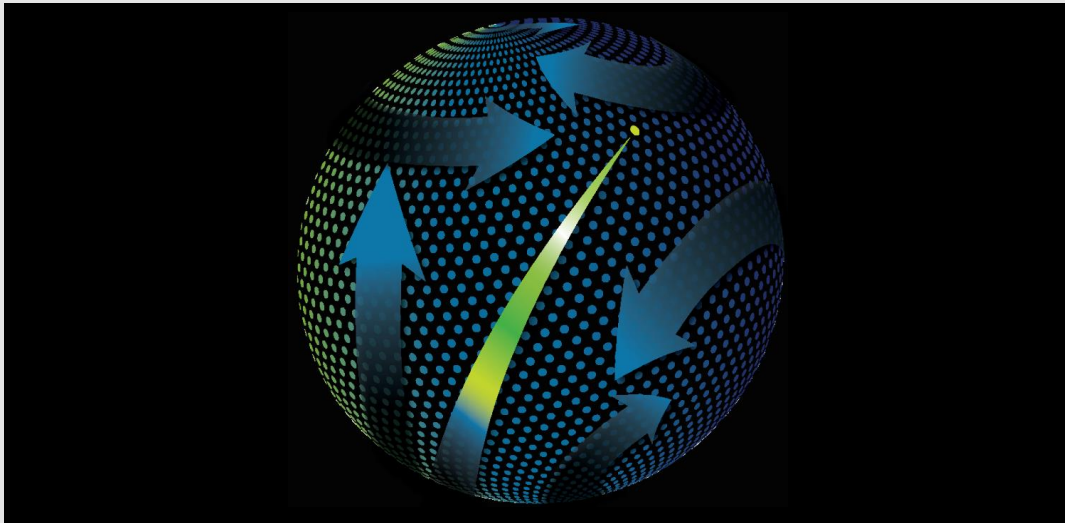


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The COVID-19 pandemic is a rapidly evolving situation, and authorities across the globe frequently update their travel advisories and immigration policies in response to the outbreak situation on the ground. In this series of news alerts, we will provide you with the latest news to keep you up to date on the developments in our region.



For the latest country-specific travel restrictions and immigration information in relation to COVID-19, visit gowork.ges.deloitte to view Deloitte's digital travel map (beta release).

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Hong Kong

New Zealand to be specified as medium-risk group B specified place

Government of the Hong Kong special administrative region (SAR) | 10 November 2021

With effect from 17 November 2021, New Zealand will be specified as a medium-risk group B specified place. Fully vaccinated persons who have stayed in group B specified places in the 14 days before arrival will be subject to a 14-day compulsory quarantine at designated quarantine hotels (DQH), with four tests to be conducted during the period, followed by a seven-day self-monitoring period and compulsory testing on the 16th and 19th days of arrival.

Hong Kong residents who are not fully vaccinated will be subject to a 21-day compulsory quarantine at DQHs, with six tests to be conducted during the period. Non-Hong Kong residents who are not fully vaccinated will not be allowed entry. For more details on the various boarding and quarantine requirements, please click [here](#).



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India

Latest guidelines for international arrivals

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare | 11 November 2021

Under the latest guidelines for international arrivals effective from 12 November 2021, children under five years of age are exempted from both pre- and post-arrival testing. However, if found to be symptomatic for COVID-19 on arrival or during the home quarantine period, they shall undergo testing according to the established protocol.

In addition, travellers from [specified at-risk countries/regions](#) will be required to abide by the following protocol:

- Travellers arriving from countries/regions with which India has reciprocal arrangements for the mutual acceptance of World Health Organisation-approved COVID-19 vaccines (category A):
 - If they are fully vaccinated, they shall be allowed to leave the airport and they should self-monitor their health for 14 days.
 - If they are partially/not vaccinated, they shall be required to submit a sample for the post-arrival COVID-19 test at the point of arrival, after

which they will be allowed to leave the airport. They will then be required to undergo home quarantine for seven days, with a re-test on the eighth day of arrival. If the re-test is negative, they will conduct a further self-monitoring of their health for seven days.

- Travellers arriving from countries/regions other than those covered in category A, irrespective of their COVID-19 vaccination status, will be required to submit a sample for the post-arrival COVID-19 test at the point of arrival, after which they will be allowed to leave the airport. They will then be required to undergo home quarantine for seven days, with a re-test on the eighth day of arrival. If the re-test is negative, they will conduct a further self-monitoring of their health for seven days.



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Taiwan

Taiwan to allow the entry of foreign workers

Taiwan Centres for Disease Control | 11 November 2021

With effect from 11 November 2021, foreign workers will be allowed to enter Taiwan under a Ministry of Labour program, provided that the relevant pandemic prevention measures are followed.

Before arrival, foreign workers must undergo a polymerase chain reaction (PCR) test, and be isolated according to the 'one person per room' rule 72 hours prior to boarding the flight to Taiwan.

Upon arrival, they will be quarantined at a group quarantine facility for 14 days after taking a throat saliva test (for PCR testing). Before the end of the 14-day quarantine, they will be required to undergo another PCR test. Then, they must undergo a seven-day self-health management period at a location to be designated by the Ministry of Labour after the end of their quarantine.



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Nationwide epidemic alert to remain at level two until 29 November 2021

Taiwan Centres for Disease Control | 11 November 2021

The Central Epidemic Command Center has announced that it will maintain the level two epidemic alert until 29 November 2021. More details on what level two entails can be found in the link below.



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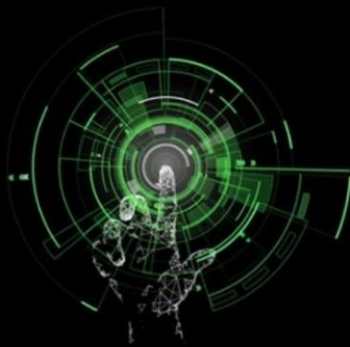
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