

Coronavirus Update

Date – 10th January 2022

SRI LANKA

Sri Lanka has started to give third booster shot of the Pfizer vaccine to all citizens above 20 years. Sri Lanka will unveil its vaccination drive to children aged between 12 and 15, from January 7.

So far Sri Lanka has fully vaccinated over 75% of its 22 million people. The country depends on international tourism, and partially rolled back COVID-19 restrictions late quarter of 2021, allowing fully vaccinated travelers with a negative test to enter without quarantine.

Total of 190,000 tourists had arrived in Sri Lanka in the year 2021, giving a boost to the country's tourism industry which took a blow due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

Fully vaccinated clients can travel to Srilanka without any quarantine restrictions. All tourist attractions are open for fully vaccinated guests.

Key points to note for Tourists:

Prior to Boarding

- Apply for your Visa on-line via (eta.gov.lk)
- Fully Vaccinated guests are free to make all ground arrangements. Any vaccination type accepted by the country of origin will be accepted. Review all guidelines on <https://www.srilanka.travel/helloagain/>
- Have a “Negative” PCR Test within 72hrs prior to embarkation (Children below 2 yrs. are exempted)
- Please carry the original vaccine certificates/ Digital Certificates
- Ensure that you have a comprehensive a travel Insurance Policy which would cover health and other expenses including Covid-19 related. Visit

www.visitsrilanka.gov.lk to pay for COVID 19 Local Insurance Cover which will be MANDATORY From 1st January 2022. If traveling with Children, the policy should cover them as well

On Arrival

- Not required to pay for PCR Test or for the Local Insurance Cover
- Just fill out the Health Declaration Form and you are free to travel

The coronavirus case count in Srilanka now stands as follows according to latest health ministry figures.

Overall Data (Updated on 10 January 2022)

Total Cases	Active Cases	Recovered	Deaths
591,667	9471	567,077	15,119

For the latest updates you may visit <https://srilanka.travel/covid19/>