

Coronavirus Update

Date – 27th October 2021

INDIA

India is maintaining the declining trend in Covid cases and there has been an overall decline in positivity cases.

India announced new guidelines for International Arrivals last week. Government of India has agreed for mutual recognition vaccination certificate for individuals fully vaccinated with Nationally recognized or WHO recognized COVID-19 vaccine and those exempting Indian citizens fully vaccinated with Nationally recognized or WHO recognized vaccines. These countries have been listed as Category A which are also defined in below link (*Countries (from where travelers) to follow additional measures*).

E Visa available on website - <https://indianvisaonline.gov.in/evisa/tvoa.html>

Please refer to following documents for easy reference:

[Algorithm](#)

[Guidelines for International Arrivals](#)

[Countries \(from where travelers\) to follow additional measures](#)

In brief, these are the following guidelines:

1. All guests shall be mandatorily required **Negative RTPCR** test report which should be within 72 hours of departure and test report has to be uploaded on [Air Suvidha Portal](#).
2. All guests shall be mandatorily required to submit self-health declaration form on Air Suvidha Portal with test report. Please find the link wherein guests can submit the self-declaration and RT PCR / Covid report - <https://www.newdelhiairport.in/covid19> (top right on Air Suvidha) before

the scheduled travel and will be required to declare their travel history (of past 14 days).

3. All guests are required to submit online declaration with respect to authenticity of the report and to abide by the decision of the government authority to undergo self-health monitoring for 14 days or as warranted.
4. At Delhi airport, on arrival RTPCR test will be conducted once again at the designated area and exit the airport. Travelers from specified Countries at risk [as mentioned above] will follow the protocol as detailed below:
 - a. If traveler is coming from a Country with which India has reciprocal arrangements for mutual acceptance of WHO approved COVID-19 vaccines **(Category A)**:
 - i. **If fully vaccinated***: They shall be allowed to leave the airport and shall self-monitor their health for 14 days' post arrival.
 - ii. **If partially/not vaccinated**: The travelers need to undertake the following measures:
 1. Submission of sample for post-arrival COVID-19 test at the point of arrival after which they will be allowed to leave the airport,
 2. Home quarantine for 7 days,
 3. Re-test on the 8th day of arrival in India and if negative, further self-monitor of their health for next 7 days.
 - b. If traveler is coming from a Country excluding those covered under **Category A**, they would be required to undergo the measures as mentioned in para-a (ii) above, irrespective of their COVID-19 vaccination status.

The active COVID-19 cases in India comprise 0.48 per cent of the total infections, the lowest since March 2020 -- the active caseload at present is 162,661. The national COVID-19 recovery rate was recorded at 98.19 per cent, highest since March 2020. Meanwhile, India's cumulative COVID vaccination coverage has exceeded 1 Billion of landmark.

The number of corona virus cases in India is now as follows:

Overall Data (Updated on 27th October)

Total Cases	Active Cases	Recovered	Deaths
34,215,653	162,661	33,597,339	455,653



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