

ATPI Advisory

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ATPI Alerts Travel Opportunities per Country during Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Dear Valued Client,

The world is still changing by the hour during this COVID pandemic outbreak. Many travel bans are being eased or lifted and other countries still extend or expand their current travel bans. Airlines slowly start up their network again, although with lower capacity. Our daily update informs you in short about the latest information.

Please note that unexpected travel cancellations are taking place and airlines status may change at any given time without prior notice. The enlisted information is based on the officially announced governmental travel restrictions and quarantine measures, updated via our ATPI Alerts.

Areas & airports opening or softening restrictions

AREAS & AIRPORTS:

- **France:** Update: Travel will be allowed again as lockdown lifted; other restrictions remain in place
- **Finland, North Macedonia:** Flights from Skopje to Turku will resume on 19 December
- **Thailand:** Update: Government relaxes travel restrictions for citizens of 56 countries; 14-day quarantine, tests required on entry
- **Spain, U.K.:** Update: U.K. travelers with pre-booked accommodation permitted to travel to Tenerife despite border closure; Jet2 to operate flights as normal

AIRLINES / TRAIN:

- **Caribbean:** **Winair** will resume flights to Curacao and Aruba on 21 December
- **Ukraine:** Update: **Ukraine International Airlines** plans to restore its route network by next summer

Areas, airlines & airports imposing further restrictions

AREAS & AIRPORTS:

- **Netherlands:** Five-week lockdown imposed as COVID-19 cases increase
- **Slovakia:** Update: Non-essential movement will be banned until 10 January because of COVID-19

- **Uruguay:** Government to close borders between 21 December and 10 January because of COVID-19 concerns
- **Spain:** Government to close borders of island of Tenerife for 15 days from 18 December following rise in COVID-19 cases
- **Poland:** All hotels will close as country enters national quarantine from 28 December to 17 January
- **U.K.:** Authorities in Northern Ireland impose six-week COVID-19 lockdown
- **Australia:** Government restricts travel to Sydney from Victoria state amid COVID-19 concerns
- **Portugal:** Update: Prime Minister announces overnight curfew on New Year's Eve to reduce spread of COVID-19
- **Bulgaria:** Update: Government confirms extension of COVID-19 restrictions until 31 January
- **China:** Aviation authority will suspend inbound international flights if five or more tests positive for COVID-19
- **Switzerland:** Update: Basel City government extends COVID-19 restrictions until 22 January

AIRLINES / TRAIN:

- **South Africa: FlySafair** cancels some flights because of new COVID-19 lockdown restrictions
- **Netherlands: TUI Airways, Corendon Airlines** to cancel all flights to holiday destinations following reports of crowds at Amsterdam's Schiphol Airport

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The above (as uploaded in ATPI Alerts) are the most recent and urgent travel news. However, we suggest that you also follow the below links including updated news for any country of your interest.

IATA: <https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm>

IATA: <https://www.iata.org/en/programs/covid-19-resources-guidelines/covid-gov-mitigation/>

Travelport : <https://www.travelport.com/sites/default/files/2020-11/airline-policies.pdf>

Check the latest travel rules & restrictions for your trip here:

<https://apply.joinsherpa.com/travel-restrictions?affiliateId=americanairlines>

<https://klm.traveldoc.aero/>

Most importantly, make sure to safeguard your own health by following general hygiene rules and avoiding social gatherings. Responsibility is the key to overcoming those hard times and returning back to normal the soonest possible.

