

## Coronavirus Update

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The coronavirus case count in Nepal now stands at 18,094 cases, with 12,684 recovered according to latest health ministry figures. 42 deaths are reported due to the virus. In view of decreasing COVID-19 cases, the government has lifted the nationwide lockdown from 21<sup>st</sup> July (Tuesday). Nepal has announced to open doors to welcome tourist from 17<sup>th</sup> August 2020 with following certain health protocol including social distancing measures. Both domestic and international flights will be operational from this date. Restaurants and Hotels will also be operational from 30<sup>th</sup> July with strict protocols / restrictions on large parties and receptions. Trekking and mountaineering expedition will also be allowed to operate.

Meanwhile Nepal Tourism has launched “Covid-19 Safety and Hygiene Protocol for Tourism Industry” and the same can be shared on request.

We continue to monitor the situation and will update you as and when required. For the latest updates you may visit <https://covid19.ndrrma.gov.np>