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:

- **No update**

AIRLINES / TRAIN:

- France, Maldives: Update: **Air France** resumes flights to Maldives
- India: **Air India** will resume afternoon flights between Coimbatore and Chennai on 23 December
- Dominican Republic, Germany: **Condor** resumes flights from Frankfurt to Punta Cana

Areas, airlines & airports imposing further restrictions

AREAS & AIRPORTS:

- **Austria**: Update: Government to reportedly order third national lockdown from late-December until 18 January
- **Sweden, U.K.:** Update: Swedish authorities extend entry ban for citizens of non-EU countries until 31 March; post-Brexit exemption to apply to some British citizens
- **Mexico**: Authorities in Mexico City suspend nonessential activities because of surge in COVID-19 cases
- **U.S**.: Mayor of San Francisco orders mandatory quarantine for all incoming travelers
- **U.K**.: Update: Lockdown to be imposed starting 20 December for London, southeast England because of COVID-19
- **Netherlands, U.K.:** Netherlands ban passenger flights from the U.K. from 20 December

- **Belgium, U.K**.: Belgium to suspend flights, Eurostar trains from U.K. from 21 December for at least 24 hours because of COVID-19
- **Israel, U.K.:** Update: Israel bans flights from U.K. after new strain of COVID-19 detected
- Europe: Update: **Italy** joins Belgium, Netherlands in banning flights from **U.K**. because of COVID-19 concerns; Germany, France consider limiting, suspending flights
- **Kuwait, U.K**.: Update: Kuwait's civil aviation authority bans flights from U.K after country added to high-risk list
- Europe: Update: **Austria, Ireland** also plan to impose travel restrictions on flights from **U.K.** after new strain of COVID-19 detected
- **Bulgaria, U.K.:** Update: Bulgaria government suspends all flights between countries until 31 January
- **Germany, South Africa, U.K**.: Update: German government halts all passenger flights from U.K. and South Africa because of COVID-19 concerns
- **France, U.K**.: Update: French government will bar entry for 48 hours from night of 20 December to all people coming from U.K. by road, air, sea or rail
- **Sweden, U.K**.: Update: Swedish government will impose travel restrictions on passengers from U.K. after spread of new virus strain
- **El Salvador, South Africa, U.K**.: Update: El Salvador government bans travelers from South Africa, U.K. because of new COVID-19 strain
- **Saudi Arabia:** International flights and land and sea entry suspended for a week
- **Canada, U.K**.: Update: Canada joins entry bans on UK passenger flights amid COVID-19 second wave
- **Argentina, Chile, U.K**.: Update: Flights from U.K. suspended by Argentina and Chile amid COVID-19 second wave
- **Hong Kong, U.K**.: Hong Kong to ban all flights from U.K. from 22 December because of new strain of COVID-19
- **Europe, South Africa, Turkey**: Update: Turkey temporarily bans flights from U.K., Denmark, Netherlands, South Africa because of new strain of COVID-19
- **Morocco, U.K.**: Update: Morocco suspends flights between countries after new strain of COVID-19 detected
- **Iran, U.K.:** Update: Iran joins other countries in temporarily banning U.K. flights because of new strain of COVID-19
- **Poland, U.K**.: Update: Polish government suspends flights from U.K. from 22 December because of new strain of COVID-19
- **Norway, U.K.:** Update: Norway suspends flights from U.K. for at least 48 hours with immediate effect because of COVID-19 concerns

AIRLINES / TRAIN:

- Bangladesh, Saudi Arabia: **Biman Bangladesh Airlines** cancels all its flights to Jedda, Riyad, Dammam from 21 December for one week because of COVID-19

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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.