visitors that do not require a visa. Those who do require a visa to enter the country may opt for air or marine entry for now.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Due to recent regulations and guidelines, it has been deemed safe for visitors to enter the country and circulate without needing a proof of a COVID-19 test. The following requirements have been established: -Completing an online HEALTH PASS available at https://salud.go.cr -As of August 1, 2021, fully vaccinated travelers do not need to buy COVID-19 related travel insurance. For official purposes, fully vaccinated means having received all required shots of an accepted vaccine, at least 14 days before entry. Anyone who is not fully vaccinated can still enter the country, but must purchase travel insurance that specifically covers COVID-19 related expenses. It must cover lodging in the event of quarantine (\$2,000) as well as medical expenses due to contracting COVID-19 (\$50,000).
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	The curve tends to flatten in Costa Rica. Total confirmed cases: 466,574 / Total Deaths: 5523 / Total Recovered: 374,630 / About 61% of the population has received at least the first dose of the vaccine; 24.2% are fully vaccinated.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings are currently restricted. Distance requirements are between 1,8m to 2m depending on location. The use of a mask is mandatory in public spaces, shops, and most businesses.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	All U.S.-based airlines that served Costa Rica before the pandemic have resumed service.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels with more than 100 guest rooms are open at 75% capacity. However, public areas such as restaurants, pools, Spas, etc., are operating with limited capacity or reduced services.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open at 50% capacity.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open at 50% capacity to ensure physical distancing, with a limited total number of people allowed.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	National parks are open at 100% capacity; most attractions are operating with limited capacity to ensure physical distancing.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open at 50% capacity.
Transportation (public and private options)	Reduced capacities in private buses to allow physical distancing. Face masks are mandatory on public transportation.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Vehicular restriction from 10pm to 5am every day as well as by license plate number one day per week. Social distancing while outside; masks are mandatory on public spaces. Sanitary protocols are enforced by each sector of tourism to ensure the safety of visitors. The Safe Travels stamp has been awarded to companies that comply with all the sanitary initiatives.
Other Key Information	

Croatia	
Updated Date	September 7th
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Opened</p> <p>Currently, Croatia is open to all travellers who, in addition to proof that they are traveling for tourist purposes can show one of the following at the time of border crossing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • European Centre for Disease Prevention and Control's GREEN list residence • EU digital COVID Certificate • Negative PCR test not older than 72 hours • RAT test not older than 48 hours • Proof of full vaccination older than 2 weeks (for EU residents, proof of minimum one dose older than 22 days). • Medical proof that they have had COVID 19 in the past 6 months <p>The only exceptions at this time are Brazil, India, South Africa, and Zanzibar. Travels from these countries must still go through min. 7 day of isolation and present negative PCR tests at time of entry and exit from isolation.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Quarantine not required, The only exceptions at this time are Brazil, India, South Africa, and Zanzibar. Travels from these countries must still go through min. 7 day of isolation and present negative PCR tests at time of entry and exit from isolation
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Flat, hospitalizations are still quite low and ICU units are not overloaded.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings are allowed, sizes vary. Distance requirements are 1,5m
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Flights to Croatia from all around Europe have begun. Direct flights from USA via United, Delta .
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Majority are open and have implemented various safety measures from hand sanitizer, staff wearing masks, temperature checks in some hotels.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants are open, capacity limits indoors.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened with certain capacity limits, face covering required indoors.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened, face covering required.
Transportation (public and private options)	Face masks required on public transport (bus and ferry)
Upcoming Key Dates	June 15th
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives	<p>Stay safe in Croatia initiative</p> <p>Safe stay in Croatia</p>

(in progress, certification program, etc.)	DT is certified under this program
Other Key Information	Official English updates at https://www.koronavirus.hr/en Good Morning America Video from Dubrovnik July 28 th https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QCvSFeBHgpU&t=12s US EMBASSY IN CROATIA COVID INFO : https://hr.usembassy.gov/covid-19-information-2/


Czech Republic	
Updated Date	September 2, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Open, all rules, limits and if COVID test necessary is on www.mzv.cz/en
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Negative tests required, vaccinated free entry
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	decreasing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Events allowed even over 1000 persons
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Vaclav Havel airport operating, Amsterdam, Frankfurt, etc. And summer destinations. www.prg.aero.com
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	open
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	open
Upcoming Key Dates	September 15
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Obligatory to wear masks inside
Other Key Information	Our number 1679738 pax infected, 30404 died

Denmark	
Updated Date	01JUN2021// NEW
Borders (open, closed)	Se below
Quarantine Details (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 info@snedmc.eu for accurate details
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
ZAir (carriers flying to/from country)	
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Transportation (public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p><i>Quarantine/tracking details</i></p> <p>Passengers entering or transiting through Denmark must have a negative COVID-19 antigen or PCR test taken at most 48 hours before departure from the first embarkation point or before departure of the last direct flight to Denmark. The test result must be in Danish, English, French, German, Icelandic, Italian, Norwegian, Spanish or Swedish. Details can be found at https://um.dk/en/travel-and-residence/coronavirus-covid-19/.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- This does not apply to:- passengers younger than 15 years;- passengers traveling to Faroe Islands (FAE);- passengers with a positive COVID-19 PCR test result issued at least 14 days and at most 180 days before arrival. The test result must be in Danish, English, French, German, Icelandic, Italian, Norwegian, Spanish or Swedish;- passengers with a COVID-19 vaccination certificate issued in Switzerland or an EEA Member State. The certificate must state that they received the vaccine at least 2 weeks and at most 180 days before departure. Vaccines accepted are AstraZeneca (Vaxzevria), Janssen, Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech. They must not arrive from Bangladesh, Botswana, Brazil, Eswatini, India, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Nepal, South Africa, Zambia or Zimbabwe. Details can be found at http://tinyurl.com/pbd4c5nj;- nationals of Denmark with a COVID-19 vaccination certificate issued outside Switzerland or an EEA Member State. The certificate must state that they received the vaccine at least 2 weeks and at most 180 days before departure. Vaccines accepted are AstraZeneca (Vaxzevria), Janssen, Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech. They must not arrive from Bangladesh, Botswana, Brazil, Eswatini, India, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Nepal, South Africa, Zambia or Zimbabwe. Details can be found at http://tinyurl.com/pbd4c5nj;- passengers arriving from yellow countries and regions listed at https://tinyurl.com/znkvcws. <p>Passengers are subject to a COVID-19 test upon arrival.</p>

	<p>- This does not apply to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - passengers younger than 15 years; - passengers traveling to Greenland; - passengers with a positive COVID-19 PCR test result issued at least 14 days and at most 180 days before arrival. The test result must be in Danish, English, French, German, Icelandic, Italian, Norwegian, Spanish or Swedish; - passengers with a COVID-19 vaccination certificate issued in Switzerland or an EEA Member State. The certificate must state that they received the vaccine at least 2 weeks and at most 180 days before departure. Vaccines accepted are AstraZeneca (Vaxzevria), Janssen, Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech. They must not arrive from Bangladesh, Botswana, Brazil, Eswatini, India, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Nepal, South Africa, Zambia or Zimbabwe. Details can be found at http://tinyurl.com/pbd4c5nj. <p>Passengers could be subject to self-isolation for 10 days. Details can be found at https://en.coronasmittle.dk/rules-and-regulations/entry-into-denmark/legal-requirements-upon-entry.</p> <p>Passengers traveling to Greenland:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - must have a negative COVID-19 PCR test taken at most 72 hours before departure. The test result must be in English or German. Details can be found at https://visitgreenland.com/corona-faq/; and - must have a Personal Location Form (SUMUT) obtained before departure at https://sumut2020.gl/Instructions/EditInstructions ; and - could be subject to a COVID-19 test upon arrival and quarantine. Details can be found at https://visitgreenland.com/corona-faq/.. <p><i>Airport limitations</i> None specified.</p> <p><i>Direct flight restrictions</i> Until 30 June 2021, flights from Iceland to Greenland are suspended Passengers are not allowed to enter.</p> <p>- This does not apply to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - nationals or residents of Denmark; - residents of Australia, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Israel, Italy, Korea (Rep.), Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and Thailand; - spouses, partners, parents, children, fiances, sisters, brothers or grandparents of a person residing in Denmark. They must present proof confirming their relationship; - boyfriends or girlfriends of a person residing in Denmark. They must present a printed 'Solemn declaration on relationship for use in connection with entry'; - passengers with a diplomatic passport; - spouses, partners, children or stepchildren of a person with a diplomatic passport; - merchant seamen; - more exemptions can be found at https://tinyurl.com/rwd9tb.. <p><i>Transit</i> Yes with restrictions</p>


<p>Dominican Republic</p>	
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Updated Date	September 6th, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Open
Quarantine Details (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.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Currently increasing in some part of the island as Santo Domingo, the capital. More than 2million people have been vaccinated.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Limits on group gatherings to a 50-60% in most of the establishments and transportation. Distancing required in all of them and the usage of masks is mandatory.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Open.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open .
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially open.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open and working Mandatory to wear mask on the public spaces; establishments working on 50-60% capacity
Transportation (public and private options)	Private options working. Public option open. Protocols must be followed.
Upcoming Key Dates	Curfew: everyday 12am, except for Santo Domingo and Punta Cana with no curfew.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Mandatory to wear mask on the public spaces; establishments working on 50-60 %capacity. Social distancing is required.
Other Key Information	50% of population already vaccinated

<p>Dubai, Abu Dhabi, Oman, UAE</p>	<div>  <p>pure arabia</p> <p>incentives, conferences & events</p> </div>
Updated Date	Thursday, Sept 02nd 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Opened on 07 th July 2020
Quarantine Details	All quarantine & lock down restrictions have been removed. People within the country are able to have a near normal life.

(requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	People are allowed to move freely whilst wearing face masks and gloves. Social distancing is still required and use of sanitizers are being encouraged.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Reducing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>Social distancing of 1.5 meters is required in all shops, offices, restaurants and public areas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wearing a mask is still mandatory and observing 2 meter physical distance. - Live entertainment is allowed in restaurants, cafes, and malls - Entertainment venues capacity raised to 80% - Hotel rooms capacity raised to 100% - Concerts are now permitted, BUT performers and attendees must be vaccinated. - Restaurants can now seat 10 people per table
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>In-bound flights are operating.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 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. The test must be taken a maximum of 48 hours before departure. This excludes children under the age of 12 and passengers who have a moderate or severe disability. – The UAE government has specified designated laboratories. If you are flying from certain countries, 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. – 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 – Before you travel, please check the requirements of the country you are travelling to. You may need to take a printed COVID-19 PCR test before you depart.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	All hotels are open. Hotels have to follow sterilization and disinfection procedures
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants and venues are open. 1.5m distancing is required.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open and to run at capacity keeping social distancing in mind.
Tourist Sites (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. 60%)
Retail Stores (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.
Transportation (public and private options)	Available. Metro, Public busses and Taxis. Group transportation operating at 75%
Upcoming Key Dates	N/A
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nationwide sanitizing started in March 2020. Ended in June 2020 2. UAE has been listed amongst the top 10 countries for COVID-19 response measures. 3. Residents and visitors have to wear a face mask when in public areas. 4. Social distancing is required of at least 2-3m. 5. Hand sanitizer is being provided by almost every shop and restaurant to visitors 6. 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.

	<p>7. Dubai has been granted the World Travel & Tourism Council's (WTTC) Safe Travels stamp, the world's first ever global safety and hygiene stamp by the WTTC.</p> <p>8. International MICE events are allowed to take place</p> <p>9. There is no mandatory quarantine period in Dubai for guests who arrive with a negative PCR test. Once they land, they are free to move around Dubai as they wish.</p> <p>10. The UAE has been one of the front runners with the Covid-19 vaccine campaign with one of the highest inoculation rates globally. The UAE has already administered over 18 million doses vaccinating over 90% of its population.</p>
Other Key Information	-


Egypt	
Updated Date	August 16 th , 2021
Borders (Open, closed)	Egyptian Borders are Open.
Quarantine & PCR Details (Requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>All passengers should wear face masks during the flight.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •A Health Declaration form should be available on all the international flights and to be filled and signed by the Passengers before boarding the flight (at the departure airport) and to be delivered to The Quarantine Authorities upon arrival. •Passengers travelling to Egypt should be screened at the airport of departure. •Passengers who are suffering from a temperature (Equal / above) 38C or those who are suffering from one of the respiratory symptoms (cough / sneezing / shortness of breath ...etc.) are not allowed to board the aircraft. •In case of any of the respiratory symptoms appear on a passenger during the flight, all necessary precautions must be taken if possible, by (separating the suspected passenger in an area far from the rest of the passengers / assign one of the cabin crew members to serve the sick passenger / provide a bathroom for the sick passenger only). •Global Health insurance is no more mandatory. (optional) •All Passengers arriving to Egypt from (Ethiopia - Eritrea - Senegal – Sudan - Somalia - Congo - Niger - Angola - Uganda - Benin - Burkina Faso - Burundi - Chad - Togo – Tanzania - Gambia - South Sudan- Central African Republic - Democratic Republic of Congo - Sierra Leone -Rwanda - Zambia - Ghana - Guinea - Guinea Bissau - Equatorial Guinea - Côte d'Ivoire - Kenya - Liberia - Mali - Mauritania – Nigeria-Cameroon –Gabon - Brazil - Argentina - Ecuador - Paraguay - Panama - Peru – Trinidad and Tobago- Guyana - French Guiana - Suriname - Venezuela – Colombia) must be in possession of Yellow Fever Vaccination Certificate. •All Passengers arriving to Egypt from (Pakistan - Afghanistan –Somalia- Nigeria -Niger -Malaysia - Philippines - China- Myanmar - Democratic Republic of the Congo - Kenya -Chad - Cote d'ivoire - Angola - central republic of Africa - Ethiopia - Ghana - Togo - Zambia -Benin - Burkina

	<p>Faso - Cameroon) must be in in possession of Poliomyelitis Vaccination Certificate.</p> <p>PCR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•All passengers "including Egyptians" travelling to Egypt MUST be in possession of negative PCR test (72) hours (before departure time of the last direct flight to Egypt).•Exception is made for passengers travelling from (Japan / China / Thailand / North America / South America / Canada / London (Heathrow) /Rome / Paris / Frankfurt / New Zealand / Australia/South Korea) PCR test will be 96 hours before departure time.•All children "regardless their nationalities" under 6 years old are exempted from PCR test.•Transit Passengers (who are not entitled For Hotel Accommodation and will be staying at Cairo Airport till their onward Flight) don't require having a PCR Test upon Arrival.•Transit Passengers (who are entitled For Hotel Accommodation and will not be staying at Cairo Airport till their Onward Flight) must be in Possession of Negative PCR Test even if their Final Destination don't require a Negative PCR Test to be able to accommodate them in Hotel.•The minister of foreign affairs will coordinate with the concerned authorities regarding the procedures for PCR test and precautionary measures planned to be implemented for the members of diplomatic missions coming from abroad after the end of their work period.•The submitted PCR certificate will be accepted if it meets these requirements:<ul style="list-style-type: none">-It includes the hour and the date of sampling, which is the date on which the 72 hours will be counted.-Issued by an authorized accredited laboratory and stamped with the laboratory's stamp OR with a QR code "instead of the laboratory stamp" and does not contain scraping, cancellation or addition.-Indicating the type of sample taken for the swab.-Indicating that the type of test is (RT - PCR).-Certificate is accepted in Arabic, English or French language.-The RT-PCR certificate must be an original paper certificate (Copy is not allowed).•International Passengers (who are travelling directly) to (Sharm el Sheikh / Taba / Hurghada / Marsa Alam) airports who failed to submit a valid PCR test (72 hours before flight departure time), shall undergo the PCR test upon arrival to those airports with charge of 30 USD. "Those passengers will be isolated in their hotels till the PCR test result is received and "In case the PCR is positive, passenger will be self-isolated in his / her room at the hotel and to coordinate with the Egyptian Ministry of health". <p>Vaccinated Passengers:</p> <p>(A)- Passengers travelling from (India / Bangladesh / Pakistan / Bhutan / Myanmar / Nepal / Sri Lanka / Brazil / Latin America / Vietnam):</p> <p>1- Vaccinated passengers travelling from the above mentioned countries whether direct or indirect during the last 14 days can enter Egypt if he/she has an approved certificate with a QR code from the country issued the certificate (the certificate will be reviewed and examined, and in case of any scraping, cancellation or addition, the certificate will not be accepted).(In case the vaccination certificate is issued without QR code in the country that the passenger is coming from, the certificate will be accepted if it is approved from the Egyptian Embassy in this country).</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Passengers are required to be fully vaccinated with one of the vaccines approved by World Health Organization and The Egyptian Medicines Authority.•Passengers can travel to Egypt after 14 days of receiving the second dose of (Pfizer / AstraZeneca / Moderna / Sinopharm / Sinovac / Sputnik) or after 14 days of receiving the first dose of Johnson & Johnson.•Passenger shall undergo an (ID now Covid-19 TEST) upon arrival and in case the test is positive, the passenger shall undergo a PCR test at the airport and in case the test is positive, the passenger will be quarantined in a governmental designated hospital.(the test costs 1000 EGP) <p>2- Non-vaccinated passengers traveling from the above mentioned countries whether direct or indirect during the last 14 days shall undergo an (ID now Covid-19 TEST) upon arrival (in addition to the PCR test Certificate which is required before arrival).(the test costs 1000 EGP).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•Passenger shall undergo an (ID now Covid-19 TEST) upon arrival and in case the test is positive, the passenger shall undergo a PCR test at the airport and in case the test is positive, the passenger will be quarantined in a governmental designated hospital.(the test costs 1000 EGP). <p>(B)- Vaccinated Passengers travelling from any other country not mentioned in (A) whether direct or indirect during the last 14 days can enter Egypt if he/she has an approved certificate with a QR code from the country issued the certificate (the certificate will be reviewed and examined, and in case of any scraping, cancellation or addition, the certificate will not be accepted).(In case the vaccination certificate is issued without QR code in the country that the passenger is coming from, the certificate will be accepted if it is approved from the Egyptian Embassy in this country).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•Passengers are required to be fully vaccinated with one of the vaccines approved by World Health Organization and The Egyptian Medicines Authority.•Passengers can travel to Egypt after 14 days of receiving the second dose of (Pfizer / AstraZeneca / Moderna / Sinopharm / Sinovac / Sputnik) or after 14 days of receiving the first dose of Johnson & Johnson.•All recovered passengers travelling to Egypt with one shot of vaccine – even they had their vaccinated certificates – must have a negative PCR before travel.•(ID Now / PCR-NAA/ Antigen/IGg-IGm) tests are NOT acceptable by Egyptian authority.•Passengers arriving from Cameroon ONLY can present a copy / electronic PCR certificate.•PCR test certificate EXPIRES as soon as the passenger used it to travel outside Egypt (as it can’t be used again to return back).•All recovered passengers traveling from Bahrain must have a negative PCR test 72 hours.•All recovered passengers traveling from Bahrain “with one shot of vaccine” according to Bahrain ministry of health protocol - even they had their vaccinate certificate - must have a negative PCR test before travel. <p>QUARANTINE: Passengers coming to Egypt will be followed up for 14 days by The Quarantine Authorities and Ministry of Health Offices.</p>
Cases	Decreasing

(increasing, decreasing, flat)	On August 16 th 2021 there were 99 new cases making the total of 285257 cases of Covid-19 in Egypt. 233881 recovered, 16615 total diseased cases. All part of the health ministry's surveillance and investigation procedures according to the guidelines of the World Health Organization.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Red Sea Beaches, Museums, Gyms, Sports & Social clubs are now open at 70% of their capacity no large gatherings allowed, restrictions to limited numbers in closed places and maintaining social distancing at all public places.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Air traffic fully functioning to/from all international destinations; air traffic are domestic & international flights.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Partially operating up to 70% of hotels occupancy, outlets & meeting-rooms for guests
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Operating at 70% of Restaurants capacities. Restaurants to close at 11pm except for Delivery orders 24/7.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Historical/other venues are opened for visitors at 70% of capacity.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	opened with capacity limitations.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Retail stores, Supermarkets & pharmacies are open & operating with social distancing. Delivery orders 24/7
Transportation (public and private options)	public transportation (trains, metro, public buses) is operating till midnight. Private Trans allowed all the time.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>General Regulations for Hospitality Establishments, Archeological Sites, and Museums</p> <p>Operation Regulations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Obtaining the "Hygiene Safety Certificate" given by the Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities in coordination with the Ministry of Health and Population and the relevant Tourism Chamber, and complying with the new set regulations, are prerequisites for hospitality establishments to operate.• Regular monitoring of hospitality establishments will be carried out by joint committees between the Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities, the relevant Tourism Chamber, and international consulting firms specialized in the field of hygiene.• Violating any of the set regulations will result in the suspension of the establishment's license.• The manager of the hospitality establishment will sign a declaration of commitment to the set regulations, and any violation will result in severe penalties.• Information of the hygiene and safety regulations will be made available to all guests and visitors of the establishment. <p>Cleaning and Disinfection</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Regular disinfection of all public places and all touch points is carried out.• Hand sanitizers are provided in all places.• Regular cleaning of furniture and fabrics in hotels and tourism establishments is carried out.• Proper ventilation is maintained, in addition to compliance with the requirements of the Ministry of Health and Population regarding central air conditioning.• Safe disposal of waste according to the guidelines of the Ministry of Health and Population, and the Ministry Environment is a must.• Disinfection of laundry sinks is carried out daily.


	<p>Toilets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regular disinfection of toilets and all touch points and is carried out. • Proper ventilation is maintained. • Sanitizers and liquid soap are constantly available. • Only paper towels are provided. • Only trash cans with foot pedals are provided. <p>Elevators</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical distancing inside elevators is maintained with floor signs. • Elevator attendants and guests must wear face masks inside the elevator. • Regular disinfection of elevators and all touch points inside it is carried out. <p>Hotels Regulations</p> <p>1- Receiving Guests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Guests will have their temperatures checked every time they enter the hotel. • Luggage is disinfected before check-in. • Floor signs are placed to maintain physical distancing. • Electronic payment is encouraged. <p>2- Accommodation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Room capacity is 2 adults + 2 children (less than 12 years old). • Personal Protection Kits (containing personal protective equipment such as masks, gloves, and hand sanitizers) are provided in rooms for each guest. • Rooms are disinfected and properly ventilated for 12 hours between check-out and check-in. • Rooms and bathrooms are properly ventilated and disinfected daily. • Furniture and fabrics are disinfected using steam machines. • Linens and towels are washed at high temperatures.
Other Key Information	

England/Scotland/ Wales	 <p>Wedgewood Britain THE GREAT BRITISH EXPERTS</p>
Updated Date	<p>1st September 2021</p> <p><i>The following information should be treated as a guideline only, based on current information, and subject to alteration.</i></p>
Borders (open, closed)	UK borders are open
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Quarantine will no longer apply to travellers out of the USA and EU , who are fully vaccinated. For visitors coming into the UK from other countries on the amber or red list, quarantine still applies, but the policy remains under review, according to COVID cases in those countries. On a domestic level, England and Scotland are open. (Some indoor locations and public transport still require masks to be worn)
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Number of cases is relativley stable, in spite of restrictions easing. Hospitalizations and COVID-related deaths remain low, as a result of widespread and ongoing progress of nationwide vaccinations. (90% of UK


	adult population has received at least one vaccination / nearly 80% is fully-vaccinated)
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Legal restrictions were lifted in England on 19 th July 2021, Scotland followed on 9 th August. Test events including the EUROS international soccer and Wimbledon have already taken place with close to capacity crowds.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Multiple airlines continue to operate international flights into London, and other UK international hubs, including intercontinental flights by BA, American Airlines, United into Heathrow.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open (and some very busy with domestic market). Special hygiene and cleaning measures as well as other procedures to facilitate social-distancing remain in place.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Pubs and restaurants are open. Some capacity restrictions may remain, subject to individual venue policy rather than government-enforced restrictions.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. Some capacity restrictions may remain, subject to individual venue policy rather than government-enforced restrictions.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. Capacity may be limited, but this varies according to the venue.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Shops are all open as usual
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transport (including the London underground) is running. The wearing of masks or face-coverings is still expected in stations and when using public transport.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	British government has issued “Safer Transport” guidelines and advice. Additional good-hygiene protocols widely implemented. Most suppliers in the hospitality sector have “Good To Go” safety and hygiene certification (as does Wedgewood Britain!)
Other Key Information	Businesses have adapted operational policies in response to COVID. Extensive vaccine roll-outs continue.

Finland	
Updated Date	July 19. 2021
Borders (open, closed)	12July – 25.July You can come to Finland from the EU and Schengen countries if the country's incidence rate is less than 25 or if you have a certificate of a full coronary vaccination series or have contracted the disease less than 6 months ago. You can come to Finland from other EU and Schengen countries for a necessary reason or on a business trip. A third country on the EU Green List can enter Finland if the country's incidence rate is less than 25. When arriving from third countries other than the Green List, there must be a necessary reason. No health and safety measures are required for transit through Helsinki Airport, but the requirements of the destination country must be met.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Caution behavior is expected. Some countries with a high risk of infection risk have restrictions and cannot enter Finland.


Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Daily between 100 - 200 persons infected . Only people who haven't taken the vaccination are infected. Soon 70% of the Finnish population vaccinated.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Under 50 persons free gathering, although with a safety gap of 1,5 meters only inside is recommended.
SAir (carriers flying to/from country)	Local carrier Finnair; Air fares starting to open up and announced that several destinations are opened in June 2021. Free Covid – 19 test at airports not necessary any more. A vaccine certification required.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Many hotels are closed at this point but some serving for the moment national tourists and business related guests. A larger opening this autumn
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants are opening up and business back in June / July
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most opening up in June / restriction; small groups
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most opening up in June / restriction; small groups
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most opening up in June / restriction: small groups
Transportation (public and private options)	Most transportation / public and private are working as normal. Train departures increasing.
Upcoming Key Dates	Re-evaluate on 26.July when borders are to be opened ?
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Washing your hands and keeping high hygiene and sanitary standards. In all shops, restaurants hand disinfection bottles. Masks are not compulsory but a strong recommendation at this point.
Other Key Information	Generally, it is safe to travel to Finland but problems with flights to Helsinki and customs may arise if not covid – 19 tested with negative result. Please bring your vaccination certificate.

France (Northern)	
Updated Date	Aug.23, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Borders opened with some restrictions for some countries below
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	US citizens can enter France : - With vaccine proof + PCR test –72hrs
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increased (Delta Variant) We now have a positive tests plateau around 22000 per day.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Public events opened with vaccination proof or PCR –72hrs (sanitary pass) No international groups yet...but locally it is starting under above restrictions Need to show a sanitary pass almost everywhere.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Opened Sanitary pass required to travel.


Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Opened.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Start reopening under same restriction of showing a sanitary pass
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Most Tourist sites, museums, movies, theatres: opened with same restrictions of showing a sanitary pass t
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All stores opened – Gel and masks mandatory Big malls have to request the sanitary pass
Transportation (public and private options)	Opened (masks still required)
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Sanitary pass required almost everywhere. The sanitary pass has a QR code confirming: Vaccination done in full Or PCR negative –72hrs Or medical proof that the person has had the Covid in the last 6 months.
Other Key Information	Waiting to see when and how the USA (and all other countries) vaccination proof can be integrated and compatible to French app used here to show our QR code for vaccination, which allows us to go everywhere and eventually drop the mask.
Vaccination	A little more than 70% in France are vaccinated.


<p>France (southern) / Monaco</p>	
Updated Date	August 19 th , 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Borders opened but with a 72h Covid negative test. If not provided, then a test will be done at the airports.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Hotels are open. All restaurants, bars, cultural places like theatres, museums etc. Are open again. Healthpass needed.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing unfortunately
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	From June 30 th onwards 1000 pax can gather inside with social distancing, and no more limits outside.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Open but limited flights
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bars, pubs and restaurants: Healthpass required.

Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Shops and indoor markets: one client for every 4m²• A health pass will be required. You must wear a mask in all venues unless you are eating or drinking. <p>Indoor and outdoor sports venues, such as stadiums and swimming pools may allow up to 65% of spectator capacity, up to 6,000 people. A health pass will be required for capacities over 1,000 people</p>
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open</p> <p>Cultural activities restart with limited capacity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cinemas, theatres and show venues: 65% capacity, to a maximum of 6,000 people per room. A health pass will be required• Museums: one visitor for every 4m².• Seated open-air festivals: 65% capacity, to a maximum of 6,000 people. A health pass will be required.• Libraries: one seat out of two
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	All transportation (bus, metro, tramway): No limit in numbers but social distancing & masks
Upcoming Key Dates	End of August
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>For public events bringing together over 1,000 people, spectators aged 11 and over will need to present a health pass.</p> <p>The pass must prove one of the three following items:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• That you are fully vaccinated (with an EMA-approved vaccine):<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Two weeks after the second shot for two-shot vaccines (Pfizer, Moderna, AstraZeneca);○ Four weeks after the shot for one-shot vaccines (Johnson & Johnson);○ Two weeks after the shot for vaccines administered to people who have already had COVID-19 (only one dose is necessary).• OR that you have been tested (PCR or antigen) with a negative result within the last 48hrs;• OR that you have recovered from COVID-19, attested by a positive PCR or antigen test result, at least 15 days and no more than 6 months old. <p>Passes can be digital (on the TousAntiCovid app) or in paper form (proof of vaccination or test result). They must be presented in English or French. You will not need to present a health pass for acts of daily life (commuting, shopping, cinemas, etc.)</p>
Other Key Information	<p>The rules for travel to and from France depend on the country from which or to which you wish to travel, the reason for which you are travelling and your vaccination status.</p> <p>Full information is available in English on the website of the Ministry for Europe and Foreign Affairs.</p>


Germany	 <p>Conference – Event – Destination – Association Management</p>
Updated Date	<p>4 August 2021</p> <p>More than 50% of Germans are vaccinated and the incidence is quite low at 10-20 in all of Germany. In order to prevent the delta mutation from spreading, entry requirements (also for Germans) have been tightened. Anyone returning home from a risk or high-incidence area who has not yet been fully vaccinated against Corona is still subject to a 10-14-day quarantine requirement.</p> <p>But otherwise, a lot of normality has returned. In principle, everything is open, but masks still have to be worn indoors and on public transport.</p>
Borders (open, closed)	Borders are open. A 10-14-day quarantine is required upon entry from certain countries.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Depending on the state, 10-14 days for outside arrivals.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Strongly decreasing. 54% of the German population is vaccinated.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	General: Distance requirements are 1,5 meters.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	There are flights to the States and Canada. Number of flights (esp. within Europe) is increasing.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Some are open.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Museums and other attractions are open. Some are open for visitors with a negative Covid-test and online registration and just 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.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transport is running as usual, mask (FFP2) obligation. Private possible, same with mask obligation. They also take care on hygiene (disinfection etc.)
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>Wearing masks (FFP2) 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.).</p> <p>The Berlin Senate has issued a guideline for the realization of events. CPO has a Hygiene (COVID-19) Policy.</p>
Other Key Information	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.

Greece	
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Updated Date	2 Sept. 2021
Borders (open, closed)	The country has started lifting most measures.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Travellers from the EU, UK, USA and certain other countries are allowed to enter as of May 15 th , 2021. The provision is to have a vaccination certificate or a 72 hours negative test result.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	10-20 daily deaths, an average of 2.500 new cases daily.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Social distancing of min. 2m. Masks are required ONLY indoors.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Most carriers have commenced flights. All domestic travel (flights & ferries) is open.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels that run on a 12-month are in operation. Also, most of the resort and island hotels have opened.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Are open as usual. Only vaccinated guests are allowed indoors
Venues 3(open, closed, capacity limits)	Same as above
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. Need to wear masks.
Transportation (public and private options)	Have started operating as usual, but passengers need to wear masks.
Upcoming Key Dates	Every 2 weeks a new evaluation takes place.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
Other Key Information	-


Hungary	
Updated Date	September 2, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • More than 50% of Hungary's population has been vaccinated. • Borders are open. • All services are open and available. • Outdoor sports are permitted. Professional athletes who are not immune to the virus will be allowed to compete at outdoor events with more than 500 people. • Open-air events can be held without restrictions for up to 500 people, while music and dance events can be visited with immunity certificates. • Budapest's Liszt Ferenc airport is open. <p>Covid-19 information for passengers is available at https://www.bud.hu/en/covid_19.</p> <p>For departing passengers with cancelled flights, travelers should check carrier schedules for the latest updates and work directly with the carrier or travel agent to arrange or reschedule travel.</p>

Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	As of August 7th, those non-EU travellers are able to enter Hungary by air and without any further restrictions who are able to present a negative PCR certificate for a Covid-19 test in either Hungarian or English. Hungary is considered as one of the safest countries in Europe.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Decreasing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	See above
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	See above
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	See above
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants, cafés, and bars can be open in regular times. Clubs are open.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Leisure facilities, including museums, theatres, gyms, swimming pools, cinemas and zoos, will be open for visitors with immunity certificates who can take along underaged family members.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open in regular opening hours.
Transportation (public and private options)	Available, regular operation.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	All restrictions have been lifted.
Other	


Iceland	
Updated Date	28.07.2020
Borders (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.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<u>15th of June and onwards</u> 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.
Cases (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

	<p>has tested over 20% of the population for Covid19.</p> <p>On July 28th , 20 there are 8 active cases in isolation in Iceland. 0 in Hospital & 0 in ICU There have only been 43 new cases since 1st of May, and until 28th of July, and 86 cases have tested positive (out of 38,865) at the international airport for, or 0,22% of the tourists.</p> <p>Covid19 is under control and rare occasional cases are being reported.</p> <p>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.</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings of 500pax are allowed.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>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</p> <p>Boston Copenhagen Berlin Brussels Stockholm München Düsseldorf Amsterdam Zürich Frankfurt Paris London Oslo Vienna Milano Aalborg Prague Budapest Riga Krakow Warsaw Wrocklaw Gdansk</p>
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	All key Hotels are open.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open (limited to 500 pax)
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open (limited to 500 pax)
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open. No restrictions in the nature. Plenty of open space.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open (limited to 500 pax)
Transportation (public and private options)	Open. Following local guidelines of public and private transportation.
Upcoming Key Dates	<p>1st of August 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>20th of August</p>


	Public gathering of 1.000 pax will be allowed, instead of 500 pax.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (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>
Other Key Information	https://www.covid.is/data

India	
Updated Date	Sep 10, 2021
Borders (Open, closed)	<p>Several states across the country have started to relax lockdown curbs as the daily tally of the Covid-19 cases maintained a steady downward trend. Many states partially opened Or given several relaxations in the lockdown, which were imposed to check the spread of the infection during the second wave of the pandemic.</p> <p>Inter-State borders are open followed by Covid guidelines stated by each state.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Quarantine upon arrival is not required.</p> <p>This Standard Operating Procedure shall be valid w.e.f. 22nd February 2021 (23.59 Hrs IST) till further orders.</p> <p>All travelers should submit a self-declaration form on the online Air Suvidha portal https://www.newdelhiahairport.in/ before the scheduled travel. They have to upload a negative COVID-19 RT-PCR report. This test should have been conducted within 72 hrs before undertaking the journey. Each passenger shall also submit a declaration concerning the authenticity of the report and will be liable for criminal prosecution if found otherwise.</p> <p>The traveler should also give an undertaking on the portal or otherwise to the Ministry of Civil Aviation, Govt. of India, through concerned airlines before they are allowed to undertake the journey, that they would abide by the decision of the appropriate government authority to undergo home quarantine/ self-monitoring of their health for 14 days, or as warranted.</p> <p>Arrival in India without a negative report shall be allowed only for those traveling to India in the exigency of death in the family. If the traveler wishes to seek such exemption, they shall apply to the online portal (www.newdelhiahairport.in) at least 72 hours before boarding. The decision taken by the government as communicated on the online portal will be final.</p> <p>Airlines to allow boarding only those passengers who have filled in the Self Declaration Form on the Air Suvidha portal and uploaded the negative RT-PCR test report.</p> <p>All other passengers who have uploaded RT-PCR negative certificates on the Air Suvidha portal (www.newdelhiahairport.in) shall be allowed to leave the airport/ take transit flights and will be required to undertake self-monitoring of their health for 14 days.</p>

	<p>All passengers shall be advised to download Aarogya Setu app on their mobile devices. ix. Suitable precautionary measures such as environmental sanitation and disinfection shall be ensured at the airports.</p> <p>The traveler from the United Kingdom, Europe, and the Middle East, South Africa: They will also follow the above procedure but they have to declare their travel history (of the past 14 days).</p> <p>All the travelers arriving from/transiting through flights originating in United Kingdom, Europe, or the Middle East shall be mandatorily subjected to self-paid confirmatory molecular tests on arrival at the Indian airports concerned (port of entry).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the test report is negative, they will be advised to self-monitor their health for 14 days. • If the test report is positive, they will undergo treatment as per standard health protocol. <p>Also, while filling SDF, apart from providing all other information, travelers need to select, whether they plan to disembark at the arrival airport or take further flights to reach their final destination in India. Based on this selection, the receipt of SDF (dispatched online to the transiting travelers) will display “T” (Transit) in easily readable and bigger font than other text. c. The passengers will need to display this receipt to State authority / Government officials at the airport for segregation.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Total – 3,31,00,000</p> <p>Total Recovered – 32,321,283</p> <p>Total Deaths – 4,42,000</p> <p>Total Active –3,36,717</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Yes, limits in place following health and safety protocol as per the govt directives.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	The majority of international flights are in operation, people can travel to India for business OR Wellness (Medical) visa. For further assistance with the business OR Medical visa, please feel free to write to us at engage@creative.travel
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Opened, following health and safety protocol as per the govt directives.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants have been allowed to operate at all hours of the day following the Covid guideline.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	In Closed spaces a maximum of 50% of the hall capacity will be allowed with a ceiling of 200 persons as per the SOP’s with regards to social distancing.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	All centrally protected monuments/sites and museums under the Archaeological Survey of India are open following health and safety protocol as per the govt directives.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open, Shopping malls also opened following health and safety protocol as per the govt directives.
Transportation (public and private options)	Local transport in every city/state is open following health and safety protocol as per the govt directives.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Ministry of Tourism have already issued SOPs for travel, hotels & airlines.
Other Key Information	<p>Vaccine: Total doses given 71,05,50,810</p> <p>'Total doses are given' shows the number of vaccine doses given to people.</p> <p>People fully vaccinated 16,70,88,377</p>

Indonesia	
Updated Date	September 3rd, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Remain closed until further notice
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>International travelers are not allowed to enter Indonesia. The restrictions exempted the following travelers including but not limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Diplomatic and Official visa holder; 2. Diplomatic and Official stay permit; 3. Holders of Indonesia Temporary Residence Card (KITAS) and Indonesia Permanent Residence Card (KITAP); 4. Foreign nationals who are engaged in medical and humanitarian purposes in Indonesia; 5. All non-immigrant crew members or cabin crews arriving any vessel or aircraft from any port or place outside Indonesia. <p>Entry Requirements to Indonesia:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Present COVID-19 Vaccination Record upon arrival (in physical/digital form). 2. Present a negative COVID-19 PCR test obtained within 72 hours of their departure. 3. Complete electronic Indonesia Health Alert Certificate (e-HAC) and present them upon check-in at the airport authorities <p>Quarantine Information: A mandatory 8-day quarantine at designated facilities conducted by the Indonesian government at their own expense.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	https://covid19.go.id/ September 2 nd , 2021 Positive 4,100,138 Recover 3,776,891 Death 133,676
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Group gatherings and weddings are allowed for maximum 30 persons with certain restrictions.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Domestic flights are allowed with certain restrictions. International flights are allowed at following entry points : North Sumatra (Kualanamu International Airport - Medan), Jakarta (Soekarno Hatta International Airport), East Java (Juanda International Airport - Surabaya), North Sulawesi (Samratulangi International Airport - Manado) and West Nusa Tenggara (Zainuddin Abdul Majid Lombok International Airport - Lombok).
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open with certain restrictions of covid-19 safety and protection procedures according to CHSE certification by the Indonesian Tourism of Ministry
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open only until 9PM local time. 25% of seating capacity is allowed for dine-in.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed until further notice.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Tourist sites are not allowed until further notice.

Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed until further notice, supermarket for daily needs are allowed to operate until 8PM local time.
Transportation (public and private options)	Partially open with seating capacity re-arrangement. Half capacity regulation in place.
Upcoming Key Dates	Some schools and other educational forms in green zone areas are allowed to reopen and students are allowed to attend classroom with extra restriction.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	All hospitality industries are expected to receive CHSE certification by The Indonesian Tourism of Ministry. People who work in healthcare field and hospitality industries are expected to receive full vaccine doses.
Other Key Information	

Ireland	
Last updated:	Thursday, 2 nd September 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Open
International Travel and Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	https://www.citizensinformation.ie/en/travel_and_recreation/travel_abroad/travelling_abroad_during_covid.html
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>INCREASING</p> <p>Cases are flat at average 1500 per day Cases: 328,000 Deaths: 5,018 Recovered: 300,000</p>
Vaccination	<p>Proof of vaccination, recovery or negative test Ireland is now a part of the EU Digital COVID Certificate (DCC) for travel originating within the EU/EEA. The Digital COVID Certificate will make it easier to travel to and from these countries and will be accepted as proof of vaccination, recovery or negative test.</p> <p>Approved Vaccines For the purposes of travel, you are considered vaccinated if you have been vaccinated with a vaccine approved by the European Medicines Agency with recommended number of days after the final dose.</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>From 6 September 2021: Indoor events can take place with 60% of the venue’s maximum capacity, provided all the people attending are fully vaccinated or have recovered from COVID-19 in the past 6 months. This includes live entertainment, indoor conferences, live music and indoor sporting events. Cinemas and theatres can increase their capacity to 60% if all of members of the audience are immune. Otherwise, their capacity stays at 50 people. Live music at weddings is allowed. Organised outdoor events can take place with a capacity limit of 75% where people attending are fully vaccinated or recovered from COVID-</p>

	<p>19. Where not all members of the audience are fully vaccinated or recovered, a capacity limit of 50% applies.</p> <p>Religious ceremonies can take place with 50% of the place of worship's normal capacity.</p> <p>.</p> <p>From 20 September 2021:</p> <p>Indoor group activities, like sports, art and dance classes, can take place with up to 100 people, provided everyone has been fully vaccinated or has recovered from COVID-19 in the past 6 months. Otherwise, pods of up to 6 people are allowed. The number of pods permitted depend on the size of the venue.</p> <p>Outdoor group activities can take place without restrictions. This does not include attendance at organized events (for example, an outdoor concert or sports match).</p> <p>In person attendance in offices and other places of work is permitted on a staggered basis.</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>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.</p> <p>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</p> <p>Ryanair – some domestic/UK flights</p> <p>KLM – Amsterdam route open</p> <p>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.</p> <p>At the moment there are no countries on the Green List. Ireland plans to replace its current system of travel quarantines with the European Union's proposed in September a coordinated system as soon as it is ready. The European Commission proposed a common traffic light system for EU member states to coordinate border controls and remedy the current, confusing patchwork of coronavirus restrictions on travellers across Europe</p>
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels are open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Restaurants and cafes are open outdoor service only since 7th June.</p> <p>Wet pubs in Dublin are to reopen with restrictions from 26th July. Only tables of 6 pax are allowed to be booked indoors</p> <p>Nightclubs, discos and casinos will remain closed.</p> <p>outdoor attractions are open</p>
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Venues remain closed. No group gatherings are allowed</p> <p>From 6 September 2021:</p> <p>Indoor events can take place with 60% of the venue's maximum capacity, provided all the people attending are fully vaccinated or have recovered from COVID-19 in the past 6 months.</p> <p>This includes live entertainment, indoor conferences, live music and indoor sporting events.</p> <p>Cinemas and theatres can increase their capacity to 60% if all of members of the audience are immune. Otherwise, their capacity stays at 50 people.</p> <p>Live music at weddings is allowed.</p> <p>Organised outdoor events can take place with a capacity limit of 75% where people attending are fully vaccinated or recovered from COVID-</p>

	<p>19. Where not all members of the audience are fully vaccinated or recovered, a capacity limit of 50% applies. Religious ceremonies can take place with 50% of the place of worship's normal capacity.</p> <p>.</p> <p>From 20 September 2021: Indoor group activities, like sports, art and dance classes, can take place with up to 100 people, provided everyone has been fully vaccinated or has recovered from COVID-19 in the past 6 months. Otherwise, pods of up to 6 people are allowed. The number of pods permitted depend on the size of the venue. Outdoor group activities can take place without restrictions. This does not include attendance at organized events (for example, an outdoor concert or sports match). In person attendance in offices and other places of work is permitted on a staggered basis.</p>
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open from 17th May. Limited admission capacities</p>
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>All shops are open from 17th May Beauticians, hairdressers, spas are open Face covering, masks to be worn at all times</p>
Transportation (public and private options)	<p>From 1 September 2021: Public transport can run at 100% capacity Face coverings are required on transport Coach tours can take place at 75% capacity</p>
Upcoming Key Dates	<p>Government to review the situation on weekly basis and monitor spread of Covid –19 6th September 20th September</p>
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>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 www.wallacetravelgroup.com</p>
Other Key Information	

Israel	
Updated Date	AUGUST 18 th 2021
Borders (Open, closed)	Airports are fully open. Land borders with Jordan and Egypt are still closed. Tourists can't enter Israel till further notice. Very likely till Mid November
Quarantine Details	


(Requirements for outside arrivals only)	
Cases (Increasing, decreasing, flat)	Most of the adults over 16 years old have been vaccinated. Kids over 12 th are now being vaccinated It's a world record. Over 1 million have got the 3 rd shot.
Groups (Limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	No entrance
Air (Carriers flying to/from country)	Most airlines fly to Israel including all US airlines.
Hotels (Open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels are opened.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants are allowed to open for vaccinated guests.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Venues are allowed to open with maximum 400 pax
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	All are open with no restrictions.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	No limits.
Transportation (Public and private options)	No restrictions.
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	People are encouraged, to wash hands with soap and use hand sanitary. Masks are compulsory only indoor.
Other Key Information	

Italy	
Updated Date	September 2nd , 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Entry from the countries of the European Union and the Schengen Area is allowed thanks to the EU Digital COVID Certificate</p> <p>The EU Digital COVID Certificate facilitates safe free movement of citizens in the EU during the COVID-19 pandemic. To entry into Italy, travellers from Eu Member States and the Schengen Area are required to present the Eu Digital COVID Certificate showing that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• you have completed the prescribed anti-SARS-CoV-2 vaccination cycle at least 14 days ago, or• you have recovered from COVID-19 (the certificate of recovery is valid for 180 days from the date of the first positive swab), or• you have taken a negative molecular or antigen swab test in the 72 hours prior to entering Italy. <p>Before leaving, passengers are required to fill out the Passenger locator form.</p>

	<p>It is possible to enter Italy without the self-quarantine requirement for travellers departing from the USA, Japan, Canada and Israel if they are in possession of the certificates issued by their respective countries, which can be presented in paper or digital format, in compliance with the requirements established by the circular of 30 June 2021 on the equivalence of vaccination and recovery certificates.</p> <p>United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland Based on the Order of the Ministry of Health of 29 July 2021, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (including Gibraltar and the Isle of Man, Channel Islands and British bases in Cyprus) belongs in List D. Therefore, travellers from these countries must do the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• fill out the dPLF• take a swab test within 48 hours prior to their arrival in Italy• be in self-quarantine for 5 days• take a swab test at the end of the 5-day quarantine <p>Other than filling out the dPLF, which is always mandatory, the other measures can be waived according to specific criteria. See the Exemptions section.</p> <p>Certificates issued by the health authorities of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (including Gibraltar and the Isle of Man, Channel Islands and British bases on the island of Cyprus) are equivalent to those of the European Union for access to activities and services on the Italian territory such as indoor restaurants, museums and cinemas. They can be presented in paper or digital format, in compliance with the requirements established by the circular of 30 June 2021 on the equivalence of vaccination and recovery certificates.</p> <p>India, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and Brazil Special rules applying to those who have stayed or transited in India, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka, . Go to the section dedicated to India, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka and to the Brazil section</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>As of July 1st entry from the countries of the European Union and the Schengen Area is possible by providing the EU Digital COVID Certificate</p> <p>The EU Digital COVID Certificate facilitates safe free movement of citizens in the EU during the COVID-19 pandemic and no quarantine is required</p> <p>Entry from the USA into Italy can therefore take place by presenting, upon embarking, one of the three envisaged certificates to the carrier, and subsequently to the competent Italian Authorities:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) anti-SARS-CoV-2 vaccination, including the completion (at least 14 days) of the prescribed cycle of one of the vaccinations recognized by the EMA. Those vaccinated in the U.S.A. can prove this via the "white card" bearing a CDC logo;2) recovery from COVID-19 (with a medical certificate outlining any necessary information);3) negative rapid antigenic or molecular PCR test carried out in the 48 hours prior to entering Italy (proved via certification from the laboratory that performed the test). <p>entry from the U.S. via these Certificates exempt travelers from fiduciary isolation (so called "quarantine") upon arrival in Italy.</p> <p>Even with these Certificates, all passengers entering Italy are required, prior to departure, to complete a specific location form in digital format (https://app.euplf.eu/). Alternatively (in the event of technical difficulties), passengers can compile the specific self-certification form in paper format (https://www.esteri.it/mae/resource/doc/2021/04/modulo_rientro_sintetico_25_aprile.pdf).</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>The average Rt value calculated on symptomatic cases remains stable and below the epidemic threshold; the vaccination coverage process is going fast as it is essential to preventing the recurrences of pandemic episodes</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>the Government is allowing group event a by respecting the anti Covid safety rules (vaccine, distancing measures, wearing face masks and providing the Green certificate)</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>Passengers on Covid tested flights , are authorized to enter and transit into the Italian national territory, without having to comply with the obligations of health surveillance and fiduciary isolation.</p> <p>Requirements</p> <p>Passengers on "Covid-tested" flights are required to:</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• hand in to the carrier and to whoever is in charge of carrying out the controls, upon boarding, a certification attesting to the negative result of the molecular test (RT PCR) or antigenic test, carried out by means of a swab, no later than 48 hours prior to boarding,• hand in to the carrier the declaration referred to in Article 50 of the Ministerial Decree of March 2, 2021• complete the Passenger Locator Form (PLF) - digital dPLF to be shown before boarding. <p>carry out a molecular (RT PCR) or antigenic swab test upon arrival at the destination airport</p> <p>.</p> <p>Failure to comply with only one of the above-mentioned requirements will result in the lapse of the exemption from the obligations of health surveillance and fiduciary isolation.</p> <p>Therefore, as of today, it is possible for airlines to operate "Covid-tested" flights on the following routes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Atlanta - Rome Fiumicino• New York - Rome Fiumicino• Atlanta - Milan Malpensa• New York - Milan Malpensa
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels have reopened all over Italy. The main commercial activities, theatres, Cinemas, Museums have reopened again as of April 26 th . Access is allowed respecting the anti-Covid safety measures.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants have reopened and can provide indoor and outdoor service service with no time limit . Access to indoor Restaurant is allowed to people with Green Ceertificate only
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Venues are reopening. Evens are allowed respecting the anti Covid safety rules, distancing measures, reduced number of people, wearing face masks.... As of August 6 th only people with Green certificate are allowed to enter any kind of venue with indoor space
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Museums As of April 26th Museums have reopened, under the rules of controlled influx of people, and allowing visitors to respect the interpersonal distance of at least one metre. Ticket prebooking is required . As of August 6 th only people with Green certificate are allowed to enter any Italian Musuem
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Commercial activities retail activities are open with no time limit : the interpersonal distance and wearing mask is still required
NEW : Green Certificate	<p>the COVID-19 green certification facilitates travel in Europe. In our country it allows you to travel , participate in events, access facilities and other public places.</p> <p>It is a Certification in digital and printable format, issued by the national platform of the Ministry of Health, which contains a QR Code to verify its authenticity and validity</p> <p>The European Regulation on green certification COVID-19 - EU digital COVID certificate , approved on 9 June 2021 by the European Parliament, provides that EU states cannot impose further travel restrictions on certificate holders - such as quarantine, self-isolation or testing - unless “they are necessary and proportionate to safeguard public health”.</p> <p>The European Commission has created a common technical platform (European Gateway), active from 1 June 2021, to ensure that certificates issued by European states can be verified across the EU.</p> <p>The Certification attests one of the following conditions:</p> <p>have had the COVID-19 vaccination (in Italy it is issued both at the first dose and at the completion of the vaccination cycle for at least 14 days)</p> <p>be negative on the rapid molecular or antigen test within the past 48 hours</p> <p>be cured of COVID-19 in the past six months</p> <p>Minors under the age of 6 are exempt from taking the pre-departure swab.</p> <p>The Certification will remain in effect for one year starting July 1st.</p> <p>From 1 September</p>


	<p>The COVID-19 green certification is required in Italy for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• participate in parties for civil and religious ceremonies• access nursing homes or other facilities and stay in emergency rooms and hospital wards• move in and out of areas classified as "red zone" or "orange zone"• access the following services and activities:<ul style="list-style-type: none">o catering services provided by any establishment for consumption at the table, indoors;o shows open to the public, sporting events and competitions;o museums, other institutes and places of culture and exhibitions;o swimming pools, swimming centers, gyms, team sports, wellness centers, even within accommodation facilities, limited to indoor activities; festivals and fairs, conferences and congresses;o spas, theme and amusement parks;o cultural centers, social and recreational centers, limited to indoor activities and with the exception of educational centers for children, including summer centers, and related catering activities;o game rooms, betting rooms, bingo halls and casinos;o public competitions.• to use the following means of transport:<ul style="list-style-type: none">o aircraft engaged in commercial passenger transport services;o ships and ferries used for interregional transport services, with the exception of those used for maritime connections in the Strait of Messina;o trains used in Inter City, Inter City Night and High Speed passenger rail transport services;o buses used for passenger transport services, with an undifferentiated offer, carried out on the road continuously or periodically on a route that connects more than two regions and with pre-established itineraries, timetables, frequencies and prices;o buses used for rental services with driver, with the exception of those used in additional local and regional public transport services. <p>based on what specified by a recent circular of the Italian Ministry of Health, the certificate released by another non-EU Country is equivalent to the Green Certificate as long as it shows:</p> <p>*name, surname and date of birth *name of the vaccine and lot number *dates of vaccination *name of the institution which released the certificate</p> <p>Every certificate must be written in one of the following languages: Italian, English, French or Spanish.</p>
Transportation (public and private options)	<p>Transportation (Air, water and ground equipment)</p> <p>Ø All vehicles capacity will be reduced to guarantee the required physical distances</p> <p>Ø All vehicles used will be sanitized after each transfer</p> <p>Ø Drivers will wear face masks</p> <p>Ø In each vehicle, hand sanitizers will be at guests’ disposal</p> <p>Ø Boarding and disembarking will be on a one-way system basis.</p> <p>Ø Drivers will keep the Covid- 19 required 1-metre (3,29 feet) physical distance.</p>
Upcoming Key Dates	<p>We will eventually implement additional regulations and rules</p>
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>All regions in Italy are now classified into “white”, meaning that</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• there are no restrictions to travelling within regions• the obligation to wear face masks, indoor, is confirmed• the obligation to keep an interpersonal distance of at least 1 metre is confirmed• no curfew from 10 p.m. to 5 a.m. <p>Access to any Restaurant, venue or Museum (with indoor space only) is allowed by providing the Green Pass Certificate</p>
Other Key Information	<p>We will eventually implement additional regulations and rules</p>

<p>Jordan</p>	
<p>Updated Date</p>	<p>September 2nd, 2021</p>
<p>Borders (open, closed)</p>	<p>Airports & Borders are opened, International Airlines are operating normally.</p>
<p>Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>All Arriving Passengers must follow the below General Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. A negative result for COVID-19 from a PCR test taken no more than 72 hours prior to departure from the first boarded flight. B. All passengers are required to visit https://www.visitjordan.gov.jo portal prior to departure, complete the required form, and obtain the QR code, which is mandatory to be presented to airline personnel prior to boarding and upon arrival. C. Another PCR test is required upon arrival at Amman Airport. Clients should register and pay online for the PCR test in advance before arriving to Jordan. Cost is JOD 28 (USD 40) Link: https://www.visitjordan.gov.jo - not required for children under 5 years. * D. <i>* fully vaccinated passenger with vaccination certificate issued from approved countries are exempt from PCR test upon arrival. See more details in the box below.</i> E. Submit Passenger Health Declaration and Locator form. https://www.carc.jo/images/COVID19/Declaration-Form.pdf this form will be required at the time of check-in prior to departure to Jordan. F. Have valid health insurance that covers the entire period of their intended visit. This does not apply to those with Jordanian nationality. <p><u>Specific Instructions for fully vaccinated passengers:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Vaccinations certificates proving that full course of vaccination has been completed issued from the following countries are approved: (Australia, Bahrain, Canada, China, EU Countries, Japan, Jordan, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Liechtenstein, Malaysia, Morocco, New Zealand, Oman, Qatar, Russia, South Korea, Switzerland, Taiwan, Tunis, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom and the USA). ▪ The vaccination certificate shall be in the Arabic or English languages only and must be presented to the Airline personnel upon boarding. ▪ Must follow all other instructions mentioned in the above Entry Requirements (Articles A, B, D & E), But they are exempted from Article C (PCR test upon arrival) <p>Arrivals from India: Non-Jordanian Passengers travelling from India who spent less than 45 days outside India are not permitted to enter Jordan.</p> <p>Arrivals from Nepal, Bangladesh, Pakistan, Bhutan, Myanmar, SriLankan:</p>

	<p>-Passengers who were in the above countries in the last 14 days are not allowed entry into Jordan.</p> <p>International Transfer Passengers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> International transfer passengers are allowed at Jordanian Airports as follows: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Negative PCR test is required within 72 hours prior to the scheduled time of Arrival. The planned transfer time is not exceeding 10 hours.
Cases	Flat / Noted reduction of cases approx 700-1000 daily cases.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Gathering for private events are limited to 200 People Maximum, Social distancing rules must be observed.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	All international carriers are allowed to fly in to Jordan
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Starting 01 st of September Hotels are allowed to operate at full capacity.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants are open and operating at full capacity.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Private venues are open, limited to 200 people, attendees must be vaccinated or provide a PCR test.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	All tourist sites are opened
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All retail stores are opened with full capacity
Transportation (public and private options)	Public Transportation can operate with full capacity.
Upcoming Key Dates	--
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>WTTC Declared Jordan as Green Safe Destination</p> <p>All tourism sector workers has undergone Health and safety training.</p> <p>Vaccination campaign has targeted Tourism Industry and its mandatory to be vaccinated, most staff are vaccinated.</p> <p>The Government of Jordan implemented social distancing regulations and mandatory mask wearing in business establishments, public transportation, and government facilities due to COVID-19 & imposed fines for those who violate these regulations.</p>
Other Key Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guests who wish to visit the Golden Triangle Area (Petra, Wadi Rum, Aqaba) must be either vaccinated or provide a negative PCR test conducted within 72 hours.

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Updated Date	April 12, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Closed International visitors are not currently allowed to enter Laos, except for essential reasons. The government is currently making plans to relax these rules and allow tour groups and charter flights from specific countries to visit Laos again.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	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. 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.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Flat
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Most restrictions on daily life have been dropped as the country moves into its new normal, registering few or no new coronavirus cases each day. The government has called on all citizens to practice strict application of preventive measures in efforts to avoid a second wave. Currently, the government is urging all people to: Avoid leaving home for unnecessary reasons. Wear face masks when out in public. Observe a social distance of 1–2 metres. Avoid sharing personal belongings with others
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
Other Key Information	

<h1>Maldives</h1>	 CREATIVE TRAVEL <small>a family story since 1977</small>
Updated Date	Sep 10, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Open:</p> <p><u>New rule:</u> To further strengthen travel restrictions for south Asian Counties, the Government of Maldives has decided to temporarily suspend the issuance of tourist visa for travelers originating from South Asian Countries (Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Nepal, Pakistan & Sri Lanka) including those with a transit rime exceeding 24 hrs and have a travel history to the above-stated countries with the past 14 days, effective 13th May’2021 until further notice</p> <p>Important: To ensure the safety of all HPA has made it is a mandatory requirement for all tourist including those who have completed the prescribed dose(s) of a Covid-19 Vaccine to present a negative result report for a nucleic acid Test (PCR test) for Covid 19 on arrival effective 3rd May’2021.</p> <p>The sample for said OCR test must be taken NOT more than 92 hrs prior to the scheduled time of departure from the first port of embarkation en route to the Maldives. However, children below one year old are expected from the aforementioned requirement</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Quarantine upon arrival is not required. However, if the passenger has a fever, cough, or shortness of breath on board the flight or upon arrival, it should be informed to the local Health Protection Agency.</p> <p>Arrival in the Maldives: Further, all travelers must submit an online health declaration form (link is given below) within 24 hours before their departure to the Maldives.</p> <p>https://imuga.immigration.gov.mv/ethd/create</p> <p>Departure from the Maldives: All travelers departing the Maldives are required to fill an online health declaration form (link is given below) within 24 hours before their scheduled departure from the Maldives.</p> <p>https://imuga.immigration.gov.mv/ethd/create</p> <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 that all tourists are required to hold a negative PCR test for COVID-19 conducted 96 hours before the scheduled time of departure from the first port of embarkation en route to the Maldives.</p> <p>All tourists arriving in the 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 96 hrs. before the departure for the Maldives.</p> <p>The Maldives government has decided to ease certain travel restrictions, effective 20th April 2021 until further notice; given the below conditions are met.</p>


	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Travel quarantine will be exempted for ALL individuals if traveling to an island where 60% of the island population (including tourist resort/guesthouse and hotel islands) have completed the two doses of a Covid-19 vaccine recognized by the World Health Organization (WHO). 2. If 60% of the island population (including tourist resort/guesthouse and hotel islands) have NOT completed two doses of Covid-19 vaccine, travel quarantine exemption can be exercised if the individual travelling has completed the two doses of any Covid-19 vaccine recognized by the WHO, two weeks prior to said travel. However, the following conditions will apply: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. negative PCR test will be required if the individual is travelling from an island with a sample positivity rate of more than 5%. B. negative PCR test will be required for accompanying children who are not eligible for a Covid-19 vaccine. <p>Travelers to Maldives (including tourists) who have completed their two doses of Covid-19 vaccination (recognized by WHO) 2 weeks prior to travel are now exempted from the prearrival Negative PCR requirement and do not require to undergo or observe the travel quarantine on arrival to the Maldives.</p> <p>However, Travellers (work permit holders) arriving to the Maldives to work in any of the following areas are required to present a PCR test for which the sample was taken within a maximum of 96 hours prior to their travel to the Maldives. If this requirement is not fulfilled, the individual will be required to take a PCR test upon arrival.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Individuals working in any form of Healthcare Facility 2. Individuals working in any form of Daycare Centers 3. Individuals working in any Educational Institution 4. Individuals working in any Residential care facilities
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total cases: 82,475 Total recovered: 80,548 Total deaths: 227 Total Active – 1,700
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	All Resorts are permitted for the group gathering, however, in the city, group gathering is not permitted (wedding, parties, etc.)
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Open
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	<p>All hotels, Resorts, Guesthouses are fully opened for tourists. Currently, Split- Stays between two resorts also permitted, with approval of Maldives HPA, it should inform both resorts well in advance</p> <p>Tourist establishments have been regulated to ensure that they are in line with the COVID-19 tourism guidelines; a COVID-19 safe tourism guideline has been issued by the Ministry of Tourism along with a certification program to uphold proper safety and hygiene standards.</p>
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened with COVID-19 safety guidelines
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	All Venues are opened in the Resorts.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	All activities are opened/permitted in the Resorts. However, Tourist Sites are closed in Male city. Local Island visit is also not permitted.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All opened

Transportation (public and private options)	All opened
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Ministry of Tourism have already issued SOPs for travel, hotels & airlines.
Other Key Information	<p>Vaccine: Total doses are given 6,94,902</p> <p>*Total doses are given' shows the number of vaccine doses given to people. People fully vaccinated 3,08,095</p> <p>Note: The Maldives introduces a new departure tax which will be implemented from 1 January 2022</p>


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Updated Date	4 th September 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>For latest information visit:</p> <p>https://deputyprimeminister.gov.mt/en/health-promotion/covid-19/Pages/travel.aspx</p> <p>https://www.visitmalta.com/en/covid-19</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Travel to Malta with just a negative PCR test result is no longer allowed.</p> <p>Guests, aged 12 and older, can only travel to Malta if they have a vaccination certificate, confirming that the full dosage of a European Medicines Agency (EMA)-approved vaccine (i.e. Comirnaty [Pfizer] – 2 doses, Janssen [Johnson & Johnson] – 1 dose, Spikevax [Moderna] – 2 doses, Vaxzevria [AstraZeneca] – 2 doses) was received, and issued at least 14 days from the date of the administration of the final dose of the vaccine.</p> <p>The said vaccine certificate must be one which is recognised by the Superintendent of Public Health, namely:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maltese Vaccination Certificate • EU Digital COVID Certificate (Iceland, Liechtenstein, North Macedonia, Norway, San Marino, Switzerland, Ukraine and Vatican City have joined the EU Digital COVID Certificate framework, and therefore, the vaccination certificates issued by the countries’ health authorities are also being accepted by the Maltese Authorities) • Albanian Digital COVID Certificate / Certifikate dixhitale shqiptare COVID • Australian Vaccine Certificate verified through the Medicare Express Plus App • Doha, Qatar Ministry of Public Health COVID-19 Vaccination Certificate • Dubai Health Authority Vaccination Certificate with a readable QR code • Gibraltar, Jersey and Guernsey Vaccination Certificates • Serbian Green Certificate with a readable QR code • Turkish Vaccination Certificate with a readable QR code • UAE Al Hosn Vaccine Certificate • United States CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card with an EMA-approved vaccine, verified digitally through the VeriFLY app. • United Kingdom Vaccination Certificates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>England:</i> NHS Covid Pass (Digital App and NHS Letter)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ <i>Wales</i>: NHS Covid Pass Letter ○ <i>Scotland</i>: NHS Letter demonstrating Covid-19 vaccination status ○ <i>Northern Ireland</i>: Interim proof of vaccination document which is valid until 11:59pm on 31st July 2021 <p>The following certificates are NOT VALID for travel to Malta:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Certificate of recovery from Covid-19; ● Vaccine appointment card; ● Vaccine certificates for only 1 dose of a vaccine requiring 2 doses, also for people who recovered from Covid-19; ● Vaccine certificates with less than 14 days from the final dose; ● Certificates for vaccines which are not approved by the European Medicines Agency; ● Negative Rapid Antigen Test, whether on EU Digital COVID Certificate or otherwise. <p>For all information please visit https://www.maltairport.com/covid19/arrival/</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>441 Deaths since March 6th 2020</p> <p>691 active cases as at 3rd September 2021</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>Various protocols in place depending on outside or inside events, social distancing has to be respected. Information can be provide upon request.</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>For the latest information visit:</p> <p>https://www.maltairport.com/passenger/flights-landing/fortnightly-schedule/</p>
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	<p>From Monday 28 June, restaurants, bars, clubs, and snack bars will be allowed to continue operating until 2 am, when permitted by the establishment’s license. Establishments whose license requires them to close before 2 am must close at the time set out in the same license.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Also from June 28, sea transport will be allowed to operate with 65% of the number of passengers who are licensed to pick up. This while waterparks will be allowed to operate again. ● Contact sports of children under 17 will be allowed again and thus contact sports of all ages can continue. The same goes for fitness classes, which from Monday will be allowed to resume. ● Also from Monday, the visiting hours of the main halls in Mater Dei will be increased. Visitors will be allowed to visit patients from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. ● From Wednesday 1 July, anyone who has taken all doses of the vaccine and 14 days have passed since the last dose and is in possession of the vaccine certificate, will be able


	<p>to stay 'without a mask in open public places in groups of 2.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children under the age of 12 may remain without a mask as long as they are accompanied by a person who is fully vaccinated against COVID-19. All protocols governing the measures to be released can be found here.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	See above
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	See above
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	See above
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All non-essential shops are now open
Transportation (public and private options)	All transportation is available. Masks must be worn.
Upcoming Key Dates	You can view and download protocols on https://www.visitmalta.com/en/covid-19
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	National Guidelines for reopening published 18 th May 2020. Overseen by the Malta Tourism Authority compliance division. See https://lnkd.in/ef7NMvZ For further information please download our digital booklet: Malta Sunny & Safe
Other Key Information	US Citizens are allowed to visit Malta from the majority of States, only a negative PCR test is required. Please contact us for more details.

Mexico	 <div> México Planners Destination Management Company by TRANSCABO </div>
Updated Date	August 17, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	OPEN THE US AND MEXICAN GOVERNMENTS EXTENDED THE LAND BORDER TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS UNTIL SEPTEMBER 21 ST ENTER BY AIR ARE OPEN FOLLOWING THE HEALTH PROTOCOLS
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	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 wear mask and social distance is required. Baja California sur is Orange
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	MEXICO 3,107,521 confirmed, 248788 deaths, BAJA CALIFORNIA STATE 50,915 LOS CABOS / 20433 recovery, 190 ACTIVE, 892 Deaths,


Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Limited with social distance,
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Domestic : Aeromexico, Volaris and Vivaaerobus, back to operations International: American Airlines, Southwest, Delta, Alaska airlines, UnitedA Airlines and operatinng normal
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	OPEN capacity at 50% as a destination in Los Cabos as up today and 80% hotel re-open at 50% capacity.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	OPEN Capacity restrictions at 50 % on this phase 2 only night club remain closed
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	CLOSED
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Beaches are open with social distance, Water activities open with social distance at 50% capacity Land activities, like ATV, ziplines, off road vehicles are open with 50% capacity and following health protocols
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	OPEN
Transportation (public and private options)	PUBLIC TRANSPORSTATION at 50% capacity
Upcoming Key Dates	September 21 st , 2021
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	The vaccination process has started in stages, first all the health care system, then by edge, now in August edge from 18 + get the vaccine. Tourism activities are open following the healthy protocols, social distance and mask , all the hotels are open
Other Key Information	

Morocco	
Updated Date	September 2 nd , 2021
Borders (open, closed)	OPEN
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Two Scenarios: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - List A includes all countries with positive indicators with regard to the control of the epidemiological situation, in particular the spread of variants of the virus. Travelers from these countries, whether they are Moroccan nationals or foreigners established in Morocco, or citizens of these countries or foreigners residing there, can enter Morocco if they have a vaccination certificate or a negative PCR test taken 48 hours before departure. (USA ARE PART OF THIS LIST) - List B is intended to be a restrictive list of all the countries not concerned by the relaxation of measures contained in list A, and “which are experiencing a spread of variants or the absence of precise statistics on the epidemiological situation.” List B includes: Afghanistan, Algeria, Angola, Argentina, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Benin, Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, Cambodia, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chile, Colombia, Congo,

	<p>Congo (DRC), Cuba, United Arab Emirates, Eswatini, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Jamaica, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lesotho, Latvia, Liberia, Lithuania, Madagascar, Malaysia, Malawi, Maldives, Mali, Mauritius, Mexico, Namibia, Nepal, Nicaragua, Niger, Oman, Uganda, Pakistan, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Qatar, Central African Republic, People's Democratic Republic of Korea (North), Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Sudan, South Africa, Sri Lanka, South Sudan, Syria, Tanzania, Chad, Thailand, Togo, Ukraine, Uruguay, Venezuela, Vietnam, Yemen, Zambia and Zimbabwe. France, Spain, Egypt, Tunisia, Russia and Portugal have recently been added. Holders of a certificate stating that the person is vaccinated by one of the vaccines approved in Morocco are exempt from quarantine but they are still required to provide a negative PCR test dating less than 48 Hours. Unvaccinated or incompletely vaccinated persons from list B will have to book and pay for a controlled 10-day quarantine in one of the government-designated hotels.</p> <p>List A consists of all other countries not mentioned in list B.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Since the beginning of the Covid-19 pandemic, the health situation in Morocco has always been stable with low critical cases. However, the Delta Variant has increased the cases.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	As of September 2 nd , - 1 Meter Distancing
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	There are currently direct flights between Morocco and the United States on Royal Air Maroc (RAM) between Casablanca (CMN) and New York’s John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFK), as well as Casablanca and Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD).
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	OPEN
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	OPEN – 1 Meter Distancing Closes at 9:00 PM.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	CLOSED
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Public Monuments are OPENED Private Tourist Sites are OPENED
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	OPEN
Transportation (public and private options)	Public Transportation is currently operating. (Taxi, Buses, Tramways...) 75% Capacity for Mini Vans & Buses.
Upcoming Key Dates	The Government of Morocco is planning to lift the country’s “Health State of Emergency” on September 10, 2021.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	During your tourist or professional stay in Morocco, it is strongly recommended to download the Wiqaytna (our security) an application put online by the Ministry of Health to notify the person to the exposure to the Coronavirus "Covid-19". Several hospital centers have been deployed to take care of the infected people and to remain attentive and at the service of citizens and tourists.
Other Key Information	<p>Morocco achieves the highest COVID-19 vaccine rates in Africa. As of the 2nd of September, 18,7 million Citizens have been vaccinated, it represents 51% of the population.</p> <p>There is a nationwide curfew in place between the hours of 9:00 PM and 5:00 AM. Vaccinated citizens and tourists are not concerned about it.</p> <p>Masks are mandatory in all public spaces.</p>

Myanmar	 We make Asia Easy for You
Updated Date	April 12, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Permanently Closed After the February coup in Myanmar, the junta banned all commercial air services until the end of May. Neighbouring countries have also closed their land borders to Myanmar. There are daily protests against the coup across the country and the situation remains volatile. There are regular reports of live fire being used against protesters and the military junta has begun air strikes on regions it deems hostile towards their regime. Carefully consider your options, and safety before traveling to Myanmar.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	It is currently impossible to enter Myanmar
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Officially, daily new case numbers are down, however testing has all but halted. Public hospitals are overwhelmed. Private hospitals have been given permission to treat coronavirus patients. The government is recommending that all people stay at home when possible and practice social distancing when out. Gatherings of more than 30 people are banned. Other regulations vary from area to area and may change without notice. If you are in Myanmar, please be aware of the restrictions in your area. In Yangon, where cases are rising dramatically: The city is under complete lockdown, with no traffic allowed in or out. Residents are only allowed to go out for essential supplies or duties. Only one family member is allowed to go shopping for essentials. City parks are closed. Across Yangon, there is a curfew from 11pm to 4am. Restaurants, bars and other non-essential businesses may not operate. Travel between many townships is not permitted.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	International flight restrictions to and from Yangon International Airport have been further extended to 30 Nov 2020
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress

Other Key Information	
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Nepal	
Updated Date	Sep 10, 2021
<p>Borders</p> <p>(open, closed)</p>	<p>The district administration offices of Kathmandu valley have finally lifted the Prohibitory order after four months while continuing some restrictions to discourage public gatherings.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All businesses are now allowed to operate following health protocols. Some restrictions, such as the one on unnecessary gatherings, are still on. • local governments inside the valley can allow schools to operate physical classes with the consent of the District COVID-19 Crisis Management Centre • Similarly, entertainment sectors such as cinema halls, bars, dance bars, clubs, discotheques, restaurants, swimming pools, and sporting events which were closed till now, have been allowed to operate complying with the COV- ID-19 protocol. Functions such as seminars, meetings, and training can also be conducted. • Some restrictions on gathering without purpose at public places, taking out mass protests, and celebrating mass festivals are still not allowed. • Religious ceremonies in temples and other holy sites are allowed, but they can only be conducted by priests, without any public gathering. • Foreigners traveling to Kathmandu to join a scheduled flight should show their passport, valid visa, and flight ticket at checkpoints to facilitate travel into the Valley. <p>Nepal’s civil aviation on Monday, 31 May announced the opening of limited passenger flights to and from key international gateways like Turkey, Qatar, and China.</p> <p>The government had imposed a ban on all international flights, except those between Kathmandu and New Delhi, from May 6 midnight as the second wave of the pandemic gripped the country.</p> <p>However, The Nepal civil aviation body on the 18th July also permitted the national flag carriers of Nepal and India to increase the number of weekly flights on the Kathmandu – Delhi route under the air bubble arrangement from the two at present to six.</p> <p>Similarly, the Cabinet meeting decided to open limited passenger flights in addition to the two weekly flights (one of Nepal Airlines and one of Air India)</p>

	<p>on the Kathmandu-Delhi sector under the air bubble arrangement in which Nepali and Indian citizens are allowed to travel following strict health safety protocols.</p> <p><u>All Airlines Operating International Flights from/to Nepal</u></p> <p>Following the decision of the Government of Nepal (Council of Ministers) on 21 June 2021, all passengers (Nepali & Foreign nationals) traveling into Nepal from abroad are required to follow the enlisted health & quarantine protocols compulsory with immediate effect</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. must have a medical certificate with a negative RT-PCR or equivalent testing (Gene Xpert/True NAAT) report with photo identification & Barcode/QR code (as per the availability, Nepali diplomatic mission at the country of departure may prescribe otherwise) issued by the registered COVID-I9 Labs of respective countries within 72 hours from the swab collection time to the departure time of the flight with the exemption of test report for their minors below the age of five years,2. must possess the printed barcode obtained after filling up ARMS (Abroad Returnee Management System) forms available at the website of CCMC, Nepal(ccmc.gov,np)3. except exempted as per clause (4), are subjected to furnish the evidence of hotel bookings of 07 days' for quarantine at their own cost in the hotels listed by the Ministry of Culture, Tourism & Civil Aviation / Nepal Tourism Board or CCMC, Nepal4. travelers, as categorized below on the basis of specified documents, are subjected to home/self-quarantine of 10 days upon arrival;<ol style="list-style-type: none">a) passengers with a complete COVID-I9 vaccination certificate,b) those coming for emergency purposes like for funerals and mourning with a Negative Antigen test & recommendation by concerned local levels,c) sick people as well as their carers, senior citizens above 70 years, children below five years and their guardians, and differently-abled people, certified by hospitals and with a Negative Antigen test & recommendations from respective local levels,d) government employees, security personnel, diplomats, a staffer of Diplomatic Mission in NepalANGOs and their families returning to Nepal, and individuals/volunteers involved in the rescue mission of Human Trafficking Victims and Nepalis Stranded abroad, based on their office/mission recommendations,e) ex-pats returning to Nepal, owing to deportation/liberation, are subjected to hotel quarantine of 7 days under the entire management of the Government of Nepal in line with the recommendation of the concerned Nepali Diplomatic Mission,5) airline crew members have been subjected to the Health Protocols developed by concerned airlines as per the guidelines of ICAO,
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	<p>6)all of those, spending their quarantine in the hotels' homes, have to do RT-PCR tests on the 7 & and 1 1ft day of their arrival.</p> <p>In case, if anyone is found flouting the provisions of COVID-19 Crisis Management Ordinance -2021.</p> <p><u>All tourists entering Nepal must possess the following documents:</u></p> <p>1) PCR negative report was taken before 72 hours of boarding OR document showing complete vaccination against COVID-19;</p> <p>2) Visa to Nepal OR recommendation letter from the Department of Tourism or Nepal Tourism Board to participate in tourism activities within Nepal;</p> <p>3) Hotel booking confirmation or guarantee of accommodation;</p> <p>4) Proof of Travel Insurance which covers emergency search, rescue, treatment, among others, for the duration of their travel; and</p> <p>5) Barcode generated from the online application of the Online International Travel Arrival Form. See ARMS-DIMS (ccmc.gov.np)</p> <p>Following a 7-day quarantine, tourists are required to take a mandatory Covid-19 PCR test regardless of symptoms. Only those testing negative will be permitted to travel within Nepal to their final destination.</p> <p>Travelers visiting Nepal to attend funeral ceremonies will be permitted to travel to their final destination on the condition that they remain in 7-day quarantine at that destination.</p> <p>Some notables: Except for Indians and Chinese (shared borders), one cannot come via land borders.</p> <p>Some other rules which guest need to follow once the flight is in operation.</p> <p>As per the decision of the Government of Nepal on 26 April 2021, all passengers traveling into Nepal are required to follow the enlisted health & quarantine protocols :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Before issuing a boarding Pass, concerned airlines must ensure that foreign nationals have submitted a Negative Report of COVID- 19 Test generated basis on swab collected within 72 hours of Time of Departure and a pre-booking of hotel quarantine of 10 days mandatory at their own cost. After landing. Concerned Tavel agency shall have the responsbîlily of conveyance up to the hotel and quarantine of such passengers.
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- Nepali national is required to submit a Negative Report of COVID-19 test generated based on swab collected within 72 hours of Time of Departure at the time of boarding & are subject to a hotel or home quarantine of 10 days compulsory after entry to Nepal. With the responsibility of execution of quarantine of 10 days compulsory after entry to Nepal with the responsibility of execution of quarantine shall remain upon concerned local levels.
- Foreign nationals are not allowed to depart third countries from Nepal except transits limited within Tribhuvan International Airport & foreigners arrived before this effect.
- Foreign nationals staying in Nepal and intending to return to their country of the previous departure are allowed to depart based on a Negative Report of Covid-19 test generated based on swab collected within 72 hours of the time of departure.
- Other health and quarantine provisions for tourists in Nepal shall remain identical in accordance with the Standard of streamlining tourist visits to Nepal 2021

What do you now need to prepare before visiting Nepal, the airline will check the below document.

- Negative PCR report, not older than 72 hours before departing from origin country OR fully vaccinated against COVID-19 confirmation paper/card
- Nepal Visa or recommendation letter of Tourism department or Nepal Tourism board to obtain visas on arrival.
- Hotel booking confirmation
- Travel Insurance.

Obtaining a visa before arriving in Nepal:

- Get a recommendation letter (through the registered agent in Nepal) from Tourism Department OR Nepal Tourism Board.
- Hotel booking confirmation
- Travel Insurance
- Get a visa from the nearest embassy submitting the above three along with your passport and other required information requested by the embassy.


Obtaining Visa on arrival:

- Negative PCR report, not older than 72 hours before departing from origin country OR fully vaccinated against COVID-19 confirmation paper/card
- Nepal Visa or recommendation letter of Tourism department or Nepal Tourism board to obtain visas on arrival.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hotel booking confirmation• Travel Insurance. <p>Note: Visa will be granted as per the Nepal law & immigration directory. Please note the section attached on nationals who are barred from upon arrival visa in Nepal. These nationalities will have to acquire the visa from consulates and embassy from home country.</p> <p>Once you arrive:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Get PCR test (even if you are Vaccinated against Covid-19),• 7 days Quarantine <p>DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR VISA RECOMMENDATION TO BE SUBMITTED BY LOCAL AGENCY</p> <p>a) Application letter from concerned Association with verification of all the documents.</p> <p>b) Copy of Tourists’ passport</p> <p>c) Travel Itinerary</p> <p>d) International Air Ticket booking confirmation</p> <p>e) Travel Insurance</p> <p>f) Copy of Company Registration of the concerned company</p> <p>g) Copy of latest Tax Clearance of concerned company</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	7-day quarantine, fully vaccinated with – ve PCR traveler can self-quarantine
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total – 7,75,000 Total Recovered – 7,40,097 Total Deaths – 10903 Total Active –24,000
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	All public places like movie theaters, cultural centers, gymnasiums, nightclubs, stadiums, and swimming pools resume operations.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The government of Nepal has decided to open scheduled flights to three countries viz. China, Qatar & Turkey with one flight per week by every single airline of each respective countries by the compliance of specified health safety protocol and rest of the sectors, except two flights per week to India (each by NAC & Air India) as per air transport bubble arrangements, all other international schedule flights shall remain suspended.2. However, special diplomatic, ambulance and cargo flights shall be operated subject to special permission by the authority


	<p>3. The Nepal civil aviation body on the 18th July also permitted the national flag carriers of Nepal and India to increase the number of weekly flights on the Kathmandu – Delhi route under the air bubble arrangement from the two at present to six.</p> <p>.</p>
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Now open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Now open for table service.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	All resume operations.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Temples are open
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open during business hours.
Transportation (public and private options)	<p>Personal vehicles and public transportation are permitted to travel followed by Covid protocol.</p> <p>The government of Nepal has announced that failure to wear a mask outdoors may result in arrest and a fine.</p> <p>Important: no Vehicle movement past 8 PM starting from 12 Aug’21</p>
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<p>Terms and Conditions to be followed by Foreign Tourists Visiting Nepal for Mountaineering Expeditions and Trekking:</p> <p>Trekkers and mountaineers must obtain a visa before arrival through their travel and trekking agencies (as mentioned above).</p> <p>Trekkers and mountaineers upon arrival must submit negative results from a PCR test taken within 72 hours of departing their home country (as mentioned above)..</p> <p>Trekkers and mountaineers must possess insurance of at least USD 5,000 against COVID-19.</p> <p>Health screening procedures are in place at airports and other ports of entry and generally consist of temperature checks and a spray disinfecting area.</p>
Other Key Information	<p>Vaccine: Total doses are given 1,06,16,578</p> <p>People fully vaccinated 50,12,821</p> <p>*Total doses are given' shows the number of vaccine doses given to people.</p>

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Norway	
Updated Date	01JUN021// NEW
Borders (open, closed)	Se below
Quarantine Details (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 info@snedmc.eu for accurate details
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	
Transportation (public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	<p><i>Quarantine/tracking details</i></p> <p>Passengers and airline crew must complete a registration form before arrival. The form can be obtained at www.entrynorway.no.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This does not apply to airline crew who are not leaving the aircraft. <p>Passengers must have a negative COVID-19 test taken at most 24 hours before departure from the first embarkation point. Tests accepted are: PCR, rapid antigen and RT-PCR. The test result must be in Danish, English, French, German, Norwegian or Swedish.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This does not apply to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - passengers younger than 12 years; - passengers arriving from Denmark (Greenland and Faroe Isl.), certain hospital districts in Finland or Iceland. More details can be found at https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/entry-quarantine-travel-covid19/; - passengers with a diplomatic or service passport; - passengers with a COVID-19 recovery certificate issued at least 14 days and at most 6 months before arrival. They must not be traveling to Longyearbyen (LYR); - merchant seamen;

	<p>- nationals and residents of Norway with no possibility of getting tested in the departure country;</p> <p>- more exemptions can be found at https://www.udi.no/en/about-the-corona-situation/entry-to-norway-for-all-citizens/#link-18962.</p> <p>Passengers are subject to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- a COVID-19 antigen test and a PCR test upon arrival; or- a COVID-19 antigen test or PCR test upon arrival. <p>Passengers could be subject to quarantine in a hotel for 10 days. More details can be found at https://tinyurl.com/yoqc3omu...</p> <p><i>Airport limitations</i></p> <p>None specified.</p> <p><i>Direct flight restrictions</i></p> <p>Until 01 July 2021, passengers are not allowed to enter.</p> <p>-This does not apply to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- nationals and residents of Norway;- spouses, registered partners, minor children or stepchildren, parents or stepparents of minor children or stepchildren of residents of Norway. They must present a proof confirming the relationship;- merchant seamen;- more COVID-19 related information can be found at https://www.udi.no/en/about-the-corona-situation/entry-to-norway-for-all-citizens/.. <p><i>Transit</i></p> <p>None specified</p> <p><i>Full IATA update</i></p> <p>https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm</p> <p>Additional information</p> <p><i>Domestic Restrictions</i></p> <p>The current advice is to avoid all unnecessary domestic travel. The Government is continuing measures to reduce the rate of infection and prevent the contagious variant of the virus from spreading, but is relaxing restrictions for children and young people and workplaces.</p> <p>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>Residents of mainland Norway can travel to Svalbard, and residents of Svalbard can travel to the mainland, without having to enter quarantine. Anyone arriving in Norway from a red area/country need to complete their full quarantine period in mainland Norway prior to travelling on to Svalbard. This applies to all who want to travel to Svalbard, including residents.</p> <p><i>International Tourists</i></p> <p>From 1 January 2021 UK nationals are no longer classified as EU/EEA nationals and will not be allowed to visit Norway unless they meet certain exceptions. You may be exempted if for example you are resident in another EEA/EU country or if you are a close family member of a Norwegian resident. Please see the UDI website for more detail on these exceptions. Borders to remain closed to all but essential visitors through 12 May.</p> <p>Travellers who arrive in Norway from a red country (which currently includes the UK) must present a negative COVID-19 test certificate upon arrival in Norway. The test must have been taken within the 24 hours prior to departure and be in English, Norwegian, Swedish, Danish, French or German. The approved testing methods are PCR or Rapid antigen test. You may be denied entry at the Norwegian border, or boarding at the airport, if you do not produce a valid test certificate when required.</p> <p>For a full list of countries Norway's red list please visit: https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/entry-quarantine-travel-covid19/</p> <p>From midday 13 May, travellers from the UK legally allowed to enter the country will be treated the same as arrivals from EU, EEA and Schengen countries. You will be required to quarantine . This applies regardless of the purpose of your visit and may involve staying in a quarantine hotel.</p> <p>Transiting Norway.</p> <p>Non-residents are still able to transit via Norwegian airports as long as the final destination is not within Norway, but please check with your airline before departing.</p> <p><i>Testing Information</i></p> <p>Travellers who arrive in Norway from a red country (which currently includes the UK) must present a negative COVID-19 test certificate upon arrival in Norway. The test must have been taken within the 24 hours prior to departure and be in English, Norwegian, Swedish, Danish, French or German. The approved testing methods are PCR or Rapid antigen test. You may be denied entry at the Norwegian border, or boarding at the airport, if you do not produce a valid test certificate when required. You should not use the NHS testing service to get a test in order to facilitate your travel to another country. You should arrange to take a private test.</p> <p>From midday 13 May, travellers from the UK legally allowed to enter the country will be treated the same as arrivals from EU, EEA and Schengen countries. You will be required to quarantine . This applies regardless of the purpose of your visit and may involve staying in a</p>
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	<p>quarantine hotel. For guidance on where and how to quarantine, please see the Norwegian government website. A negative PCR test taken no earlier than seven days after arrival may allow you to shorten your stay. You are also required to complete a self-declaration form within the 72 hours prior to arrival and you should expect to be tested on arrival. All travellers from red countries must spend the first ten days in Norway in quarantine and must complete a self-declaration form confirming where you will be completing your quarantine period.</p> <p>List of red countries: https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/entry-quarantine-travel-covid19/.</p> <p><i>Hotels, Bars & Restaurants</i></p> <p>There are restrictions on public events and large parts of the hospitality and service sectors. Establishments serving food are allowed to open but social distancing restrictions apply.</p> <p>The Norwegian authorities have issued recommendations that people avoid using public transport unless strictly necessary.</p> <p><i>Events/Mass Gatherings</i></p> <p>The government recommends that people should have no more than five guests in their home. This year, a maximum of 50 people can attend indoor services, as long as a distance of two meters can be maintained when singing hymns. No more 20 people are permitted to attend a private event hosted at a public venue.</p> <p><i>Official Advice Site/Source</i></p> <p>https://www.fjordnorway.com/planning-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/travel-advice-COVID19/ https://www.visitnorway.com/plan-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway/ https://www.newsinenglish.no/2020/08/03/updates-here-as-corona-rages-on/ https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice/norway/coronavirus https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/ https://www.fhi.no/en/op/novel-coronavirus-facts-advice/facts-and-general-advice/entry-quarantine-travel-covid19/#areas-with-sufficiently-low-transmission https://travelbans.org/europe/norway/ https://www.visitnorway.com/plan-your-trip/coronavirus-and-travelling-to-norway/</p> <p><i>Relat</i></p> <p><i>R</i></p>

Panama	<div>  </div> <div> PANAMA DMC BY TURISTA INTERNACIONAL </div>
Updated Date	September 01, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Open. Passengers with IATA vaccination passport and a negative test has expedited entrance. If vaccinated, no test is required, otherwise, a negative test took 72 hrs. prior arrival.</p> <p>Passengers coming from South America required to quarantine 3 days.</p>
Quarantine Details	No lock down. Unrestricted movement throughout the Country.

(requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	Curfew 12 am to 4 a.m.
Cases last 24 hrs. (stable or flat)	Daily cases: 670 (last 24 hrs) Daily deaths: 05 (last 24 hrs) RT (Transmission Rate): 1.10 Positivity Rate (of people tested): 6.6% Lethality: 1.60%
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Small groups allowed (less than 50). Guidelines ready.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Fully open no restrictions. Test required 72 hrs prior to arrival.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open No restrictions
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open 50% capacity.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open 50% capacity.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open 50% capacity.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open No restrictions.
Transportation (public and private options)	Taxi, Uber and Metro line public buses are open. 50% capacity.
Upcoming Key Dates	Every Sundays the restrictions are reviewed
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Tourism Safety Guidelines Ready Safe Travels Stamp from World Travel and Tourism Council
Other Key Information	Hospital beds and ICU units almost empty. RT under 1.10 (1 person infects less than 1 person), Mortality Rate 1.60%. Masks are mandatory.

Peru	
Updated Date	Aug 17. 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Open. Entry of travelers – non-residents – who come from Brazil, India and South Africa, or who have made a stop in those countries over the last 14 days, is suspended until Aug 31st 2021.
Quarantine Details	Requirements for entering Peru: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Complete the “Electronic Affidavit Form” within 72 hours before traveling.

(requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	https://e-notificacion.migraciones.gob.pe/dj-salud/ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present a negative molecular RT-PCR test result, antigen test, or medical certificate of epidemiological discharge. • For children under 12 years of age, only a certificate of good health is required. The result must have been issued a maximum of 72 hours before the travel date. • Two face masks must be always used, at the airport and during flights (not applicable to children under 2 years of age). <p>Into Peru:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curfew between 12am and 4am. Airport transfers operate normally 24/7 • Facial mask is mandatory in all public areas. • For trains additional to the face mask, is also mandatory a face shield.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Covid situation is improving. Last week we hit a record of 700,000 vaccines applicated in a single weekend. By August 2021 we should have people between 35+ year olds vaccinated. By Dec 2021 18+ year olds should be fully vaccinated
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Small group are allowed, still keeping social distancing.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Borders are open. Commercial flights are operating.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels already opened
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open Restaurants may now operate at 50% of their capacity. For the moment, buffet service is not available. The reopening of bars has not yet been authorized.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with 50% capacity only. Open-air events or outdoor events can take place in a delimited venue to allow access control. They must follow rules of social distance and circulation, to minimize physical contact
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Machu Picchu and almost all sites are open Machu Picchu: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Currently 2244 visitors are permitted per day, • Each guide may accompany groups of up to 07 guests. • The first entry time is 06:00 hours, and the closing time is 17:00 hours. • Machu Picchu will have 4 circuits, one-way, defined to enjoy the Inca city well and safety. • For the moment, the Temple of the Sun will not be able as part of the tour until further notice; and nor will the Inca city alternative routes: Machu Picchu Mountain, Huayna Picchu, Inca Bridge and Inti Punku. • Food may not be consumed within the Inca city.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with 50% of capacity
Transportation (public and private options)	Facial mask is mandatory in flights and trains Taxis are operating Guidelines for tourism transportation already in place
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Peru has received Safe Travel Destination by the WTTC (World Travel and Tourism Council). All protocols are already in place.

Other Key Information	
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Poland	
Updated Date	18 th August 2021
<p>Borders (open, closed)</p> <p>Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>Rules for travellers from the EU Member States, Schengen Area, and Turkey arriving in Poland</p> <p>Regardless of the means of transport used (collective, individual, or when crossing the border on foot), travellers are subject to a 10-day quarantine upon entry, unless they meet one of the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • they are fully vaccinated with all vaccine doses required and 14 days have passed since their final dose was administered (counting from the day following the last vaccination date). The vaccination must be certified by the EU digital COVID certificate or another document, in Polish or English, confirming vaccination with a vaccine that has been authorised in the European Union, • they had been infected with the SARS-CoV-2 virus (so-called convalescents), no later than 6 months before the day of crossing the Polish border. Convalescents must present a document confirming that they had indeed been infected, issued in Polish or English; acceptable documents include the EU digital COVID certificate, • they present a negative COVID-19 test result, confirmed with an EU COVID certificate or another document in Polish or English. Such a test must be performed no earlier than 48 hours before crossing the border. • they are children under 12 years of age who are travelling under the supervision of adults vaccinated against COVID19 or have a negative COVID-19 test result, • they are subject to other exemptions listed in Art. 3 of the Regulation of the Council of Ministers of 6 May 2021 on the establishment of certain restrictions, orders, and prohibitions in connection with the occurrence of an epidemic. <p>Travellers who have been quarantined may perform a test within 48 hours of crossing the border, with a negative test result releasing them from quarantine:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Test type: RT-PCR or antigen. • The tests are not publicly funded. <p>The above rules apply to travellers from:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • European Union Member States: Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Greece, Spain, Netherlands, Ireland, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Latvia, Malta, Germany, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Hungary, and Italy,

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 non-EU countries that are part of the Schengen Area – Switzerland, Iceland, Norway, and Liechtenstein,• from Turkey, with which a special agreement has been concluded. <p>Rules for travellers from outside the European Union, Schengen Area, and Turkey arriving in Poland</p> <p>Regardless of the means of transport used (collective, individual, or when crossing the border on foot), travellers are subject to a 10-day quarantine upon entry, unless they meet one of the following conditions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• they are fully vaccinated with all vaccine doses required and 14 days have passed since their final dose was administered (counting from the day following the last vaccination date), and their vaccination is certified by the EU digital COVID certificate or another document, in Polish or English, confirming vaccination with a vaccine that has been authorised in the European Union,• they are children under 12 years of age who are travelling under the supervision of adults vaccinated against COVID19,• they had been infected with the SARS-CoV-2 virus (so-called convalescents), no later than 6 months before the day of crossing the Polish border. Convalescents must present a document confirming that they had indeed been infected, issued in Polish or English; acceptable documents include the EU digital COVID certificate,• they are subject to exemptions listed in Art. 3 of the Regulation of the Council of Ministers of 6 May 2021 on the establishment of certain restrictions, orders, and prohibitions in connection with the occurrence of an epidemic. <p>Travellers who have been quarantined in Poland may perform a test – on the 8th day at the earliest, counting from the day after crossing the border – with a negative result releasing them from quarantine. When calculating the 7-day quarantine period, the expiry of which entitles travellers to have a diagnostic test performed on the eighth day, the day of crossing the Polish border is not taken into account).</p> <p>Example: If you cross the Polish border on 1 July, then you will be eligible to have a diagnostic test performed on 9 July, with a negative result releasing you from quarantine.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Test type: RT-PCR or antigen.• The tests are not publicly funded. <p>Note: Individuals who stay within the territory of the Republic of Poland for no more than 24 hours and have a ticket confirming their departure abroad within this period are not subject to quarantine.</p> <p>Passenger Locator Forms</p> <p>Starting from 17 July, any person crossing the state border of the Republic of Poland by plane must fill out an electronic Passenger Locator Form via the ICT system before checking in, and if this is not possible, fill out a paper Passenger Locator Form provided by the cabin crew.</p> <p>The data controller is the State District Sanitary Inspector competent for the place of residence or stay of the traveller.</p> <p>EU digital COVID certificate</p> <p>The EU digital COVID certificate is issued by the Ministry of Health. Vaccination certificates are issued as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">11. in electronic form,12. in paper form, <ul style="list-style-type: none">• by entities providing vaccination against COVID-19,• by a primary health care physician or primary care nurse.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Fully vaccinated: 48% population
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>GATHERINGS</p> <p>Up to 150 people may participate in a public gathering at the same time. Participants are required to maintain a distance of 1.5 m from others. Additionally, the distance between individual gatherings must be at least 100 m.</p> <p>MEETINGS</p> <p>Up to 150 people may participate in events and meetings, either outdoors, indoors or in designated gastronomic areas. A distance between individual tables must be maintained (only every other table may be occupied, with a 1.5</p>

	<p>m distance between tables – unless there is a screen between them with a height of at least 1 m, counting from the table’s surface).</p> <p>This number does not include persons vaccinated against COVID-19.</p> <p>WEDDINGS, COMMUNIONS, FUNERAL RECEPTIONS AND OTHER CELEBRATIONS</p> <p>Special events may be organised outdoors and indoors alike (e.g. inside restaurants). A limit of 150 attendees is in effect. Such events may only take place under a strict sanitary regime. A distance between individual tables must be maintained (only every other table may be occupied, with a 1.5 m distance between tables – unless there is a screen between them with a height of at least 1 m, counting from the table’s surface).</p> <p>This number does not include persons vaccinated against COVID-19.</p> <p>FAIRS, EXHIBITIONS, CONGRESSES AND CONFERENCES</p> <p>Trade fairs, congresses and conferences can be organised provided that the limit of 1 person per 10 m² is complied with</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Since 14 January 2021, air traffic has been resumed.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels have resumed operations. A 75% occupancy limit is in effect. The limit shall not apply to persons fully vaccinated against COVID-19 and organised groups of children and adolescents under 12 years of age.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Gastronomic establishments operate under a strict sanitary regime at no more than 75% occupancy. A distance between individual tables must be maintained.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Venues may operate with the limits on number, capacity and sanitary regime as per above (gatherings & meetings).
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open and are open and can operate under a strict sanitary regime are open and can operate under a strict sanitary regime and occupancy limits.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	From 4th May - Shopping centers and malls, furniture, construction markets are re-opened and may operate in a strict sanitary regime.
Transportation (public and private options)	<p>Public transport vehicles may be boarded by a limited number of persons. All means of public transport across Poland may only make up to 100% of seats available to passengers</p> <p><u>Private group transportation</u> – full capacity with the face masks.</p>
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Polish Tourism Organization has launched the certification program for the Hygiene Safety in the venue and Safety in MICE Venue.
Other Key Information	


<p>Portugal</p>	
Updated Date	September 2nd, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Land borders with EU countries, USA, Canada and UK are open, no quarantine required
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>We are no longer in State of Emergency</p> <p>All commercial establishments are open, Restaurants open, tables indoors with a maximum of 10 people per table and outside 15 people per table</p> <p>All school levels are open, with the necessary hygiene and safety measures for kids over 12 yers.</p> <p>Health and safety measures must be maintained: the use of mask and social distancing are mandatory until the end of September.</p>

	<p>Portugal imposes a mandatory PCR test for anyone who arrives in the country from a European or Schengen country unless they have a Vaccination Certificate and a quarantine for arrivals from countries such as South Africa, India and Nepal, at least until September 16th. Please check https://reopen.europa.eu/en/map/PRT/7001 which includes which non european country nationals can enter Portugal.</p> <p>VACCINATION – 85% of the population have the full vaccination program, so during September most of the restrictions will be lifted. Population aged 12 to 17 is almost 100% vaccinated as well.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<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>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>Outdoor activities and events are allowed again (like Music festivals) Any events indoors are allowed with reduced capacity, Weddings are allowed at 75% of the capacity.</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Flights to Portugal Air travel to and from Portugal is allowed to:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- European Union countries;- Schengen Associated Countries - Liechtenstein, Norway, Iceland, Switzerland;- Australia, China (including Hong Kong and Macao), South Korea, New Zealand, Rwanda, Singapore, Thailand and Uruguay.All passengers must present proof of a negative test to COVID-19 (RT-PCR), carried out within 72 hours before boarding time.• All commercial or private flights between Portugal and Brazil are now allowed again. These passengers must present, at the time of departure, proof of having performed a RT-PCR test with a negative result, carried out within 72 hours prior to the time of departure.• Anyone who is obliged to comply with the 14-day prophylactic isolation in Portugal must register with SEF - Foreigners and Borders Service before entering the country at https://travel.sef.pt.• Passengers on commercial flights from South Africa must present proof of a negative RT-PCR test result, carried out within 72 hours prior to departure time and will have to comply with a 14-day quarantine period at home or at a place indicated by the health authorities. This requirement also applies to flights that have stopped over or transited in countries which air traffic with Portugal is authorized, or to passengers registered as having left South Africa in the 14 days prior to their arrival in Portugal.• 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: - http://www.visitmadeira.pt/en-gb/useful-info/corona-virus-(covid-19)/information-to-visitors-(covid-19).• Passengers flying to the Azores archipelago will be subject to one of the following options:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Submit proof of testing to COVID-19 up to 72 hours prior to flight departure;- Perform test on arrival and stay in prophylactic isolation until the result is obtained;- Perform voluntary quarantine for a period of 14 days in a hotel indicated for the purpose;- 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;- More information for Azores is available at covid19.azores.gov.pt


Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels closed during the state of emergency and most have reopened gradually with protective measures. The majority of the hotels are open.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurants and cafes are open. Bars and Nightclubs - They may operate only as of October. No consumption of alcohol in public spaces, except in restaurants, cafés, and bars. Distance between tables must be at least 1.5 meters.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed Venues – possible with 75% capacity only. 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.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Museums, monuments, palaces, art galleries and similar are open with the necessary hygiene and safety measures.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All retail shops, shopping malls, movie theaters and gyms are open with the necessary hygiene and safety measures.
Transportation (public and private options)	In public transportation it is mandatory the use of mask, hygiene and frequent cleaning. There are no restrictions of capacity in public and private transport.
Upcoming Key Dates	October – Night Clubs and Bars
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (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
Other Key Information	Portugal is working non-stop so that the country can return to a new normal and be able to welcome tourists back, vaccination proceeds at an excellent rate considering the European average and herd immunity has been reached in September.

Puerto Rico	
Updated Date	August 30, 2021
Borders (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 many other Caribbean islands, Colombia, Panama and Spain are open. The United States lifted the restrictions for inbound international flights. See ‘Air’ section, below.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	No quarantine unless actually sick or exposed if unvaccinated. Sick or positive persons must quarantine for 10 days after fever ends, or 7 days if no symptoms. All inbound air travelers must complete an online travel declaration, available at travelsafe.pr.gov . Confirmation must be presented to local officials upon arrival to avoid delays in exiting the arrivals area. All air


	arrivals, whether visitors or returning residents, must provide evidence of EITHER full vaccination OR a negative molecular COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours of travel. Covid-19 molecular tests and vaccines are available at the airport at cost. Travelers who arrive without vaccination or a negative molecular test must secure an on-island test within 48 hours of arrival or face a fine. Hospitality properties and travel agents are requested to advise travelers of these requirements before booking. Masks not required for vaccinated people outdoors, except in gatherings of more than 50 people. Masks are required for all people in enclosed public spaces. Alcohol sales or consumption of alcohol in public places, and public gatherings of any size, prohibited between midnight and 5:00 AM.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Low. Puerto Rico has the fourth lowest deaths per 100,000 inhabitants of all U.S. jurisdictions. Over 70% of the population has been fully vaccinated. Over 80% of the population has been vaccinated with at least one dose.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Functions of over 500 participants must implement health screening procedures where attendees must present proof of vaccine or negative molecular test. Indoor functions require masks. Outdoor functions of over 50 participants require masks.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	San Juan International (SJU), Ponce (PSE) and Aguadilla (BQN) airports are open for domestic U.S. and international traffic. In service: Delta, United, American, Southwest, Spirit, jetBlue and Frontier for domestic U.S. mainland to/from island flights. Cape Air, Silver Airways and Tradewinds for inter-island flights. Intra and Inter-island from San Juan to Ponce, Aguadilla, Mayagüez, Vieques and Culebra available on Cape Air, Flamenco Airways and Vieques Air Link. International flights on Copa to/from Panama and Avianca to/from Bogota, Colombia are up. Iberia resumed service to/from Madrid. Condor resumes service to/from Frankfurt in November 2021.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotel employees, contractors and guests must present evidence of vaccination, or submit weekly Covid-19 negative test results (employees and contractors) or results for tests taken at most 72 hours before check in (Guests). From midnight to 5:00 AM, hotel restaurants can serve only registered guests. No alcohol sales between midnight and 5:00 AM.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Restaurant employees are required to be vaccinated or submit to weekly Covid-19 tests. Restaurants are required to request patrons for evidence of vaccination or negative Covid-19 test taken during the last 72 hours before admittance for indoor dining. Restaurants that do not follow this restriction must operate at a reduced capacity of 50%. All restaurant, bars
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Indoor venues have the same vaccine or test requirements as restaurants. Must close from midnight to 5:00 AM.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	No restrictions except on indoor sites which have the same vaccine or test requirements as restaurants. U.S. National Parks require masks indoors at all times.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed from midnight to 5:00 AM.
Transportation (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. Public transportation (city buses, metro) is now operating.
Upcoming Key Dates	Latest Executive Order effective from 9/02/2021 to 9/23/2021. Vaccine and test requirements are in effect until the Federal government rescinds the Covid emergency. The Governor has delegated on the Secretary of Health the issuance of pandemic-related guidelines.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (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.
Other Key Information	

ussia	
Updated Date	April 23, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Closed until further notice (Visa consulates & borders) with few exceptions since mid-March (2020) & few international flights available and with EU introduced Travel embargo from Russia July 1st, 2020</p> <p>Access for Russian citizen and holders of Russian residence based on providing a 72 hours negative Corona Result in advance or completing a negative result within 48 hours after arrival with registration on governmental site or a quarantine for 14 days. Exception made for Medical treatment, participation in sport events and for students with valid courses and special missions. Few International flights available mainly for Russian citizens travel abroad such as Turkey Tanzania (Zanzibar only), Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, South Korea with same conditions</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Only flights from UK prolonged (suspension), 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.</p> <p>Recovering Positive result patients on Covid test needs home quarantine with checks of 14 days</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Based on 145 Million people:</p> <p>Infected (4.741.961)</p> <p>Deceased (107.501)</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Restriction by preregistration on-line for bigger events, concerts and museums
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Only flights from below countries allowed with restrictions of providing tests or quarantine with registration upon arrival. UK (presently suspended), Turkey Tanzania (Zanzibar only) Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, South Korea Switzerland and some others
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels opened
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened without restrictions
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Majority public museums opened (on-line registration and ticket purchase
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Opened
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	Mask requirements
Upcoming Key Dates	<p>June 2-5 St. Petersburg International Economic Forum</p> <p>June 12.16.21 UEFA Euro</p> <p>No information of access for entry (tickets and special invitations only)</p>


Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	Facemasks required in shops, transportations, and public places as well as social distancing but not used commonly, Quarantine 14 days after recovering with negative results.
Other Key Information	4 million people received Russia vaccine whereof 2 million received second jab

Slovenia	
Updated Date	December 3rd
Borders (open, closed)	Opened with certain restrictions based on where you are arriving from
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entry to Slovenia is permitted with no restrictions and quarantine from countries that are on the green or orange list with no border crossing limitations. Persons arriving from red list countries or areas are subject to a ten-day quarantine unless they submit a negative COVID-19 test result not older than 48 hours and carried out in an EU or Schengen Area member state or Slovenia. <p>Red list of countries (valid as of 23 November 2020) Link to list: Border Crossing GOV.SI</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total cases: 79,556 Deaths: 1547 Active Cases: 20572
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	There is a temporary ban on group gatherings Movement is restricted between 9pm and 4am. Gauteng Province (Johannesburg) has limited movement to within state for local residents. International visitors may move freely inter-state.
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Evolving situation for more info on flights link to Ljubljana Airport https://www.fraport-slovenija.si/en/Main/
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Partially opened
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Temporarily closed
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Closed
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Limited
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Temporarily closed
Transportation	Limited


(public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	December 2021
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress, more info from the government at the following link: https://www.gov.si/en/topics/coronavirus-disease-covid-19/ https://www.policija.si/eng/newsroom/news-archive/103470-crossing-the-state-border-during-the-coronavirus-epidemic
Other Key Information	

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Updated Date	2 nd September 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Open
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	South Africa has no red list for international visitors. A PCR test not older than 72 hours prior to commencement of travel is required to enter. If presenting symptoms on arrival, or cannot produce a copy of a valid PCR test, then a rapid antigen test will be performed and if positive a 10 day quarantine at own could will be imposed.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Declining, the third wave of infection peaked in July and infection numbers are decreasing. 92% of all cases have recovered.
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Maximum of 100 may people may gather outdoors and 50 indoors
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Most international and domestic flights operating although with reduced schedules. Delta and United resumed direct services to Johannesburg during June 2021 Emirates resumed 1 st August and BA returned 16 th August
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Most hotels and lodges have reopened.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open 50% of capacity max 50 indoors and 100 outdoors
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open 50% of capacity max 50 indoors and 100 outdoors
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Capacity Limits 50% of normal capacity
Transportation (public and private options)	Public and private transport open
Upcoming Key Dates	South Africa moved from Level 4 to Level 3 lockdown on 25 July 2021.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	South Africa was an early recipient of the WTTC Safe Travel certification. The entire Walters team has completed training under the “Travel Safe, Eat Safe” program coordinated by the Tourism Business Council of South Africa
Other Key Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lockdown currently Stage 3 All businesses open

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work from home/remote office encouraged for all who can • Restaurants close at 9pm • Sale of alcohol for offsite/home consumption is currently limited Monday– Thursday. Restaurants and Bars may serve until 9pm every day. • Curfew from 10pm - 4am <p>Wearing of masks is mandatory whilst in all public areas, sanitizing standard when entering any businesses.</p>
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South Korea	
Updated Date	Sept 2, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Can be still considered closed for tourist purposes.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>1) All travelers to Korea must provide proof of a negative COVID-19 PCR test result issued within 72 hours of their departure and submit to a mandatory 14-day quarantine upon entry, regardless of vaccination status. Most tourists must quarantine in government facilities at their <u>own expense</u>. COVID-19 screening measures are subject to change with little advance notice. At this time, the ROK government has not changed its testing and quarantine requirements with regard to vaccinated travelers.</p> <p>2) Starting May 6, Korean citizens who are fully vaccinated <u>in</u> South Korea don't have to stay self quarantined upon return from international travel.</p> <p>3) Starting July 1, <u>SOME</u> international travelers who have been fully vaccinated (WHO certified vaccines only) would be exempt from the two-week quarantine. <u>Tourist purposes are NOT exempted</u>. Purposes that MIGHT be exempted include overseas business and academic trips, public purposes, visiting immediate family, and or humanitarian reasons (attending family funeral...). As the change has just been announced we are not sure on which documents will be required to grant the exemption. The only thing I am certain of is that this exemption will be managed by the Korean missions abroad and it would be like any visa procedures, clients should apply for the waiver before their travel. The clients should periodically check the website of the Korean Embassy in their country to get more information on the requirements.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increased to 1500-2000 daily (4 th wave ongoing / highest number since pandemic)
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>No more than 5 people per group gathering allowed except own families registered at the same address. (Entire country)</p> <p>No more than 3 per group allowed after 6pm (Greater Seoul Area)</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	limited
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Some open, partially open, and some temporarily closed, some operated as quarantine facility.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open until 9pm. Only delivery allowed after 9pm

Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with 50% capacity limits
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Mostly open with limited capacity (approx 50%)
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open with capacity limits
Transportation (public and private options)	available
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	
Other Key Information	Around 50% as for primary vaccination status. 30% in full vaccination

Spain	
Updated Date	August 19th, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Whichever country you are arriving from, all passengers arriving in Spain by air or sea (ferry), including passengers making flight transfers and children under 12, must fill in a health control form before they start their journey. If you are arriving by plane, you can do this through the website https://www.spth.gob.es/ or on the Spain Travel Health app for Android or iOS devices.</p> <p>When you have filled it in, you will get a QR code which you must present both when boarding and when arriving in Spain. If you are arriving from a country/territory considered not to be a risk, you will get a FAST CONTROL QR code which will speed up the formalities when you arrive in Spain.</p> <p>If you are travelling from a country or territory on the list of low-incidence countries outside the high-risk area, you can travel without the need for diagnostic tests or vaccination or immunity certificates. The USA is currently considered a low-risk country.</p> <p>If you are travelling from a territory on the list of high-risk countries/areas, people travelling for tourism will be allowed to enter if they have a vaccination certificate issued by the competent authorities of the country of origin at least 14 days after the date of the last dose required to complete the course of vaccination.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirement for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>In the destination, there is no current general lockdown or stay-at-home restriction in place.</p> <p>Curfew has been now cancelled in Barcelona and nearly all the municipalities of Catalonia. It only remains in 19 out of 148 municipalities from 01:00 to 06:00 am.</p>
Cases (Increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>Spain is currently going through another “COVID wave” which is characterized by a raise of cases among younger population (between 20 and 39 years) and with a much lower index of health complications.</p> <p>This means this fifth wave is way much more controlled than the previous ones and the numbers have been gradually going down in the past month.</p> <p>New confirmed cases in the last 14 days, as of August 18th, 2021: 179.428</p>

	<p>Ratio: 378,13 diagnosed cases x 100.000 inhabitants</p> <p>Vaccination: Started in January 2021. As of August 18th, 2021: 35.072.910 (73,9% of the population) have received the 1st dose vaccine 30.261.332 (63,8% of the population) have completed the vaccination</p>
<p>Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)</p>	<p>Social group gatherings have different restrictions depending on the region of Spain.</p> <p>Meetings and professional events are allowed with certain capacity restrictions and all the necessary safety protocols in place.</p> <p>Catalonia/Barcelona: meetings, conferences and congresses authorized with a capacity of 70% and 1,000 people indoors and up to 3,000 people in outdoor spaces or indoors with reinforced ventilation. Bigger events can be authorized if approved by the local authority.</p> <p>Madrid: general capacities allowed are 50% capacity for indoor spaces, 75% for outdoor spaces</p> <p>Recommended safety distance for groups is at least 1,5m.</p>
<p>Air (carriers flying to/from country)</p>	<p>Since June, 2021, the airlines started to offer more flights connections between Spain and the US:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Since June 6th, Delta has resumed 3 weekly connections between NY JFK and Barcelona - American Airlines reestablished on June 18th its daily connections between Madrid and NY-JFK and Miami. - Iberia recovers its connections with Chicago, Boston and Los Angeles.
<p>Hotels (open, closed, partially open)</p>	<p>More hotels all over Spain reopened to the public in May, 2021 and there are additional re-openings foreseen along June-July, 2021.</p> <p>New properties opened in 2021: Mandarin Oriental Ritz Madrid, The Six Senses Ibiza, W Ibiza, etc.</p>
<p>Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Open with different restrictions depending on the region.</p> <p>Catalonia: up to 6 people per table inside and 10 outside (except for social bubbles). Up to 50% of total capacity inside. Opening hours restricted to from 06:00 to 00:30.</p> <p>Madrid: 6 people per table inside and 8 outside; no new client to be admitted later than 00:00. Restaurants would close at 01:00; discos and night clubs will close at 03:00 (no new clients admitted starting from 02:00).</p>
<p>Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)</p>	<p>Open with capacity limits.</p> <p>Catalonia: 70% and 1,000 people indoors and up to 3,000 people in outdoor spaces or indoors with reinforced ventilation. Bigger events can be authorized if approved by the local authority.</p> <p>Madrid: general capacities allowed are 50% capacity for indoor spaces, 75% for outdoor spaces</p>
<p>Tourist Sites</p>	<p>Open.</p>

(open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Catalonia: open from 06:00 to 00:30 with up to 70% of total capacity</p> <p>Madrid: open with capacity limits in some cases.</p>
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open with the basic security and hygiene protocols and the social distancing policy and capacity restrictions depending on the specific region of Spain.</p> <p>Catalonia: generally, up to 70% capacity.</p> <p>Madrid: no capacity limitations.</p>
Transportation (public and private options)	100% operational.
Upcoming Key Dates	No perimetral lockdown. Free movement is allowed throughout Spain.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Checklist of Measures for the Reduction of H&S Risks in the Hotels against COVID-19 (Issued May 11th, 2020 by Spanish Confederation of Hotels and Tourist Establishments) ➤ EASA (European Union Aviation Safety Agency) safety measures ➤ “Safe Tourism Certified” certification program by ICTE (Institute for Spanish Tourism Quality) ➤ WTTC “Safe Travels” stamp
Other Key Information	<p>It is not mandatory to wear a mask in outdoor spaces as long as a safety distance of 1.5 meters can be maintained. Nor is it mandatory for passengers of ships and boats to wear a mask in their cabins and in outdoor spaces of the ship, provided that the safety distance can be maintained; or in large outdoor events where attendees are seated and a safe distance can be maintained.</p> <p>Mask use is still mandatory indoors or in enclosed spaces and on all public transport.</p>

Sri Lanka	
Updated Date	Sep 10, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Quarantine curfew island wide till 21st September’2021</p> <p>Airports opened for all passengers despite the quarantine curfew. Tourists can follow their program.</p>

	<p>Crossing of Provinces is now permitted to only to foreigners</p> <p>Important note: Countries currently restricted for arrivals to Sri Lanka as 18 Aug'2021 1. South American countries 2. South African Countries (Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Mozambique, Namibia, Swaziland, Zambia, Zimbabwe) Please note that the above list is being reviewed periodically by Sri Lanka Health Authorities taking the pandemic situation into consideration and changes made on the restrictions to entry</p> <p>Important: Applies to International Tourists visiting Sri Lanka under a tourist visa and is optional for dual citizens, valid resident visa holders, Sri Lankan citizens who opt to come under the tourism route.</p> <p>No prior approval is required from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Civil Aviation Authority. There is <u>no minimum duration of stay in Sri Lanka.</u></p> <p>This protocol is applicable for travelers not arriving from or with no travel history (including transit) to any travel restricted country in the past 14 days. Tourists arriving from India (including transit) have a separate health protocol and please visit www.srilanka.travel/helloagain for details.</p>
<p>Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)</p>	<p>No restrictive quarantine is required; no minimum number of days is required to stay. However, In the first 14 days of your stay in Sri Lanka, you have to stay at Safe & Secure certified Level 1 hotels. After 14 days, you can move to any hotel even though they are level 1 Safe and Secure Certified or not.</p> <p>PCR Test requirement:</p> <p>Mandatory PCR test upon arrival. Arrival is followed by necessary PCR depending on the number of days and if they are vaccinated or not.</p> <p>Health Protocol for Arrivals to Sri Lanka Tourism Travel Bio Bubble Valid for arrivals from 19th August'2021.</p> <p>Applies to International Tourists visiting Sri Lanka under a tourist visa and is optional for dual citizens, valid resident visa holders, Sri Lankan citizens who opt to come under the tourism route.</p> <p>No prior approval is required from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or Civil Aviation Authority. There is no minimum duration of stay in Sri Lanka.</p> <p>Before boarding travelers are required to:</p> <p>a. Have a valid tourist visa. All visas must be applied online. Visit eta.gov.lk.</p>

	<p>b. Before applying for a visa, ensure you have the following.</p> <p>i. A pre-confirmed booking at a Level 1 'Safe & Secure Certified' hotel/s for up to 15 days depending on the duration of your stay and vaccination status. Hotel booking/s could be made directly with the hotel or through a 'Safe & Secure' certified travel Agent or OTA. Visitors are allowed to move within L1 hotels and use all facilities of the hotel upon a negative PCR on arrival. For more information please visit www.srilanka.travel/helloagain.</p> <p>ii. Pay for the mandatory COVID-19 local travel insurance cover at USD 12 for a policy of USD 50,000 up to the period of one month (including children below 2 years).</p> <p>iii. Pay for the PCR tests (USD 40 per PCR test) depending on the status of your vaccination. (Refer 'Table 1' below).</p> <p>c. Have a negative PCR test done within 72 hours before embarkation (Children below 2 years are exempted). Also, please check the requirements of your airlines. Airport transfers are to be arranged by either the respective Certified Safe & Secure L1 hotel or Certified Safe & Secure travel agent.</p> <p>All travelers should undergo On Arrival (Day One) COVID-19 PCR tests; • Children between 2- 12 years of age will be exempted from On Arrival (Day One) PCR testing ONLY if they are following the not-fully vaccinated route. • Children below 2 years are exempted from PCR testing. However, if the parents/guardians develop symptoms or result in positive PCR test reports, children will undergo PCR tests. COVID-19 recovered passengers traveling to Sri Lanka with one dose of vaccine will be considered as 'fully vaccinated'.</p> <p>The vaccination certificate should indicate that the vaccination course has been completed following the administration of one dose.</p> <p>At the airport produce the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Negative COVID-19 PCR report (English) taken within 72 hours before embarkation (All travelers excluding children below 2 years).• Original vaccination certificate/card (together with a certified copy of English language translation if the certificate/card is not in English or if relevant data are not indicated in English). Also, for travelers who have recovered from Covid 19 with one vaccination dose to submit a valid document (in English) certifying the information. (Refer 6.1. below)• Completed Health Declaration Form. <p>Not Fully Vaccinated Travelers</p> <p>Travelers who have not received COVID-19 vaccination/not completed the recommended doses of vaccination/departed from abroad within less than 2 weeks of completion of recommended doses of vaccination will be considered as not fully vaccinated travelers.</p>
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	<p>On Arrival, PCR Stays at a Certified Safe & Secure L1 hotel/s for the first 15 days of the visit and undergoes an on-arrival PCR test. Travelers are allowed to stay at any number of Certified Safe & Secure L1 hotels and are permitted to use all facilities of the hotel upon a negative on-arrival PCR test. Travelers are also allowed to visit approved tourist sites in a bio bubble. For more information please visit www.srilanka.travel/helloagain.</p> <p>2nd PCR Test Travelers who have not completed two weeks after the vaccination</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">Travelers who are vaccinated, yet not completed 2 weeks from the recommended doses of vaccination will be entitled to a shorter bio-bubble period as below;<ul style="list-style-type: none">Travelers will undergo the 2nd PCR test on the completion of 14 days from the recommended doses of vaccination and upon negative PCR test results, they shall leave the bio-bubble.<ul style="list-style-type: none">Unvaccinated children below 18 years can be released with their parents. Children of 2 - 18 years shall perform exit PCR tests on similar dates as their parents' and should have negative reports.Unvaccinated children of 2-18 years who have been released within the first 10 days after arriving in Sri Lanka with the parents who have completed two weeks post-vaccination period after arrival in Sri Lanka, should undergo a PCR test on Day 10 (if not subjected to a PCR test between Day 6 -10 after arrival in Sri Lanka).<ul style="list-style-type: none">Children under 2 years are exempted from PCR tests; however, if the exit PCR test of an accompanying traveler of the child is positive for COVID-19, the child will also be subjected to PCR test subsequently.<ol style="list-style-type: none">After verifying the status of vaccination and the 2-week completion of the recommended doses of vaccination and negative PCR test results, the respective Safe & Secure L1 Hotel doctor will issue a "Discharge Document" and release the travelers from bio-bubble. <p>2nd PCR Test Not-vaccinated</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">All Travelers will perform the 2nd PCR (Exit PCR) on Day 14.If the particular traveler departs the country before Day 14 from arrival, 2nd PCR is NOT required.Children below 2 years are exempted from exit COVID-19 PCR test. However, if the exit PCR test of an accompanying traveler of the child is positive for COVID-19, the child will also be subjected to a PCR test subsequently.Upon negative exit PCR test result, travelers can leave the bio-bubble on completion of Day 14 and go into the community. The respective Safe & Secure L1 Hotel doctor will issue a "Discharge Document" and release the travelers from bio-bubble. <p>Fully Vaccinated Travelers</p> <p>Travelers who have completed the recommended doses of COVID-19 vaccination and arriving after 2 weeks of completion of vaccination will be considered fully vaccinated travelers. Any vaccination type accepted by the country of origin is acceptable.</p>
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On arrival PCR test

- Stay at a Certified Safe & Secure L1 hotel until the on-arrival PCR test is performed (for 24-48 hours).
- Upon a negative on arrival (Day 1) PCR test report, vaccinated travelers can leave the bio-bubble. The respective Safe & Secure L1 Hotel doctor will issue a “Discharge Document” upon verifying the status of vaccination and PCR test results.
- Unvaccinated children between 2-18 years are allowed to leave the bio-bubble with fully vaccinated parents upon a negative on the arrival PCR test.
- After leaving the bio-bubble, travelers are not allowed to re-enter the Tourism bio-bubble (i.e., stay at ‘L1 Safe and Secure Certified’ hotels are not permitted upon leaving the bio-bubble. If you decide to leave the bio-bubble, it is strongly recommended to use the ‘Certified Safe and Secure’ hotels (non- L1) for the rest of your journey).

Fully vaccinated adults who have not arrived from / have no travel history (including transit) to any travel restricted country (Please visit: www.srilanka.travel/helloagain) in the past 14 days and were discharged from an ‘L1 Safe & Secure Certified’ hotel with a negative on arrival (Day 1) COVID-19 PCR report, are exempted from 2nd PCR test.

- Unvaccinated children of 2-18 years who left the bio-bubble with the fully vaccinated parents and negative on arrival (Day 1) PCR test results, should undergo a COVID-19 PCR test on Day 10 after arriving in Sri Lanka. Ministry of Health approved private sector or state sector laboratory tests are accepted and the area MOH should be informed of the results immediately by telephone or email.
- The respective Safe and Secure L1 hotel/Travel Agent is responsible to arrange and ensure the travelers perform the 2nd PCR test and submit the results duly.

Travelers with the past history of COVID-19

Travelers with a history of COVID-19, carrying a valid document certifying COVID-19 illness (in English) and departed between 28 - 90 days from the date of positive COVID-19 Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT)** will be considered under this category.


Such travelers should arrive after getting at least a single dose of Astra Zeneca/ Pfizer BioNTech/ Moderna/ Johnson & Johnson vaccine or any other single-dose COVID-19 vaccine recommended. This vaccine should be given 14 days after the positive NAAT** and 14 days before departure. ** This certificate should contain the name of the person, dates, and names of the positive NAAT**

Stay at a Certified Safe & Secure L1 hotel for 24-48 hours until the on-arrival PCR test (Day 1) report is available and NO further quarantine is necessary if the test report is negative. Hotel Doctor at Safe & Secure Certified Level 1 Hotel should discharge the traveler by issuing a "Discharge Document" after verifying the vaccination status and the document certifying the history of

	<p>COVID-19. Children below 18 years will be allowed to leave the bio-bubble with the parents by adhering to the following measures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Children of 2-18 years are subjected to an on arrival (Day 1) PCR testing and they should have negative results.• Children below 2 years will not be subjected to on arrival PCR testing and will be allowed to leave bio-bubble with the parents. However, if the on arrival (Day1) PCR testing of an accompanying traveler of the child is positive for COVID-19, a child below 2 years will also be subjected to PCR testing subsequently <p>No 2nd PCR for the adults who have not arrived/ no travel history (including transit) to any travel restricted country (Please visit: www.srilanka.travel/helloagain)</p> <p>in the past 14 days and discharged from an 'L1 Safe & Secure Certified' hotel with an on arrival (Day 1) negative COVID-19 PCR report. Unvaccinated children of 2-18 years who left the bio-bubble with their parents should undergo a COVID-19 PCR test on Day 10 after arriving in Sri Lanka. Ministry of Health approved private sector or state sector laboratory tests are accepted and the area MOH should be informed of the results immediately by telephone or email. The respective Safe and Secure L1 hotel/Travel Agent is responsible to ensure the travelers perform the 2nd PCR test and submit the results duly</p> <p>Mandatory PCR test upon arrival.</p> <p>Before boarding travelers are required to:</p> <p>a. Have a valid tourist visa before boarding a flight. All visas must be applied online. Visit eta.gov.lk. Before applying for a visa ensure you have the following.</p> <p>A pre-confirmed booking at a Level 1 'Safe & Secure' hotel for up to 14 days; depending on the duration of your stay.</p> <p>Hotel booking could be made directly with the hotel or through a travel agent or OTA. Visitors are allowed to move within L1 hotels and use all facilities of the hotel.</p> <p>Please visit www.srilanka.travel/helloagain. ii. Obtain COVID-19 local travel insurance cover for USD 12 for a policy of USD 50,000 for one month is mandatory</p> <p>Last PCR according to Airline requirement</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Total cases: 4,78,000 Total recovered: 4,45,636 Total deaths: 10864 Active cases: 21,500

	https://www.hpb.health.gov.lk/en
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	No limitation of groups provided safe and secure guide lines are strictly followed
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Borders Reopened on 1st June 2021 Sri Lankan, Qatar, Emirates, Etihad, Singapore Airlines, Turkish Airlines
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Hotels that are registered with the Sri Lanka tourist board are open, the ones which are not registered are open under the supervision of public health officer. Tier 1 hotels that can only accommodate foreign clients for their first 14 days are 193 hotels, other Safe & Secure certified hotels are 13 .
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurant registered with the Tourism Authority and Safe & Secure certified are currently opened with strict health protocol
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	All hotel venues with Health Ministry certification can have limited numbers with very restrictive numbers
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	All national parks and tourist sites within the bubble are operational to Tourists following the Health Protocols.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All opened with strict health protocols
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transport – Operating only to carry essential service staff
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	https://www.hpb.health.gov.lk/en The whole country is practicing sanitary initiatives and monitored by the Health Authorities
Other Key Information	<p>Rapid Vaccination program being carried out</p> <p>Vaccine: Total doses are given 2,26,67,612 *Total doses are given' shows the number of vaccine doses given to people.</p> <p>People fully vaccinated 97,14,857</p> <p>How do I apply for the visa: All visas must be applied online through the Immigration ETA portal. Before you apply for your visa, you need to have a confirmed hotel booking, pre-purchased PCR tests and a mandatory COVID-19 Insurance Cover paid for through your 'Safe and Secure Level 1' hotel when making your booking. The hotel will issue a reference number which you need to include in your visa form under the section 'contact details'. There you will be asked for 'address in Sri Lanka' under which you need to indicate your hotel name, address, and the reference number issued.</p> <p>COVID-19 insurance: Traveller needs to pay USD 12 for a 1 month cover of USD 50,000 offered by People's Insurance PLC and it is a mandatory requirement when applying for your visa. Visit www.srilanka.travel/helloagain for information.</p>

	<p>How can I apply for the mandatory COVID-19 insurance cover: Visit www.srilanka.travel/helloagain for information and the site will direct you to the payment gateway. Going forward this payment will be facilitated through the tourism mobile app. 'Visit Sri Lanka'.</p> <p>Should travelers need to provide a Health Declaration Form: Yes. The completed Health Declaration Form (HDF) should also be submitted on arrival at the airport Health Counters and these HDFs will be given before boarding, on-board the flight or upon arrival. It can also be downloaded from www.srilanka.travel/helloagain.</p> <p>If the traveler is vaccinated, does he still need to do PCR tests on arrival: Yes. Currently, no exceptions would be made for vaccinations taken; all safety protocols should be adhered to regardless</p> <p>s</p>

Sweden	
Updated Date	01JUN2021 // NEW
Borders (open, closed)	Se below
Quarantine Details (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 info@snedmc.eu for accurate details
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	

Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	
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Other Key Information	<p><i>Quarantine/tracking details</i> Passengers must have a negative COVID-19 antigen, LAMP or PCR test result. The test must have been taken at most 48 hours before arrival.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- This does not apply to:- nationals and residents of Sweden;- passengers younger than 18 years;- merchant seamen.. <p><i>Airport limitations</i> None specified.</p> <p><i>Direct flight restrictions</i> Passengers are not allowed to enter until 31 May 2021.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- This does not apply to:- nationals of Sweden and their family members. More details on family members can be found at: https://polisen.se/en/the-swedish-police/the-coronavirus-and-the-swedish-police/faq/;- passengers with a residence permit issued by Sweden;- British nationals and their family members with proof of having submitted an application for residence status in Sweden;- nationals of Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland and Vatican City (Holy See) and their family members. More details on family members can be found at: https://polisen.se/en/the-swedish-police/the-coronavirus-and-the-swedish-police/faq/;- passengers arriving from Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain or Switzerland;- family members of passengers with a residence permit issued by Sweden. The residence permit must be issued with a validity of more than 3 months;- passengers with a residence permit issued by Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland or Vatican City (Holy See) and their family members. The residence permit must be issued with a validity of more than 3 months;- passengers with a national visa issued by Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czechia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland (Rep.), Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland or Vatican City (Holy See) and their family members. The visa must be issued with a validity of more than 3 months;- residents of Australia, Israel, Korea (Rep.), New Zealand, Rwanda, Singapore and Thailand;- merchant seamen;- military personnel;- students;

	<p>- passengers younger than 18 years traveling to meet a parent residing in Sweden, and accompanying persons;</p> <p>- parents traveling to meet their children younger than 18 years residing in Sweden..</p> <p><i>Transit</i></p> <p>Nothing specified</p> <p><i>Full IATA update</i></p> <p>https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm</p> <p>Additional information</p> <p><i>Domestic Restrictions</i></p> <p>The Swedish government is not restricting domestic travel. However, there are temporary recommendations which include keeping your distance, avoiding public transport and crowded areas. Public gatherings are limited to eight people.</p> <p>The Swedish Public Health Agency advises that it is important for everyone to maintain physical distance from other people, both while travelling and at the destination. Public transport is in operation, but frequency and capacity may be limited. From 7 January 2021 the Swedish Public Health agency recommends face masks on public transport.</p> <p><i>International Tourists</i></p> <p>The Swedish government has imposed restrictions on travel from the UK to Sweden and entry requirements on travel to Sweden for foreign nationals.A temporary entry ban applies to passengers arriving from countries outside the EU/EEA, including the UK, until 31 May. Some categories of passengers from the UK are exempt from this entry ban, including those who live in Sweden.</p> <p>The Government has decided to extend the general entry ban for foreign citizens who cannot present a negative COVID-19 test result on arrival in Sweden until 31 May 2021. Foreign nationals exempted from the entry bans must provide a negative COVID-19 test before entering Sweden. You can read more about the test requirements on the Swedish Border Police’s website. Some categories of travellers from the UK are exempt from the testing requirement, including those who live in Sweden.</p> <p>The Swedish government recommends that all passengers arriving in Sweden should self-isolate for seven days. They should also take a PCR test on the day of arrival and after five days. They should do this even if they have shown a negative COVID-19 test on arrival.</p> <p><i>Testing Information</i></p> <p>Foreign nationals, including from the UK, must provide a negative COVID-19 test before entering Sweden. The Swedish Border Police accept tests from an authorised provider. This test must be taken within 48 hours of arrival in Sweden.The Swedish government recommends that all passengers arriving in Sweden should self-isolate for seven days. They should also take a PCR test on the day of arrival and after five days. They should do this even if they have shown a negative COVID-19 test on arrival.</p> <p><i>Hotels, Bars & Restaurants</i></p> <p>Accommodation remains open in Sweden.</p> <p>Restaurants, bars and catering establishments must close at 8:30 pm. It is still possible for businesses to supply food for takeaway after 8:30 pm.</p> <p><i>Events/Mass Gatherings</i></p> <p>Public gatherings are also limited to 8 people. An exception is made for funerals, where up to 20 participants are allowed.</p> <p><i>Official Advice Site/Source</i></p> <p>https://www.folkhalsomyndigheten.se/the-public-health-agency-of-sweden/communicable-disease-control/covid-19/travel-to-and-from-sweden/</p> <p>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</p> <p>https://www.government.se/articles/2020/04/faqs--entry-to-the-eu-via-sweden-banned</p> <p>https://travelbans.org/europe/sweden/</p> <p><i>Related links</i></p>
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Updated Date	September 2 nd , 2021 / NEW
Borders (open, closed)	<p>As of June 26, anyone from a third country who is fully vaccinated can enter Switzerland for tourism or a visit. Conditions may apply including testing or quarantine, particularly for people arriving from countries with variants of significant concern. Holders of a Swiss passport or a valid residence permit may enter Switzerland from any country. For others, restrictions may apply.</p> <p>As of June 26, anyone from a third country who is fully vaccinated (with a vaccine recognised by the Swiss authorities) can enter Switzerland for tourism or a visit. Conditions may apply including testing or quarantine, particularly for people arriving from countries with variants of significant concern.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>Quarantine is no longer required for those vaccinated. This applies for contact and travel quarantine</p> <p>On June 23, the government announced a further reopening step starting June 26. As part of this, mask-wearing will no longer be required outside;</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	<p>The progression in new cases continued to slow.</p> <p>Coronavirus Cases 782861 Coronavirus cases who recovered 706721 Coronavirus Deaths 10996 Coronavirus cases the last 24 hours 3203 Coronavirus Death in the last 24 hours 0 Vaccinated people 58% of the population</p>
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>For public events no restrictions with certificate. Without certificate, obligation to be seated and limited to 1000 people. Without certificate, outside max. 500 people and inside 250 people.</p>
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	<p>Restrictions are still in place for travel to and transit in Switzerland for many countries. Exceptions are in place for, among others, fully vaccinated passengers and guests under 16 years of age. Passengers on planes must also mask up.</p>
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	<p>Open</p>
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Since May 31, indoor and outdoor areas of restaurants have been open. One person per group / table must leave contact-tracing details. Mask requirement upon arrival before being seated or without certificate.</p>
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	<p>Open, dance clubs and waterparks are open; and large events of up to 10,000 can take place provided people have a Covid certificate.</p>
Tourist Sites	<p>Mostly Open</p>


(open, closed, capacity limits)	
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Hair stylists, physiotherapists, florists and garden/DIY stores are open Additional businesses and schools are open. Mask requirement without Covid certificate
Transportation (public and private options)	Masks compulsory. Everyone aged 12 or older travelling on trains, trams, buses, mountain railways, cable cars and ships must wear face masks . Federal Railways conductors can ask anyone not wearing a mask to leave the train; anyone refusing will be fined.
Upcoming Key Dates	TBA
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	A forgery-proof Covid-19 certificate was made available on June 7 and is being rolled out across the country to anyone who has been vaccinated, has recovered from or has recently tested negative for coronavirus.
Other Key Information	

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Updated Date	April 12, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Partially closed <p>Authorities intend to allow vaccinated tourists to enter Phuket without on-arrival quarantine requirements from July 1 as part of its further reopening plan.</p> <p>Apparently Thailand has become stricter with the rules and is currently hospitalizing asymptomatic (no symptoms) people testing positive for COVID-19. People landing in Thailand from abroad will have to take an additional test, and if that is positive they’re sent to hospital. This might be an issue as travel/health insurance might not cover this hospitalization.</p> <p>Airports are still open & Thai authorities are not blocking foreigners leaving for the time being.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	7-days for vaccinated travelers: Visitors to Thailand will need to upload copies of the vaccination certificates on the website of the nation’s foreign ministry prior to arrival to reduce the quarantine period to seven days. The quarantine rule applies at the exact city of entry. If travelers are willing to quarantine in Phuket, their international flight must arrive in Phuket without a transit in Bangkok
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing An increasing number of cases have been recorded the past 10 days, which forced to government to take stricter lockdown measures and close many venues, especially in Bangkok

Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	Foreigners can transit at local airports beginning March 1.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Partially open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Partially Open
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	Open
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
Other Key Information	Face masks are only mandatory when using public transportation


Turkey	
Updated Date	as of August, the 18 th 2021
Borders (open, closed)	Borders are open. All domestic and international flights continue.
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p>NO quarantine and self-isolation are required when entering Turkey, except for South Africa, Brazil, Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, which will be quarantined for 14 days. Arrival of passengers coming to Turkey from Bangladesh, Brazil, South Africa, India, Nepal or Sri Lanka are suspended until further notice.</p> <p>Passengers arriving to Turkey from the United Kingdom, Iran, Egypt and Singapore must present a negative PCR test result taken in the last 72 hours prior to arrival to Turkey.</p> <p>Passengers from countries other than the above, who submitted a document issued by the relevant country's official authorities showing that they had been vaccinated at least 14 days before their arrival in Turkey and/or that they had recovered from the disease in the last six months, are not requested to submit a PCR test and quarantine; and passengers who cannot present a certificate of vaccination or documents indicating that they have had/recovered from the virus are required to submit the result of a negative PCR test or rapid antigen test (performed within the last 48 hours) in the last 72 hours.</p> <p>Wearing of face masks in public areas and temperature checks, medical screening and body scans at the airport upon arrival are a must.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Numbers show increasing trend since the opening on July 1 st . (daily new cases about 23.000 and death cases about 180) The country-wide vaccination campaign continues. (About 50 mill people have been vaccinated)
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>Since July 1st it is allowed to organize social gatherings and events of larger size groups. Social distancing is required in all cases. Face masks to be worn in shops, local markets, in all public transportation and in the rest of the public areas.</p> <p>Social distancing of 1.5 – 2 meters is required in all shops, offices, in restaurant and public areas. Cafes, restaurants, public & recreational parks, fitness centers, sports & social clubs are re-opened as of July 1st 2021, without time restrictions.</p>

Air (carriers flying to/from country)	All Airport ground operations are operating with full capacity. 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 (Turkish Airlines) continues to fly domestically and internationally to all international destinations (except a few countries)
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	All hotels are open. They operate under strict health and hygiene controls and measurement guidelines. (e.g. no buffets, staff wearing masks). All hotels are in strict control and obliged to 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.
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	All restaurants, cafes, are open as of July 1 st 2021. Bars and pubs are open July 1 st 2021. Restaurants are open without time restrictions. Restaurants operate with limited capacities and are strictly controlled by authorities.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	All event venues are open as of July 1 st . All types of events are allowed in certain regions and cities.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	All museums and historical sights are open and operate without capacity limits.
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	All retail stores, the Spice Bazaar and the Covered Grand Bazaar in Istanbul and shopping malls are open (Sundays they are all closed) No time and capacity restrictions are in place.
Transportation (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.
Upcoming Key Dates	Restrictions, Lockdowns and curfews to completely lifted July, 1 st 2021. Measures are eased and mostly lifted on these key dates. Nation-wide vaccination has gained speed since June, 1 st 2021.
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (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 operate under strict guidelines and criteria in line with the Certification Program implemented by the Ministry of Tourism. Please visit link for a sample certification program. Item a: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1DLiEiQcDiMc_Je3vsh9J-aOhC9UFfoBD/view?usp=sharing Item b: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1MmQgigmN9ah77SOwVdIFKfsJbJL7SF41/view?usp=sharing
Other Key Information	Turkey pursues a timeline and set of procedures regarding the keeping all services available and functional. For further detailed information on Covid-19 updates and to read the protocols, implementations of the “new normal”, please visit ODS Turkey website: https://www.ods.com.tr/covid-19-procedures/

United States – Hawai’i	
Updated Date	September 1, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	<p><u>Vaccination Exemption Program:</u></p> <p>As of July 8, 2021 travelers entering Hawai’i from the U.S. and its Territories who have been fully vaccinated in the U.S. (including its Territories) may bypass quarantine without a pre-travel test. The vaccination record document must be uploaded to Safe Travels Hawai’i and printed out prior to departure and the traveler must have a hard copy in hand when arriving in Hawai’i.</p> <p>The State of Hawai’i will also accept vaccine records that are digitally validated by Digital Health Pass Partners –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CLEAR - https://www.clearme.com/hawaii

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CommonPass - https://commonpass.org/howto?utm_source=hagov&utm_medium=glance&utm_campaign=hawaii <p>Pre-Travel Testing Exemption Program: Travelers who are not fully vaccinated or have been vaccinated outside of the U.S. and its Territories must upload a negative COVID-19 test to Safe Travels Hawai'i taken within 72-hours before their departure to Hawai'i.</p> <p>Safe Travels Hawai'i: Travelers inbound to Hawai'i must create a profile and upload trip information on Safe Travels Hawai'i. Vaccination and Pre-Travel Testing Exemption Programs documentation must be uploaded to travelers' Hawai'i trip and printed out prior to departure and hard copies in hand upon arrival to Hawai'i.</p> <p>Safe Travels Hawai'i site – www.travel.hawaii.gov</p> <p>For assistance with the Safe Travels Hawai'i site, you may call their Technical Service Desk between the hours of 10:00 am – 10:00 pm HST at (855) 599-0888.</p> <p>You may also email info@gohawaii.com for assistance.</p>
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Increasing numbers on most islands
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	Increasing cases have resulted in reducing the size of gatherings for both indoor and outdoor. Limits vary per island. Masks are required State wide
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	No change in which Airlines are flying into the state. Daily schedules and routes have been modified.
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Effective September 13, Honolulu County has enacted a 30 to 60 day vaccine pass mandate for restaurants, bars and gyms requiring all people (under the age of 12) entering to provide proof of vaccine. Additionally, all staff working in these establishments must also be vaccinated or show proof of negative Covid test weekly. Restaurants and Bars are at 50% capacity and limited to specific numbers of guest per table. Capacities varies per island. Face mask must be worn at all times when ordering or picking up food at all restaurants.
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Venues sizes are limited per island.
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Majority have re-opened with social distancing measures based on group size, face masks must be worn.
Retail Stores (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.
Transportation (public and private options)	Public transportation is operating and face masks are mandatory
Upcoming Key Dates	Ongoing
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives	Ongoing

(in progress, certification program, etc.)	
Other Key Information	For up to date information Vist https://hawaiiicovid19.com/travel/#travel-FAQs

Vietnam	
Updated Date	April 12, 2021
Borders (open, closed)	<p>Closed</p> <p>Foreigners remain banned from entering Vietnam, except foreign experts, investors, managers, skilled workers, and resident diplomats, among others. While short-term trips to Vietnam for leisure purposes remain banned, officials have started to reissue electronic visas to foreign nationals from 80 locations, including Australia, mainland China, India, Japan, New Zealand, the Philippines, South Korea, the UK, and the US.</p>
Quarantine Details (requirements for outside arrivals, locals on lock-down or stay at home)	All passengers, including incoming foreign experts and flight crew, must quarantine at centralized facilities for 14 days upon entry into Vietnam.
Cases (increasing, decreasing, flat)	Decreasing
Groups (limits on group gatherings, distancing requirements)	<p>Under lockdown rules, residents of Phu Hoa Ward in Thu Dau Mot, Ayun Pa and Ia Pa, in Gia Lai province, and in parts of Hoang Dong Commune, Du Hang Ward, and Kim Son Village in Hai Phong province are required to remain inside their homes unless leaving for essential purposes, such as purchasing food or seeking medical care.</p> <p>Officials are implementing business and gathering controls in Ho Chi Minh City following the confirmation of COVID-19 cases in the area. Activities involving large crowds are banned throughout Ho Chi Minh City. Authorities have also ordered the closure of several classes of nonessential establishments, including bars, cinemas, and sports facilities. Educational institutions are closed until further notice.</p> <p>Vietnamese authorities are slightly easing COVID-19 restrictions in Hanoi. Indoor restaurants are now open, though officials are requiring establishments to ensure social distancing between patrons. Schools are also authorized to resume in-person classes. However, operations at some types of businesses, including bars, clubs, and street restaurants, will remain suspended until further notice. Authorities also continue to require individuals arriving in Hanoi from areas of Vietnam with known COVID-19 activity to submit health declarations.</p> <p>Officials have lifted strict lockdown measures in most of Hai Duong Province from March 3. Several classes of nonessential businesses, including bars, entertainment facilities, salons, and tourist sites, remain closed throughout the province. Officials are also suspending in-person classes through at least March 17. Stricter controls, including a ban on all nonessential long-distance travel, are set to continue in Hai Duong City, Kinh Mon township, Cam Giang District, and Kim Thanh District. Officials require residents to avoid unnecessary movement outside their homes, though individuals are allowed to commute to and from work and purchase essential supplies. Public gatherings are limited to 10 or fewer people.</p>

	In various locations, including Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City, people have to wear facemasks when in public
Air (carriers flying to/from country)	
Hotels (open, closed, partially open)	Open
Restaurants (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Venues (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Tourist Sites (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Retail Stores (open, closed, capacity limits)	Open
Transportation (public and private options)	
Upcoming Key Dates	
Destination Safety and Sanitary Initiatives (in progress, certification program, etc.)	In progress
Other Key Information	