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# Resources for Flight Departments **COVID-19 Outbreak**

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## Current Situation

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The death toll from the COVID-19 pandemic that originated in Wuhan, China was recorded at 89,426 as of April 9, while the total number of confirmed cases has reached 1,529,968 worldwide. As of April 9, the first COVID-19-related deaths were recorded in **Malta** and **Somalia**.

In Brazil, on April 8, the governor of Sao Paulo extended the quarantine implemented in the state until April 22. Colombia will introduce gender-based movement restrictions in Bogota on April 13-27. On April 8, the government of Costa Rica extended the closure of borders to both residents and non-citizens until April 30. The government of Paraguay announced on April 8 that ongoing travel restrictions will be extended until April 19.

Cambodia announced on April 9 that any individuals who left to another province for the Khmer New Year celebrations despite the ban will be required to undergo 14 days of isolation at a government facility before returning to work. On April 8, India made it compulsory to wear masks when outdoors in Mumbai, Delhi, and Uttar Pradesh. Furthermore, the Supreme Court of India directed the central government on April 8 to make all COVID-19 tests free of cost, even those conducted by private agencies.

France will extend the ongoing lockdown beyond April 15, however, authorities have not yet announced the duration of the extension. President Emmanuel Macron is slated to address the nation on the topic on April 13. On April 8, The Supreme Court of Russia extended quarantine restrictions until April 30, while Switzerland extended the current lockdown measures until April 26.

The US Embassy in Cairo, Egypt reported on April 9 that a direct flight is available from Cairo to London on April 12. The Jordanian Minister of Information reportedly stated on April 9 that a nationwide curfew will be imposed from 00:01 (local time) on April 10, effective until 23:59 on April 11. According to Oman's official news agency, a lockdown will be imposed on Muscat Governorate from 10:00 (local time) on April 10 until 10:00 on April 22.

Ivory Coast has extended the night-time curfew to April 24 on April 8. The National Assembly of Mauritania adopted a bill authorizing the government to take all measures necessary to fight the virus and its effects through ordinance on April 8. The US Embassy in Niger announced on April 9 that a repatriation flight is scheduled for April 10.

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## Anti-Foreign Sentiment & Civil Unrest

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In addition to the various government-implemented measures and health risks associated with COVID-19, a number of other risks, particularly related to civil unrest and xenophobia have arisen throughout the world.

The **Americas** have reported instances of civil unrest and violent xenophobia. For instance, thousands of inmates escaped from four prisons in Sao Paulo, Brazil after being told their temporary exits were canceled, and violent unrest was recorded in prisons throughout Colombia in response to the lack of protection for inmates from contracting COVID-19. Nurses in Mexico City, Mexico protested the shortage of supplies and protective equipment. Anti-foreign sentiment has materialized in violent incidents, particularly physical abuse towards Chinese nationals, across the USA .

Several countries and territories across **Asia** have witnessed protests, most notably Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, and Thailand. Such protests have been held against designated quarantine centers, perceived inadequate responses to controlling the outbreak, or to call for a ban on Chinese travelers. Online campaigns with noted anti-China sentiment have circulated in Japan, Indonesia, and Singapore, while Australia reported a spike in racism against Chinese Australians from late January. Protests were also held in Indonesia against the arrival of Chinese travelers, while multiple businesses and restaurants in the aforementioned countries, as well as South Korea and Vietnam, have denied services to Chinese nationals .

In **Europe**, when Ukrainian citizens were repatriated to Lviv and Poltava, violent unrest was recorded outside clinics and hospitals by concerned locals afraid of contracting the virus. Several instances of physical abuse towards Asian nationals have been reported across the UK. Prisoners in Italy have protested their living and health conditions amid the pandemic and Yellow Vests protests in Paris, France, which are frequently violent, continue to occur every week despite the COVID-19 gathering restrictions. Further, violent unrest has been recorded on the borders of Cyprus, as dozens of protesters attempted to break through barricades .

At the time of writing, instances of civil unrest and anti-foreign sentiments directly related to the COVID-19 pandemic in **MENA** have been scarce. In an isolated incident on March 15, an Israeli citizen of Indian descent was attacked in the city of Tiberias by two men who reportedly mistook him for being Chinese and therefore perceived him as being infected with the virus. President of Iran Hassan Rouhani stated on March 22 that Iran refused to receive assistance from the US to combat the COVID-19 outbreak, because "America is accused of creating the virus", which will serve to increase the already high anti-Western sentiment in the country. Localized incidents of civil unrest by citizens objecting to COVID-19 safety regulations were recorded in Egypt, Israel, Tunisia, and Turkey.

Anti-foreign incidents have been reported in multiple countries in **Sub-Saharan Africa**. In Kenya, this has included protests against Chinese travelers, as well as violent incidents targeting Asians. Additional incidents have been reported in Ethiopia, with both verbal harassment and small-scale violence. This has grown to include harassment of people who appear to be European in Kenya as well as in Cameroon, Ivory Coast, and Senegal. This trend is likely to continue given that the vast majority of cases in Africa are imported from Europe and COVID-19 is increasingly viewed in many African countries as a disease spread by white people.

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## Locations with Confirmed Cases of COVID-19

<b>Asia</b>	Afghanistan, Armenia, Australia, Azerbaijan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei, Cambodia, China, East Timor, Fiji, French Polynesia, Georgia, Guam, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Macau, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, New Zealand, Northern Mariana Islands, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Sri Lanka, Taiwan, Thailand, Uzbekistan, Vietnam
<b>Americas</b>	Anguilla, Antigua & Barbuda, Argentina, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Curacao, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Falkland Islands, French Guiana, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guatemala, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Martinique, Mexico, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Peru, Panama, St. Barthelemy, St. Martin, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Suriname, the Grenadines, Trinidad & Tobago, Uruguay, USA, Venezuela
<b>Europe</b>	Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Canary Islands, Croatia, Czech Republic, Cyprus, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kosovo, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, the Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland UK, Ukraine, Vatican City
<b>Middle East &amp; North Africa</b>	Algeria, Bahrain, Egypt, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Oman, Palestinian Territories, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Tunisia, Turkey, UAE
<b>Sub-Saharan Africa</b>	Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, CAR, Cape Verde, Chad, Congo, Djibouti, DRC, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, eSwatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mayotte, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Reunion, Rwanda, Sao Tome & Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, Somaliland, South Africa, South Sudan, Sudan, Togo, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe

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## Travel Advisories & Measures

Multiple countries have issued travel advisories or taken measures in relation to the Coronavirus. New updates since the previous report have been bolded.





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### Americas

Country	Measures
<p><b>ANGUILLA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 3 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government has closed all the air and seaports until April 4 as per March 26 reports. All travelers from outside the Caribbean will be quarantined for 14 days upon arrival.</li> <li>The British Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) updated its travel advisory for the country advising against all but essential international travel. Individuals are advised to remain in their residences except for seeking medical care and purchasing essential commodities until April 10.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ANTIGUA &amp; BARBUDA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Those who traveled to China, France, Germany, Iran, Italy, Japan, Singapore or South Korea within 28 days of arrival will be denied entry.</li> </ul>



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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 19 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As of March 30, gatherings with over 10 people are prohibited. Authorities announced a 24-hour curfew from April 2-9 on March 31.</li> <li>The government announced that all ports of entry are closed until at least April 14. A full lockdown is in effect until April 9, and the state of emergency has been extended to May 24.</li> <li>Authorities confirmed the first two deaths in Antigua and Barbuda on April 8.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The British Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) updated its travel advisory noting the extension of the ongoing nationwide lockdown on April 8. The lockdown has been extended until 06:00 (local time) on April 16.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ARUBA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 77 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 14</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government declared a nationwide mandatory full-day quarantine. The 'Shelter in place' orders will remain in effect until April 20.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ARGENTINA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,795 Confirmed Deaths: 65 Recovered Cases: 358</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Controls were tightened at checkpoints and tolls leading towards Buenos Aires as of March 23.</li> <li>The government announced the suspensions of repatriation of Argentines stranded abroad until further notice on March 25. Retired security personnel have been deployed to enforce quarantine measures.</li> <li>3,200 individuals have been charged nationwide for violating quarantine provisions per March 25 reports.</li> <li>The government extended the nationwide quarantine until April 12. Only supermarkets, pharmacies, public and private hospitals, and service stations will be allowed to remain open.</li> <li>Commuter train lines in the Buenos Aires Metropolitan Area will reduce services until April 12. All five lines will operate on Sundays and other scheduled holidays.</li> <li>The country's air, land, and sea borders will remain closed to foreign nationals until at least April 17.</li> <li>The government extended the ban on public events and large gatherings in Buenos Aires province until April 15.</li> <li>Air Canada announced an additional flight from Buenos Aires scheduled for April 10 at 10:00.</li> <li>The Central Bank confirmed that financial entities will operate between April 13-17, extending the usual hours by 2 hours.</li> <li>As of April 7, local authorities of multiple departments, including Jujuy, La Rioja, Misiones, Salta, Santiago del Estero, have mandated the use of face masks in public places.</li> <li>Ethiopian Airlines will operate a repatriation flight from Buenos Aires to Sao Paulo, Brazil on April 11.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BAHAMAS</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Foreign nationals will be banned from entering the Bahamas as of March 19. Nationals returning from abroad must self-quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>A nationwide curfew will take effect from March 21 between 21:00-05:00 amid an ongoing state of emergency. Many non-essential businesses will be closed.</li> </ul>

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<p>Confirmed Cases: 40 Confirmed Deaths: 7 Recovered Cases: 5</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government extended the State of Emergency (SoE) until April 8. Individuals will be required to remain self-isolated in their residences. Pharmacies will operate between 09:00-13:00.</li> <li>• A nationwide lockdown will take effect April 8 at 20:00 (local time) through April 14 in the morning, banning all nonessential travel and closing all businesses deemed non-essential. Additional lockdowns are to occur every Friday at 21:00 (local time) until Monday at 05:00 (local time) through April 30.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government released a shopping schedule amid the nationwide lockdown on April 6. The schedule provides the days of the week and the timings at which the public can go for essential food shopping based on the first letter of their last name.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BARBADOS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 63 Confirmed Deaths: 3 Recovered Cases: 8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government expanded its quarantine protocol to include all passengers arriving from Italy to the country as of March 7. It has also issued an advisory warning against nonessential travel to Italy as of March 7.</li> <li>• Local authorities announced the closure of all businesses with a few exceptions during this period.</li> <li>• Acting Prime Minister Sanita Bradshaw announced that a 24-hour curfew will come into effect on April 3 until April 15.</li> <li>• The British FCO advised citizens to return to the UK at the earliest on April 3.</li> <li>• Authorities have confirmed the first COVID-19-related death on April 5.</li> <li>• The second COVID-19 related death has been confirmed April 6.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BELIZE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 8 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All European nationals, as well as those from China, Hong Kong, Iran, Japan, and South Korea, will be banned entry. The restrictions also apply to travelers who have stayed anywhere in Europe or one of the other aforementioned countries during the last 30 days preceding their trip to Belize.</li> <li>• Belize banned all public events of more than 100 people as of March 16.</li> <li>• All remaining border crossings will reportedly close by March 23. The closures will be reviewed after 30 days. Belize nationals may enter through the Santa Elena border crossing, but exits from the country will not be permitted except in emergencies.</li> <li>• Philip Goldson Airport (BZE) in Belmopan will suspend operations from March 23 after the last flight is out for the day, for 30 days. The Santa Elena border crossing remains open for Belizean nationals, residents, and diplomats as of March 23.</li> <li>• The country's Prime Minister announced the first case of COVID-19 on March 23.</li> <li>• The Prime Minister proposed a 30-day State of Emergency (SoE) in Belize, which took effect on April 1. The measure also includes a nightly curfew between 20:00-05:00.</li> <li>• Belize announced its first COVID-19 related death on April 5.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BERMUDA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 39</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities announced on March 30 that a nightly curfew will be in effect between 20:00-06:00.</li> <li>• As of April 3, commercial flights via LF Wade International Airport (BDA) are suspended until at least May 1. A repatriation charter flight is expected to depart to Atlanta on April 7.</li> <li>• As of April 3, the nightly curfew has been extended until April 18.</li> <li>• Authorities confirmed Bermuda's first two COVID-19 related deaths on April 7.</li> </ul>

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<p>Confirmed Deaths: 3 Recovered Cases: 23</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> As of April 8, authorities have implemented heightened movement restrictions, including a 24-hour shelter-in-place order, as per which individuals are only permitted to leave their homes for shopping of essential commodities such as food and medicines.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BOLIVIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 264 Confirmed Deaths: 18 Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Campaigning for upcoming elections was suspended.</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of all international flights to and from the country on March 17. Additionally, all land borders will be closed to non-residents.</li> <li>• President Jeanine Anez announced a mandatory nationwide quarantine from 00:00 on March 22 effective for 14 days. Everyone will be required to remain in their primary residence except for the purchase of essential goods, medical care, or working in essential services. All public and private transportation will be prohibited except for those purposes as well.</li> <li>• The government declared a national health emergency, extending border closures to April 15 on March 25. Restrictions on movement have been tightened with only one person per household allowed to go out between 07:00 - 12:00 (local time) during weekdays. The circulation of private vehicles is also banned, with some exceptions for security and health purposes.</li> <li>• The Minister of Health confirmed Bolivia's first death from COVID-19 on March 29 in the worst affected region of Santa Cruz de la Sierra.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on April 6 that all international flights will be suspended April 18.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BRAZIL</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 16,195 Confirmed Deaths: 822 Recovered Cases: 127</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities announced on March 14 the banning of gatherings of over 500 individuals.</li> <li>• Sao Paulo declared a state of emergency as on March 17.</li> <li>• President Jair Bolsonaro defied restrictions on March 15 by partaking in a pro-government demonstration in Brasilia.</li> <li>• Over 1,000 inmates escaped from prisons in Sao Paulo on March 16 following tensions over recently imposed restrictions. Several guards are being held hostage as of March 17.</li> <li>• President Jair Bolsonaro announced a partial closure of the Brazilian border with Venezuela on March 17. The measure will not impact the transfer of goods.</li> <li>• Brazil announced that it will ban citizens of the EU, China, Japan, Australia, Malaysia, and South Korea from entering the country. As of March 19, all land borders have been closed for 15 days.</li> <li>• The State of Sao Paulo will shut down for 14 days from March 24 in an attempt to curb the spread of COVID-19. All nonessential businesses and services will be closed.</li> <li>• A regional court has annulled President Jair Bolosnaro's decree that excluded churches, religious temples and lottery houses from quarantines imposed by regional governments.</li> <li>• Brazil's borders will be closed for 30 days from March 30 by land, sea, and air to all foreign nationals except for residents.</li> <li>• A court injunction published on March 30 prohibits demonstrations in Goias during quarantine.</li> <li>• On April 5, Rio de Janeiro confirmed the first four cases of COVID-19 in Rocinha, the largest favela in Brazil.</li> </ul>


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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brazil recorded its highest single day increase in the number of deaths from COVID-19 on April 7 with 114 new deaths.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The governor of Sao Paulo extended the quarantine implemented in the state until April 22. Essential services such as hospitals, dental clinics, banks, supermarkets, and public transport will continue to operate during this period.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CANADA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 19,438        Confirmed Deaths: 435        Recovered Cases: 4,653</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air Canada has suspended all flights as of March 11 until May.</li> <li>• Cruise ships carrying more than 500 people will not be allowed to stop in Canada at least until July 1.</li> <li>• Canada announced it will ban the entrance of non-citizens on March 16.</li> <li>• WestJet announced the suspension of all commercial operations of international, including transborder, flights from March 22.</li> <li>• Via Rail announced the suspension of Montreal to Halifax, Toronto to Vancouver, and the Jasper-Prince George-Prince Rupert services until May 1.</li> <li>• The Canada-US border will be closed to nonessential travel from 23:59 on March 20 until April 20. Trade between the two countries will not be impacted.</li> <li>• First death was reported in Montreal on March 25.</li> <li>• Quebec has been placed on partial lockdown prohibiting all non-essential businesses from March 25.</li> <li>• Government announced mandatory self-quarantine measures for all incoming travelers from March 26.</li> <li>• Prime Minister Justin Trudeau announced on March 28 that individuals who show COVID-19 symptoms will be barred from boarding any domestic flight or trains.</li> <li>• Windsor International Airport (YQG) in Windsor, Ontario stated on April 1 that all commercial flights to and from the airport are suspended.</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of all commercial flights in and out of the country from April 2.</li> <li>• The city of Terrebonne limits shopping at large-scale stores to residents of region, banning area workers that are cross-border commuters per April 6 report</li> <li>• After overcoming US regulations, Canada reached an agreement with a US-based supply company on April 6 to secure a vital supply of face-masks after depleting stockpiles.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CHILE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 5,546        Confirmed Deaths: 48        Recovered Cases: 1,115</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LATAM Airlines canceled 30 percent of its international flights, predominantly between Latin America and Europe and the USA, between April 1 and May 30.</li> <li>• President Sebastian Pinera announced the prohibition of cruises at all Chilean ports on March 15.</li> <li>• Chile's borders closed for 15 days from March 18 by land, sea, and air to foreign nationals. This does not affect the entry and exit of cargo. Fines and prison sentences for non-compliance with quarantine measures are enforced. The Policia de Investigaciones (PDI) announced on March 16 that it will suspend public services in its offices around the country to prevent the congregation of people.</li> <li>• Any Chilean citizens returning to the country will be permitted to enter but will have to self-quarantine for 14-days, as per March 18 orders.</li> <li>• President Sebastian Pinera declared a 90-day state of catastrophe on March 18. A military official will oversee the measure, set to take effect on March 19.</li> <li>• A curfew will be imposed on a nightly basis between 22:00-05:00 (local time) from March 22 onwards.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• LATAM Airlines announced the suspension of all its remaining international routes until May. Flights between Santiago and Sao Paulo will operate on a limited basis.</li> <li>• Six communes in Santiago, including Lo Barnechea, Vitacura, Las Condes, Providencia, Nunoa, Santiago will remain under quarantine until April 9. Quarantine for the commune of Independencia will end on April 2.</li> <li>• The government announced on April 2 that although the four hours of authorization to go to the supermarket are maintained, this can be done -at maximum- twice a week.</li> <li>• The total quarantine in the communes of Temuco and Padre Las Casas has been extended until April 11.</li> <li>• No one will be allowed to enter or leave the Santiago Metropolitan region and the Gran Concepcion area between 18:00 on April 9 and 22:00 on April 12 during the Easter holiday.</li> <li>• Permits to go to supermarkets or pharmacies will be given only twice a week nationwide, per April 4 reports.</li> <li>• The police force will begin inspection of public compliance with sanitary measures on April 7 at 08:00 (local time).</li> <li>• As of April 8, individuals will be required to wear face masks while using public or private transport .</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities will end quarantine measures in several neighbourhoods of the Santiago Metropolitan area on April 13 and will extend the quarantine period in the other areas until April 16.</li> </ul>
<p><b>COLOMBIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,054 Confirmed Deaths: 55 Recovered Cases: 123</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Individuals who do not comply with restrictions will be criminally investigated.</li> <li>• From March 23, international passenger flights will be suspended for 30 days and both foreign and Colombian nationals will be banned from entering the country during this time.</li> <li>• A "complete quarantine" has been declared nationwide from 00:00 on March 25 until 23:59 on April 13, with mandatory home confinement ordered.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on March 24 that between 4,000 and 15,000 inmates will be allowed to serve their sentences in house arrest due to the COVID-19 outbreak.</li> <li>• The Mayor of Bogota, Claudia Lopez, stated on March 30 that quarantine measures could last until June.</li> <li>• La Ceja municipality has closed its borders until April 13. The government will limit inter-city travel. The closing of borders does not apply to healthcare and administrative personnel.</li> <li>• All international flights to Colombia are suspended until April 22, while land and sea borders are closed until May 31. Cargo transportation will be allowed for the entry and exit of products through authorized land points.</li> <li>• Spirit Airlines will operate humanitarian flights to Fort Lauderdale, USA on April 6 from Bogota and Medellin.</li> <li>• President Ivan Duque announced on April 6 that the nationwide quarantine will be extended until April 27.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities will introduce gender-based movement restrictions in Bogota on April 13. The restrictions will remain in place until April 27.</li> </ul>



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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>COSTA RICA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 502            Confirmed Deaths: 3            Recovered Cases: 29</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Costa Rica enacted health screenings for anyone entering who has been to China within 14 days.</li> <li>• Authorities confirmed the country's first case of COVID-19 on March 6. The patient is reportedly a US citizen who had direct contact with a positive COVID-19 patient in New York prior to visiting Costa Rica.</li> <li>• Costa Rican authorities have canceled mass events and instructed the public sector to telecommute starting March 10.</li> <li>• The government ordered the closure of all bars and clubs and urged theatres and restaurants to reduce their capacity by half on March 15.</li> <li>• The government banned all foreign citizens and non-residents from entering the country from March 19.</li> <li>• Costa Rica declared a state of emergency on March 16.</li> <li>• The government confirmed the country's first death from COVID-19 on March 18. The individual was an 87-year old who was quarantined in the city of Alajuela.</li> <li>• The British Foreign Commonwealth Office (FCO) stated on April 2 that all commercial flights had stopped operating to and from Costa Rica.</li> <li>• A nightly curfew is in place from 17:00-05:00 until at least April 7. All nonessential businesses must be closed until April 12.</li> <li>• All private vehicle movement will be prohibited between April 8-12. Breaking the ban may result in fines.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government has extended the closure of borders to both residents and non-citizens until April 30.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CURACAO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 14            Confirmed Deaths: 1            Recovered Cases: 7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A 24-hour curfew is in effect in Curacao until April 12.</li> <li>• As of April 3, 'Shelter in place' orders will be in effect until April 20.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CUBA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 457            Confirmed Deaths: 12            Recovered Cases: 27</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health authorities confirmed the country's first three positive cases of COVID-19 on March 11.</li> <li>• On March 16, Cuba authorized the docking of a British cruise ship with five confirmed cases on the island.</li> <li>• Cuba confirmed its first death from COVID-19 on March 18. The individual was a 61-year old Italian national.</li> <li>• Cuba banned the entry of all foreign tourists from March 23 for a period of 30 days. Foreign residents and citizens will be allowed to enter but will be quarantined for 14 days at a designated health institution.</li> <li>• Cuba-based Cubana de Aviacion announced the cancellation of all its flights until April 24.</li> <li>• Authorities announced the indefinite suspension of all international arrivals into the country including travelers from all nationalities, but excluding cargo shipments on March 31.</li> <li>• Flights between Cuba and the USA were suspended from April 1 according to the US Embassy in Cuba.</li> </ul>





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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cuba suspended the arrival of all passenger flights into the country on April 2 and cancelled the May Day parade scheduled for May 1.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities have introduced curfews in Santiago de Cuba and Pinar del Rio provinces as of April 9.</li> </ul>
<p><b>DOMINICA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 15 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dominica has banned all travel to and from China.</li> <li>• The country's Health Minister announced the first case of COVID-19 on March 22. The individual is a Dominica national who recently returned from the UK. On March 23, authorities confirmed a second COVID-19 case.</li> </ul>
<p><b>DOMINICAN REPUBLIC</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,111 Confirmed Deaths: 108 Recovered Cases: 50</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An Italian individual who entered the country from Italy without any symptoms was confirmed as the first case in the country, as of March 1.</li> <li>• All international travel will be indefinitely suspended from 06:00 (local time) on March 19. The country's land, sea, and air borders will remain closed for 15 days.</li> <li>• The government ordered the suspension of all inbound commercial flights and ships, as well as the closure of schools and entertainment centers from March 19 for 15 days. Outbound flights will continue to transport foreign travelers to their home countries.</li> <li>• All public transport will be indefinitely suspended from March 21, including buses by private operators.</li> <li>• The government announced on March 30 that members of the Armed Forces and National Police have increased patrolling during the day to enforce curfew measures. The curfew has been revised and will be in effect from 17:00-06:00 everyday.</li> <li>• President Danilo Medina announced the extension of the nightly curfews for 15 days, starting April 3.</li> <li>• On April 4, Dominican Republic authorities announced a new ban on travel between municipalities.</li> <li>• The government confirmed on April 6 that domestic travel restrictions will not apply to manufacturers, transporters, and merchants.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ECUADOR</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4,450 Confirmed Deaths: 242 Recovered Cases: 140</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President Lenin Moreno announced on March 16 that the movement of people and vehicles will be restricted throughout the country from March 24. Movement will be allowed only to buy food and medicines or to travel to hospitals and workplaces.</li> <li>• Ecuador declared a state of emergency on March 16, closing all public services apart from healthcare.</li> <li>• From March 23, restrictions have been implemented in supermarkets in Guayaquil, including children and elderly citizens will be prohibited from entering the markets. Further, the use of masks will be mandatory for both buyers and sellers.</li> <li>• On March 25, President Moreno announced the continuation of the nationwide curfew from 14:00 – 05:00 (local time), with no clear end date and with strict penalties for violators.</li> </ul>




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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has prohibited the entry of foreign travelers and residents until at least April 5.</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of all humanitarian flights until the end of the quarantine period of individuals who returned from the USA on March 23.</li> <li>• As of April 3, social events will be banned throughout April and May. International flights will remain suspended throughout April.</li> <li>• Ecuador recorded its highest single day increase in cases on April 2, with approximately 450 new cases.</li> <li>• The last scheduled commercial flight to the US is on April 10, departing from Guayaquil to Miami. US citizens have been urged to make travel arrangements for April 10 or prepare to remain in Ecuador indefinitely.</li> <li>• As of April 6, individuals will be required to wear masks in public spaces.</li> <li>• The government applied new vehicle restrictions on April 6 according to which vehicles will be allowed to circulate one day per week between Monday-Friday based on the last digit of their license plate, 1-2 on Mondays; 3-4 on Tuesdays; 5-6 on Wednesdays; 7-8 on Thursdays; 9-0 on Fridays. Vehicles will not be allowed to circulate on Saturdays and Sundays.</li> <li>• Entry of foreign nationals will be prohibited until April 30.</li> </ul>
<p><b>EL SALVADOR</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 103 Confirmed Deaths: 5 Recovered Cases: 10</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 11, President Nayib Bukele announced a 30-day nationwide quarantine due to the COVID-19 outbreak. All foreign travelers are prohibited from entering El Salvador for 21 days. This will not apply for nationals, permanent residents, or diplomats, who can enter but will be subject to 30-days in quarantine.</li> <li>• President Nayib Bukele ordered the army to imprison foreign nationals attempting to enter the country on March 13.</li> <li>• El Salvador International Airport (SAL) will be indefinitely closed as of March 16.</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of deportation flights of Salvadorian nationals from Mexico and the USA until further notice on March 18.</li> <li>• President Nayib Bukele ordered a 30-day nationwide quarantine on March 21. Individuals will be required to remain in their primary residence except for the purchase of essential goods or working in essential services.</li> <li>• The government announced the first COVID-19 related death on March 31.</li> <li>• President Nayib Bukele announced on April 6 that the nationwide quarantine will be extended until May 5.</li> <li>• The government announced on April 6 that security forces have been ordered to enforce quarantine measures more rigorously, including the confinement of offenders in "containment centers" and confiscation of cars.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GRENADA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 12 Confirmed Deaths: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• From March 18, foreign nationals who have been in the following countries within 14 days of arrival will not be permitted entry into Grenada: China, France, Germany, Iran, Italy, South Korea, Spain, and the UK.</li> <li>• The British Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) announced the closure of all airports in Grenada for commercial flights on March 23 with some flights still available to the UK.</li> <li>• The nation-wide State of Emergency (SoE) remains in effect as of March 31. Additionally, a 24-hours-per-day curfew will be in effect from March 30-April 6.</li> <li>• US-based Delta airlines has canceled flights between Grenada to Atlanta scheduled for April 4.</li> </ul>




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<p>Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities stated that a COVID-19 positive individual managed to leave the island with his family, without confirming where they went on April 1.</li> </ul>
<p><b>FALKLAND ISLANDS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 5        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Falkland Islands has confirmed its first case of COVID-19, according to a statement from April 3. The patient has been hospitalised since March 31 and is now in stable condition.</li> </ul>
<p><b>FRENCH GUIANA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 83        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 43</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• French Guiana confirmed its first five cases of COVID-19 on March 4. The five infected had recently returned from France after attending a religious gathering in February.</li> <li>• Travel prohibitions have been introduced between 17:00 - 05:00 (local time) from March 25.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GUADELOUPE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 141        Confirmed Deaths: 8        Recovered Cases: 43</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities confirmed the first death on the island from COVID-19 on March 20.</li> <li>• A curfew is in effect from 20:00-05:00 (local time) since April 1 as part of their COVID-19 response.</li> <li>• The government has extended the curfew until at least April 15. Visits to supermarkets, pharmacies, and essential workplaces are still permitted.</li> <li>• Prefect Philippe Gustin announced on April 7 that renting of hotel rooms, vacation homes, and tourist accommodations will be banned at least until April 15.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GUATEMALA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 87        Confirmed Deaths: 3        Recovered Cases: 17</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Guatemala confirmed its first case of the virus on March 13.</li> <li>• Guatemala confirmed its first death from COVID-19 on March 15 in an individual who returned from Madrid, Spain on March 6.</li> <li>• The government banned all foreign entrants other than permanent residents from March 17. Guatemalan citizens and accredited diplomats will be allowed to enter the country by land but will be subject to mandatory quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>• President Alejandro Giammattei announced the extension of the nationwide curfew between 16:00-04:00 (local time) and border closures until April 12. All nonessential businesses will close while essential businesses including grocery stores, pharmacies, and gas stations will remain open.</li> <li>• Repatriation flights have been scheduled for April 3-4 between Guatemala City and Houston, TX, USA.</li> <li>• The government announced between April 5-12, citizens will no longer be able to travel between departments. All recreational activities within these dates including visits to beaches, lakes, and rivers will be prohibited.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Guatemala requested the USA to limit the number of deportees to Central America to 25 on April 6 after two individuals from a deportation flight tested positive for COVID-19.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>GUYANA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 37 Confirmed Deaths: 6 Recovered Cases: 8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 11, Guyana reported its first case of COVID-19 in a woman who also died. She reportedly visited the USA.</li> <li>Guyana suspended all international flights from March 18 for two weeks from the Cheddi Jagan International Airport (GEO) in Timehri and Eugene F. Correia International Airport (OGL) in Ogle. Outbound flights for cargo deliveries, medivac, fuel stops, and special authorized flights will continue to operate.</li> <li>Aviation authorities stated that they will extend existing flight suspensions until May 1, which includes Cheddi Jagan International Airport (GEO) in Timehri and Georgetown-Ogle Airport (OGL).</li> <li>Authorities announced that a curfew is in effect between 18:00-06:00 (local time) until May 3, non-essential businesses are closed, and gatherings exceeding five people are prohibited.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HAITI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 27 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Haiti declared a State of Emergency (SoE) on March 19 and closed its borders. A curfew will be imposed from March 20 between 20:00-05:00 (local time).</li> <li>The British Foreign Commonwealth Office (FCO) stated on April 4 that Haitian authorities have announced a new requirement for all individuals to wear facial masks in public as a precaution against COVID-19.</li> <li>Officials recorded Haiti's first COVID-19-related death on April 5.</li> <li>Authorities announced on April 6 that intermunicipal transport between Le Cayes and Port-au-Prince will be suspended until further notice.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HONDURAS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed cases: 343 Confirmed deaths: 23 Recovered Cases: 6</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Honduras declared a state of emergency until April 12. The decree suspends work in the public and private sectors, bans the holding of all events, including religious celebration, and suspends transport services. Outdoor travel is only allowed in case of buying essential goods, emergencies, and those traveling to work in "essential" sectors.</li> <li>The closure of all land, air, and sea borders has been extended until March 29. Foreign nationals wishing to leave may do so with authorization. Essential services will be permitted to make deliveries throughout this period.</li> <li>The first death in Honduras was announced on March 26.</li> <li>The Honduran National Police announced further bans limiting travel to grocery stores, pharmacies, gas stations and banks based on national identity cards until April 12 on March 29.</li> <li>The US Embassy in Honduras released a Health Alert on April 5 regarding limited flight options for departures from Honduras, and an ongoing strain on domestic health services. US citizens who wish to depart Honduras have been advised not to wait due to decreasing flight availability.</li> <li>As of April 7, all individuals will be required to wear face masks in public places.</li> <li>United Airlines will operate a repatriation flight from San Pedro Sula to Houston, TX, USA on April 13.</li> <li>The government introduced restrictions on circulating outside the residence based on the last digit of national identification cards, passports, or resident cards. Individuals with 1, 2, and 3 as the last digit will be allowed to leave their</li> </ul>

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	<p>homes on Mondays; 4, 5, and 6 on Tuesdays; and 7, 8, 9, and 0 on Wednesdays between 09:00-15:00.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JAMAICA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 63        Confirmed Deaths: 4        Recovered Cases: 10</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jamaica declared the island a disaster area on March 13.</li> <li>• Jamaica confirmed its first death from COVID-19 on March 18.</li> <li>• The government announced that quarantine will be lifted from Bull Bay, Seven Miles, Eight Miles communities in St Andrew on March 28.</li> <li>• The government announced the closure of all air and seaports to incoming passenger traffic until at least April 5.</li> <li>• Gatherings of more than 10 people are prohibited, while all persons aged 75 years or over are to remain at home for 14 days, as of March 25.</li> <li>• The government will implement a nationwide curfew from April 1 until at least April 8. Individuals will be required to remain in their accommodations from 20:00 - 06:00 (local time). Essential services providers are exempt from the curfew.</li> <li>• Anyone who enters Jamaica after March 21 must remain in quarantine for 14 days from the day of entry.</li> <li>• As of April 3, air and seaports are closed to arriving aircraft and ships.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on April 4 that the existing suspension of all inbound international flights would be extended through to at least April 18.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government announced on April 8 that the curfew timings for the Easter holidays from April 10-13 have been expanded. The curfew during this period will commence at 15:00 local time and end at 07:00 (local time).</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>MARTINIQUE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 154        Confirmed Deaths: 6        Recovered Cases: 50</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Consulate General of Haiti in Martinique will remain closed as of March 17.</li> <li>• Only citizens, residents, and travelers on non-deferrable professional travelers are allowed entry until April 15. Those entering the country will be subject to mandatory quarantine for 14 days. Outbound travel will be authorized on a case-by-case basis.</li> <li>• A curfew is in effect from 20:00-05:00 (local time) since April 1 as part of their COVID-19 response. Additionally all restaurants have been asked to stop operations by 19:00 every day.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>MEXICO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 3,181        Confirmed Deaths: 174        Recovered Cases: 633</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ride-hailing application Uber has reportedly suspended over 200 accounts in Mexico from February 1 due to concerns of drivers having come into contact with the virus.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on March 15 the suspension of school and university classes nationwide between March 23 and April 17.</li> <li>• The US Embassy in Mexico announced the suspension of visa services from March 18. Consulates will continue to provide essential consular services to US citizens as well as emergency visas.</li> <li>• Interjet will indefinitely suspend all international flights from March 24. Domestic routes continue to operate.</li> <li>• Nonessential travel via the US-Mexico border will be restricted from March 21 for 30 days. Individuals crossing the border for work, medical appointments, or to pursue education will not be affected. Lawful trade and commerce will not be impacted.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Immigration authorities temporarily halted the processing of asylum applications on March 24, in order to limit the spread of COVID-19, with plans to resume April 20.</li> <li>• The government announced that it will suspend all nonessential activities from March 26.</li> <li>• Terminals 3 and 4 of Cancun International Airport (CUN) have been partially closed as of March 31.</li> <li>• The federal health secretariat announced on March 30 the extension of core activities in public, private, and social sectors until April 30. Events with over 50 people will be banned.</li> <li>• Mexico declared a national health emergency on March 30.</li> <li>• A Guatemalan migrant was confirmed dead, with 14 injured following a detention center riot in south Mexico on April 1 after concerns regarding COVID-19 were raised.</li> <li>• Additional restrictions imposed on US government personnel have been lifted as of April 3. US government personnel remain subject to normal movement and curfew restrictions in Nuevo Laredo.</li> <li>• Aeromexico, Interjet, and Volaris have canceled flights to and from San Antonio International Airport in San Antonio, TX from April 4.</li> <li>• Mexico recorded its highest single day increase in the number of COVID-19 cases on April 6, with 296 new cases.</li> <li>• The British FCO issued an advisory on April 7 stating certain hotels are not accepting reservations and foreign nationals are permitted at certain hotels only for humanitarian reasons.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The British FCO issued an advisory on April 8, warning against all cross-border travel during the Holy Week from April 10-13 amid the ongoing travel restrictions.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NICARAGUA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 6        Confirmed Deaths: 1        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nicaragua confirmed its first case of COVID-19 on March 18 in a 40-year old Nicaraguan national who is likely to have contracted the virus in Panama.</li> <li>• Airlines are indefinitely suspending flights to and from Managua over the coming days. Spirit Airlines will suspend flights from March 24, American Airlines from March 27, and United Airlines from April 1.</li> <li>• First COVID-19 related death was reported on March 26. The victim was reportedly suffering from multiple illnesses.</li> <li>• Aeromexico announced on April 6 the suspension of all its flights from Managua from April 9. After the final April 9 Aeromexico flight, there will be no commercial flights between Nicaragua and the USA until at least early May.</li> </ul>
<p><b>PANAMA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,528        Confirmed Deaths: 63        Recovered Cases: 16</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities reported the country's first case of COVID-19 as per March 10 reports. The patient reportedly returned from Madrid, Spain.</li> <li>• Health authorities confirmed the first death from COVID-19 on March 10.</li> <li>• The government announced on March 15 that only Panamanians and foreign residents would be allowed to enter Panama starting 23:59 on March 16.</li> <li>• All commercial international flights to and from Panama will be suspended from March 22 at 23:59 for 30 days. However, cargo, humanitarian, and domestic flights will remain operational.</li> <li>• The ongoing nationwide curfew has been extended to a 24-hour measure beginning March 25 with some exceptions but no specified end date.</li> </ul>





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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government suspended all domestic travel on March 25.</li> <li>• The Center for Disease Control (CDC) issued an alert advising against all nonessential travel to Panama on March 26.</li> <li>• Authorities introduced a new measure on April 1 where women would be allowed to leave their homes Monday, Wednesday, and Friday with men allowed on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. No one will be allowed to leave their residences on Sundays.</li> <li>• As of April 3, the two US military repatriation flights scheduled for April 4 and 5 have been cancelled.</li> <li>• The British Foreign Commonwealth Office (FCO) stated on April 4 that a significant decrease in transportation availability, including taxis and ride-share services, has been recorded in the country in recent days.</li> <li>• A humanitarian flight for US citizens is scheduled for April 11, with US citizens urged to make travel arrangements or prepare to stay in the country indefinitely.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PARAGUAY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 124        Confirmed Deaths: 5        Recovered Cases: 18</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 7, authorities confirmed the first case of COVID-19 in Paraguay.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on March 14 that all of the country's border crossings will be shut down until further notice. The measure reportedly affects individuals but not goods. Paraguayan nationals, residents, and accredited diplomatic personnel will be permitted to enter the country, however, they will be subject to mandatory self-quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>• Paraguay announced its first death from the COVID-19 virus on March 20.</li> <li>• All international flights to and from the country will be suspended from 23:59 on March 22, for 30 days. Domestic and cargo flights will operate as normal.</li> <li>• As of March 21, the government has banned all nonessential movement nationwide. Exemptions are made for essential services and activities, including seeking healthcare or obtaining supplies. This is expected to continue until at least March 28</li> <li>• The US Embassy in Asuncion issued a health alert regarding border closures in the country from March 25-29, with exceptions to cargo.</li> <li>• Authorities announced the extension of the total quarantine until April 12.</li> <li>• All bus services from Asuncion to other locations will be suspended from April 5.</li> <li>• As of April 2, the activities of the Senate will be suspended until after April 12 as a member of the upper house tests positive for COVID-19.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government announced that the implemented travel restrictions will be extended until April 19.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>PERU</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4,342        Confirmed Deaths: 121        Recovered Cases: 1,333</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government declared a health emergency on March 11, a measure that will last 90 days.</li> <li>• The armed forces and the police have been deployed across the country to ensure compliance with imposed restrictions.</li> <li>• Roads leading to Lima and Jorge Chavez International Airport (LIM) will be closed until March 31. The airport serving the capital city of Lima will remain closed for the entire quarantine period.</li> <li>• The government announced more stringent measures for individuals who violate curfews on March 27. Citizens who disregard isolation and compulsory social immobilization will automatically be listed in the Registry of Non-compliance.</li> <li>• The US Embassy in Peru will organize busses for US citizens from the Ica region to Lima from March 31 for their return to the USA.</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President Martin Vizcarra extended the curfew hours to 18:00-05:00 for most of the country except Tumbes, Piura, Lambayeque, La Libertad, and Loreto, with curfew hours in these regions beginning at 16:00 until April 12.</li> <li>• Per April 1 reports, President Martin Vizcarra has called on 10,000 reservists to rejoin in order to enforce stay-at-home orders and patrol streets, with daily fines levied on reservists who refuse to serve.</li> <li>• Gender-based movement restrictions will come into effect on April 3. Men will be allowed to leave their residences on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays; on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays only women will be allowed to go out. All individuals are restricted from leaving their residences on Sundays.</li> <li>• The government decreed a mandatory social immobilization for April 9-10.</li> <li>• The government announced on April 6 that additional repatriation flights will operate on April 8-9. There are three designated locations in Miraflores and San Isidro to board buses for the US Embassy in Lima, from where US citizens will be transported to the Peruvian Air Force Base.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government extended the ongoing state of emergency until April 26.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities will lift some of the ongoing gender-based movement restrictions on April 13.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SAINT LUCIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 14 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Department of Health and Wellness increased its travel restrictions on foreign nationals who, within 14 days, traveled to China, Hong Kong, Italy, Singapore, and South Korea both in-transit and originating. Any national that returns from these countries will be quarantined for 14 days.</li> <li>• Authorities confirmed the island's first two confirmed COVID-19 cases on March 14.</li> <li>• Authorities have banned all gatherings of more than 10 people from 18:00 (local time) on March 20.</li> <li>• Government implemented a nationwide curfew until 05:00 (local time), April 7.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SAINT VINCENT &amp; THE GRENADINES</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 8 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities confirmed the island's first confirmed COVID-19 case on March 12.</li> <li>• From March 23, travelers from China, the UK, USA, and countries of the European Union will be required to quarantine for 14 days upon entering. Individuals may be denied entry if they exhibit symptoms of COVID-19.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ST. BARTHELEMY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 6 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As of March 10, the official number of confirmed cases remained at three, with the other previously suspected cases dismissed.</li> <li>• Only citizens, residents, and travelers on non-deferrable professional travelers are allowed entry until April 15. Those entering the country will be subject to mandatory quarantine for 14 days. Outbound travel will be authorized on a case-by-case basis.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>ST KITTS &amp; NEVIS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 11        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The British Foreign Commonwealth Office (FCO) updated its travel advisory regarding border closures in the country to all passengers, including local nationals, residents and foreign nationals until April 7 on March 25.</li> <li>• The curfew will remain in effect until at least April 8. Individuals who do not work in a designated essential sector will be required to remain self-isolated for the aforementioned period.</li> <li>• The borders will be closed to all arriving passengers. Access will be unavailable through all ports to nationals, residents, and foreign nationals.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ST MARTIN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 32        Confirmed Deaths: 2        Recovered Cases: 7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Prime Minister confirmed the island's first two confirmed COVID-19 cases on March 1.</li> <li>• The Consulate General of Haiti in St Martin will remain closed as of March 16.</li> <li>• The government implemented restrictions on all nonessential movement on March 25 effective through March 31.</li> <li>• Individuals who have traveled to China, Hong Kong, Iran, Italy, Japan, Korea, Macau or Singapore within 14 days prior to arrival will be denied entry into the country as per March 26 reports.</li> <li>• Only citizens, residents, and travelers on non-deferrable professional travelers are allowed entry until April 15. Those entering the country will be subject to mandatory quarantine for 14 days. Outbound travel will be authorized on a case-by-case basis.</li> <li>• The regional prefecture announced St Martin's first death from COVID-19 on March 29.</li> <li>• The government has implemented a daily curfew from 20:00 - 06:00 (local time) as of March 31.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government has extended the nationwide lockdown until April 15.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SURINAME</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 10        Confirmed Deaths: 1        Recovered Cases: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suriname confirmed its first case of COVID-19 on March 13 in an individual who had recently traveled to the Netherlands.</li> <li>• Authorities announce that a curfew will be imposed on a nightly basis between 20:00-06:00 (local time) from March 29 until at least April 12.</li> </ul>
<p><b>TRINIDAD &amp; TOBAGO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 107        Confirmed Deaths: 8        Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has barred all foreign entry, although individuals may be permitted to leave Trinidad and Tobago, per March 22 reports.</li> <li>• The government reported the first COVID-19 death on March 25. The victim was an elderly male with pre-existing medical conditions.</li> <li>• Authorities announced a two-week nationwide lockdown effective from March 30 at least until April 13. Individuals will only be able to leave their homes for essential needs, limited exercise, and work-related reasons. All educational institutions and shops except for grocery stores, pharmacies, and gas stations remain closed. Security forces will reportedly enforce the measure.</li> <li>• Stay at home measures will be in place for non-essential workers until April 15, and schools and universities are closed until April 20.</li> </ul>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>URUGUAY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 456 Confirmed Deaths: 7 Recovered Cases: 192</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stay at home orders will remain in place until April 30.</li> <li>• Cruise ships will be banned from docking in Uruguay.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on March 15 that classes in schools and universities will be suspended for two weeks nationwide from March 16 due to the COVID-19 outbreak.</li> <li>• Uruguay will ban all flights from Europe as of March 20.</li> <li>• The government announced the total closure of the country's border with Argentina on March 16. Uruguay has jointly closed its border with Brazil except for returning citizens as of March 22.</li> <li>• The government closed borders to foreigners, except residents or citizens of Mercosur countries in transit to their places of origin on March 25. Prohibitions have also been placed on citizens leaving the country for tourism.</li> <li>• Authorities confirm first death from COVID-19 on March 28.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Interior has stated that local law enforcement officials will be establishing checkpoints across the country from April 1-12.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The US Embassy has notified that an Amazonas airlines flight is available from Carrasco to Sao Paulo in Brazil and from Sao Paulo to Houston in Texas USA on April 11.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>USA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 435,160 Confirmed Deaths: 14,797 Recovered Cases: 22,891</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign nationals who have traveled in the Schengen Area, as well as China, Ireland, Iran, and the UK within 14 days of their arrival in the USA will not be allowed entry. US citizens who have undergone the appropriate screenings are excluded from the new measure.</li> <li>• The government announced on March 12 that workers will be granted 14 days of paid sick leave and up to three months of paid family and medical leave. Free coronavirus testing will be guaranteed to all citizens.</li> <li>• President Donald Trump declared a national emergency on March 13.</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of cruises for 30 days from March 14.</li> <li>• Delta Airlines announced the suspension of all flights to continental Europe for 30 days from March 13. American Airlines announced on March 14 that it plans to cut 75% of its international flights between March 16 and May 6.</li> <li>• The US State Department issued a 'Level 4: Do Not Travel' global health advisory on March 19 asking citizens to avoid all international travel. The US has asked citizens to return immediately or prepare to remain abroad indefinitely.</li> <li>• The Canada-US border will be closed to nonessential travel from 23:59 on March 20 until April 20. Trade between the two countries will not be impacted.</li> <li>• Nonessential travel via the US-Mexico border will be restricted from March 21 for 30 days. Individuals crossing the border for work, medical appointments, or to pursue education will not be affected. Trade and commerce will not be impacted.</li> <li>• The Puerto Rican government announced the extension of the State of Emergency (SoE) and curfew until April 12 between 19:00-05.00 every day from March 31.</li> <li>• President Donald Trump signed a 2 trillion USD stimulus package that will deliver direct payments and jobless benefits for individuals, money for states, and a bailout fund for businesses.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>VENEZUELA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opposition leader Juan Guaido announced the rescheduling of assembly sessions and political tours on March 15.</li> <li>• The government enacted a nationwide quarantine from March 16. Residents must remain in their houses and nonessential economic activity has been suspended.</li> </ul>


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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 167        Confirmed Deaths: 9        Recovered Cases: 65</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has suspended all domestic and international flights to or from Venezuela as of March 18.</li> <li>• The government banned queuing for gasoline as part of the quarantine measures on March 17. The government announced that the available gas service stations can only be used by medical and military personnel, food transport companies or people with official pass on March 25</li> <li>• Venezuela has banned telecommunication services from being cut as of March 22 for six months.</li> <li>• The first death was reported in the country on March 26. The deceased suffered from an occupational disease along with COVID-19.</li> <li>• The US embassy stated that there is a singular flight available, departing from Caracas to Toluca, Mexico on April 9 at 09:00 (local time), where connections to the US are still possible.</li> <li>• President Nicolas Maduro ordered a nightly curfew between 16:00-10:00 in the border municipalities between Tachira and Colombia.</li> </ul>
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## Asia

Country	Measures
<p><b>AFGHANISTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 484        Confirmed Deaths: 15        Recovered Cases: 32</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Afghanistan has halted all land and air movement with Iran.</li> <li>• On March 22, Afghanistan declared its first COVID-19-related death.</li> <li>• With effect from March 28, the country's capital Kabul has been placed under a 21-day lockdown. All public and private offices, and markets, with the exception of those supplying essential services, will remain closed during this time.</li> <li>• Per April 3 reports, the World Bank has approved an aid plan worth 100 million USD for the country.</li> <li>• Authorities stated on April 5 that violators of the nationwide lockdown will be detained and placed in quarantine, while all government organizations continue to remain closed, except those offering essential services.</li> </ul>
<p><b>AUSTRALIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 6,104        Confirmed Deaths: 51        Recovered Cases: 2,987</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Qantas suspended flight operations to and from China until mid-July; Sydney-Shanghai flight suspended until mid-July; flights between Sydney, Melbourne, and Brisbane and Hong Kong reduced until September.</li> <li>• Jetstar cut international services by 90 percent until the end of May.</li> <li>• Virgin Australia suspended flights between Australia and Hong Kong due to a drop in demand. The suspensions include the airline's Sydney-Hong Kong and Melbourne-Hong Kong routes.</li> <li>• Australia shut its borders to all non-citizens and non-residents on March 20.</li> <li>• A state of emergency has been declared in the country, allowing authorities to close cities or regions, impose curfews and order people to quarantine.</li> <li>• Cruise ships are barred from entering Australian ports from foreign ports until April 15.</li> <li>• Prime Minister Scott Morrison announced a ban on overseas travel, which took effect on March 25.</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 24, the government introduced new restrictions on businesses, which took effect on March 25, closing entertainment venues and other nonessential services.</li> <li>• Starting March 28, all incoming passengers will be required to undergo the mandatory 14-day quarantine in hotels.</li> <li>• On March 29, the prime minister announced that public gatherings are limited to 2 people.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, Australia is urging all visitors and temporary visa holders to leave the country.</li> </ul> <p><b>Statewide Updates</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 19, the island of <b>Tasmania</b> announced that it will enforce a 14-day mandatory quarantine for all nonessential travelers coming from the mainland.</li> <li>• The <b>Queensland</b> government closed all borders on March 25. Per March 28 reports, police in <b>Queensland</b> are cracking down on violations of isolation laws; officers will begin issuing large fines to those caught failing to follow health directives. From April 3, all travelers are required to hold a permit to enter the state. The authorities in <b>Queensland</b> declared that all cruise ships will have to leave the port before midnight (local time) on April 8.</li> <li>• Multiple beaches in <b>Sydney</b> were closed on April 5. Authorities in <b>New South Wales</b> launched a criminal investigation into the disembarking of the Ruby Princess cruise ship in Sydney; over 600 passengers on the ship tested positive for the virus and 10 individuals died.</li> <li>• The <b>Northern Territory</b> ordered all new arrivals from interstate travel or overseas to go into a 14-day quarantine in a hotel starting April 1.</li> <li>• <b>Western Australia's</b> borders have been closed as of April 6. Only emergency and non-essential workers will be permitted entry. The state has a tally of 453 confirmed cases as of April 6.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ARMENIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 921 Confirmed Deaths: 10 Recovered Cases: 138</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Armenia declared a one-month state of emergency on March 16, while its borders with Georgia and Iran were closed. Foreigners from countries with a high incidence of COVID-19 will be barred, while citizens will only be allowed to leave via air travel.</li> <li>• Armenia has imposed a nationwide lockdown and closed all nonessential shops. Individuals are required to stay home except for buying food, receiving medical care, and exercise. On March 31, Armenia extended its national lockdown until April 10.</li> <li>• As of April 1, public transport in Yerevan has been suspended while roadblocks have been set up across the country.</li> <li>• Yerevan held a disinfection campaign in recent days to clean multiple supermarkets and public areas in the city.</li> <li>• On April 7, Armenia's Ministry of Foreign Affairs banned the entry of all foreigners to the country, except for diplomats, representatives of consular missions, and international organizations as well as those with special authorization to enter, in a bid to prevent the spread of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). Further, all individuals entering Armenia will be required to undergo mandatory self-isolation, failing which their movements within the country may be restricted.</li> </ul>





<p style="text-align: center;"><b>AZERBAIJAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 822 Confirmed Deaths: 8 Recovered Cases: 63</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Citizens or foreigners who recently visited countries with high numbers of COVID-19 cases will reportedly need to provide a medical certificate when applying for a visa to Azerbaijan.</li> <li>• On March 15, Azerbaijan announced the suspension of various international flights including to Paris, Berlin, and Nur-Sultan.</li> <li>• Per March 23 reports, Azerbaijan declared a special quarantine regime until April 20, allowing the government to enact a range of new measures and restrictions on movement. People over the age of 65 are banned from leaving their homes until April 20.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on March 25 that the border with Iran will remain closed until April 20.</li> <li>• Inter-city and inter-district transportation was suspended on March 29, while there will be no restrictions on traffic within the cities of Baku and Sumgait as well as the Absheron region.</li> <li>• On March 29, the Baku subway restricted operations to 07:00 - 09:00 (local time) and from 17:00 - 20:00. In addition, parks and other recreational centers will be closed.</li> <li>• Per March 30 reports, authorities will allow people to leave their homes only for emergencies, essential services, and vital work. All nonessential services are halted until April 20.</li> <li>• Effective from March 31, Azerbaijan suspended air and rail traffic with Russia, while the Samur border checkpoint continues to operate in a limited capacity.</li> <li>• Authorities announced they were considering declaring an emergency situation in the country on April 2. They also announced that police will begin the monitoring of individuals' movements through their electronic devices. From April 5-April 20, the government is to introduce restrictions on movement. Members and employees of the government, high-ranking local officials, and employees of essential services, among others, will be exempt.</li> <li>• Azerbaijan suspended entry and exit into the country via land and air from April 5 until April 20; the cross-border transfer of goods will continue.</li> <li>• Authorities warned on April 6 that severe measures will be taken against violators of the quarantine regime.</li> <li>• President Aliyev signed a decree on April 7 to build 6 modular hospitals to treat COVID-19 patients.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Under the current rules, residents must obtain permission via SMS before leaving their homes.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>BANGLADESH</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 330 Confirmed Deaths: 21 Recovered Cases: 33</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health authorities have advised individuals to avoid public gatherings and stay at home. On March 19, authorities in Bangladesh banned all religious, political, social, and cultural events, while the army took charge of quarantine centers.</li> <li>• Thermal scanners have been placed at points of entry to the country. It is now mandatory for returnees to register their names with hospitals.</li> <li>• Authorities urged Bangladeshi citizens abroad to refrain from traveling. On March 12, health authorities urged Bangladeshi citizens abroad not to return home.</li> <li>• From March 23 until further notice, authorities barred the entry of all foreigners from its land borders.</li> <li>• Authorities announced on March 23 that armed troops would be deployed to enforce previously enacted shutdown measures. Government and private offices</li> </ul>

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	<p>nationwide are closed until April 4; train service and domestic flights are also suspended during the period.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 26, Bangladesh suspended flights to all countries until April 15 except the UK and China.</li> <li>• On March 27, the flag carrier of Bangladesh suspended flights to London and Manchester in the UK for seven days from March 29.</li> <li>• All sporting events were suspended indefinitely from April 4. The ongoing shutdown has been extended until April 14; all public and private offices, except for essential services, will remain closed and public transportation suspended.</li> <li>• Authorities identified four COVID-19 clusters, and the Prime Minister ordered the lockdown of vulnerable areas on April 6.</li> <li>• All superstores in <b>Dhaka</b> are required to close by 18:00 (local time).</li> <li>• All entry and exit, except for those involved in providing emergency services, in <b>Chittagong</b> has been stopped as of April 7.</li> <li>• Authorities directed individuals to avoid all mosques and to have prayers at home.</li> <li>• Authorities in Bangladesh restricted movement in 12 additional neighborhoods of Dhaka, Gazipur City, Narayanganj, and Barisal City. Meanwhile, the Rapid Action Battalion (RAB) fined 50 individuals in Dhaka for violating social distancing rules on April 7.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Cox's Bazar District was placed under indefinite lockdown on April 8 while Jamalpur District was locked down from 21:00 (local time) on the same day.</li> <li>• Australia and the UK announced that they have taken initiatives to repatriate their citizens from Bangladesh. A chartered flight will be taking off on April 16 for Australian citizens. The UK has yet to announce a flight time.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BHUTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 5        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Border gates were closed as of March 23 until further notice, however, Bhutanese nationals overseas will be allowed to enter the country at any time.</li> <li>• Individuals in the country have been advised to stay at home and practice social distancing.</li> <li>• Authorities extended the quarantine period to 21 days starting March 31.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BRUNEI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 135        Confirmed Deaths: 1        Recovered Cases: 92</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 5, Brunei's Ministry of Health announced that individuals, including transit passengers, who have been to Iran or Italy as well as Hubei, Zhejiang, and Jiangsu provinces of China in the past 14 days will not be allowed entry into the country.</li> <li>• Per a US Embassy advisory on March 24, Royal Brunei Airlines suspended most routes until April 30; limited service will continue to Singapore, Melbourne, Hong Kong, and Metro Manila. Citizens and permanent residents as well as foreigners with green identity cards in Brunei require approval from the Prime Minister's Office to leave the country.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CAMBODIA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Ministry of Public Works and Transport reportedly suspended the entry of travelers through waterways as of March 13.</li> </ul>

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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 117        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 63</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Per March 14 reports, Cambodia has banned entry to visitors from Italy, Germany, Spain, France, and the US. The ban went into effect from March 17 for 30 days. Travelers from Iran were banned from March 18.</li> <li>• On March 17, the government released new guidelines. Citizens are advised to avoid nonessential travel to Europe, the US, and Iran, and Cambodians who recently returned from these places are ordered to self-quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>• The government announced the closure of its border with Vietnam from on March 20. The UK Foreign Services issued a notice on March 22 that the Cambodia-Vietnam land border has been closed, while Cambodia's border with Thailand closed on March 23. Multiple inter-country bus services between Cambodia and Laos were suspended as of March 25 as the border closed.</li> <li>• As of March 26, the country imposed restrictions on large gatherings, such as religious meetings, theaters, beer gardens, and karaoke bars.</li> <li>• The government suspended the visa exemption program and issuance of tourist visas, e-visas, and visas-on-arrival to all foreign nationals for one month on March 31.</li> <li>• The cabinet approved a draft law on a state of emergency as of March 31. The draft law provides powers to the government to take necessary measures for governing during an emergency.</li> <li>• 91 garment factories have suspended work as of April 1.</li> <li>• On April 6, Cambodia imposed a 14-day self-quarantine requirement for all foreigners entering the country and canceled new year celebrations that were slated to take place between April 13 and 16.</li> <li>• Authorities barred a flight, carrying approximately 150 Cambodian nationals from Malaysia, from landing at the Phnom Penh airport on April 7, prompting the cancellation of the evacuation flight.</li> <li>• Khmer New Year celebrations, initially scheduled from April 13 to April 16, have been postponed, per April 7 reports.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities announced on April 9 that any individuals who left its domicile to another province for the Khmer New Year celebrations despite the ban will be required to undergo 14 days of isolation at a government facility before returning to work.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CHINA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 81,865        Confirmed Deaths: 3,335        Recovered Cases: 77,370</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• China's aviation regulator requested its domestic airlines to reduce their respective international routes to only one per country and no more than one per week.</li> <li>• Authorities suspended the entry of foreign nationals with visas and residency permits from March 28 onwards, with the exception of those obtaining new entry permits through the Chinese Embassy in their respective countries.</li> <li>• No new deaths were reported in China during the last 24 hours, the first time since the beginning of the pandemic, per April 7 reports.</li> </ul> <p><b>Wuhan &amp; Hubei Province</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 25, travel restrictions to and from Hubei Province were lifted; measures in Wuhan will remain in effect, however, authorities announced the lockdown in the city will be removed on April 8.</li> <li>• The two month lockdown has started to be lifted in Wuhan; metro services restarted and borders were reopened, according to March 28 reports. Shopping malls are set to open in Wuhan, per March 30 reports.</li> <li>• Domestic flights have resumed in Hubei Province, except for Wuhan, as of March 30.</li> </ul>

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- Authorities have advised residents of Wuhan to stay indoors and maintain vigilance, ahead of the lifting of travel restrictions in the coming days. This is to prevent a second wave of infections.
- China announced on April 8 that it has lifted the two-month lockdown in Wuhan, allowing people to leave the city for the first time since the COVID-19 outbreak began.

**Beijing & surrounding areas**

- Authorities in Beijing have been requiring a 14-day self-imposed quarantine of all individuals who arrive in the Chinese capital. From February 26, authorities started requiring individuals arriving in the capital from COVID-19-hit countries to also go into a 14-day self-quarantine.
- Authorities tightened controls at Beijing Capital International Airport (PEK), as per March 15 reports. Any passengers arriving from abroad from March 16 will be transferred to a government facility to undergo 14 days of quarantine.
- International flights to Beijing were redirected to 12 other cities from March 23. The 12 cities receiving redirected flights are Tianjin, Shijiazhuang, Taiyuan, Hohhot, Shanghai, Jinan, Qingdao, Nanjing, Shenyang, Dalian, Zhengzhou, and Xi'an.
- The Foreign Ministry advised foreign diplomats to stop coming to Beijing, while reporting that they were aware of infections among foreign diplomats in China.



**Shanghai & surrounding area**

- Per March 22 reports, quarantine for those from severely infected areas is still in force, however, those who have traveled from slightly infected areas must submit to a mandatory coronavirus test.
- Authorities announced on March 26 that all travelers arriving in the city are required to undergo 14 days of quarantine. All inbound flights scheduled to land at Shanghai Hongqiao International Airport are being diverted to Shanghai Pudong International Airport.
- Shanghai's Oriental Pearl TV Tower, Jinmao Tower, and Shanghai Center have been closed to tourists as of March 30 until further notice.



**Other locations**

- Amid a rise in "imported" cases, **Guangdong** Province has imposed a mandatory quarantine period for travelers from virus-hit countries. The Guangdong health commission raised its risk level from low to medium in cities located in Guangzhou, Shenzhen, and Jieyang districts.
- Per March 17 reports, **Shandong** will tighten quarantine rules for those arriving from abroad. Individuals arriving in Shandong from abroad will be quarantined at home or in a designated place for 14 days.
- **Qingdao** has required incoming passengers to report their information to the city government 72 hours prior to arrival.
- **Jiangsu** Province began requiring any travelers with recent travel history to 24-infected countries to undergo 14 days of quarantine in a medical facility, from March 20.
- **Zhejiang** announced a 14-day mandatory quarantine in designated hospitals for asymptomatic patients as of March 30.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Henan Province</b> in central China has been placed under total lockdown as of April 1 as authorities try to fend off a second wave of coronavirus infections.</li> <li>• In <b>Guangxi Province</b>, authorities suspended in-and-out cross-border movement with Vietnam.</li> <li>• In China on April 6, <b>Guangdong</b> Province raised its COVID-19 risk alert level from low to medium in four districts following an increase in imported cases.</li> <li>• On April 8, <b>Suifenhe</b> city announced new restrictions on movement similar to the ones seen in Wuhan.</li> </ul>
<p><b>EAST TIMOR</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All foreigners who have departed or transited through countries with COVID-19 cases in the last four weeks are prohibited from entering the country; foreigners born in Timorese territory or who habitually reside in the country are exempt, as well as legal representatives of Timorese minors.</li> <li>• It is forbidden for individuals, except Timorese residents or foreigners as described above, to disembark cruise ships in East Timor.</li> <li>• All individuals who are permitted to enter the country must quarantine for 14 days upon arrival.</li> <li>• The Parliament approved a state of emergency declaration on March 26. Per reports, the measure will be effective March 28 to April 26.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GEORGIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 214        Confirmed Deaths: 3        Recovered Cases: 50</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities have called on the public to avoid traveling, avoid public gatherings, and work remotely if possible.</li> <li>• Mini-buses, sports, and spa venues were suspended in Tbilisi from March 18.</li> <li>• Air traffic was suspended starting March 21, except for Georgia's national flag carrier, Georgian Airways, which will be allowed to repatriate Georgian nationals from abroad. All citizens entering the country will be quarantined.</li> <li>• A state of emergency is in effect until April 21.</li> <li>• On March 23, Georgia announced the suspension of all intercity train services and traffic. Marneuli and Bolnisi have been placed under a complete lockdown.</li> <li>• On March 23, Georgia announced further restrictions on transport, banning intercity movement and canceling trains; the measures took effect on March 24.</li> <li>• Entertainment venues are closed from March 24 for two weeks, while gatherings of 10 or more individuals are banned. Establishments that fail to comply may be shut down by the authorities.</li> <li>• Authorities announced a series of new measures on March 31, including a daily curfew from 21:00-06:00 (local time). Public transportation will be halted, while taxis and personal cars are permitted; each car is allowed a maximum of three passengers. Further, individuals above the age of 70 are prohibited from leaving their homes except to obtain essential goods and services.</li> <li>• On April 4, Georgia recorded its first COVID-19-related death.</li> <li>• Georgia evacuated its citizens from high-risk countries and plans to conduct similar flights on April 10-21 from European cities. Meanwhile, notary services were made available in the cities of Tbilisi, Zugdidi, Kutaisi, and Batumi as of April 6.</li> <li>• On April 7, the Georgian Foreign Ministry reported that all four checkpoints between Georgia and Azerbaijan will remain closed until April 20. The restriction does not include the movement of commercial trucks.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 7, the government established special virus screening checkpoints in Vani Municipality.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>HONG KONG</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 974 Confirmed Deaths: 4 Recovered Cases: 293</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities issued a "Color Red" travel alert, the second level in a three-tier system, that recommends adjusting and avoiding nonessential travel to the US, UK, and Ireland, on March 15.</li> <li>• HK Express Airlines suspended all services on March 23-April 30.</li> <li>• As of March 21 reports, tests on airport arrivals will be extended to those without symptoms and will also be conducted at the AsiaWorld-Expo.</li> <li>• Hong Kong announced on March 23, that the city will ban all tourist arrivals for 14 days from March 25. Per a US Embassy advisory, the ban applies to any individual coming from outside China, Macau, and Taiwan, including those who visited other countries in the previous 14 days. Hong Kong International Airport also suspended transit services.</li> <li>• Public gatherings of four or more people, both indoors and outdoors, were banned from March 29. Public entertainment venues, fitness centers, and bathhouses closed on March 28 along with campsites and barbecue sites.</li> <li>• April 1 reports indicate authorities will expand the closure of entertainment venues to include massage parlors and karaoke establishments. All bars were shut down for 14 days from April 3.</li> <li>• The Hong Kong International Airport (HKG) is slated to close one of its two runways from April 8 until further notice due to a decrease in air traffic.</li> <li>• Per April 3 reports, the Hong Kong MTR will cut services on three lines beginning next week. Airport Express services will run every half-hour, while the Disneyland Resort line will be suspended entirely.</li> <li>• Per April 6 reports, authorities have extended the entry ban on non-citizens traveling from abroad for an indefinite period. Meanwhile, the suspension of transit services at the airport will also be extended for an unspecified period.</li> <li>• Per April 8 reports, Hong Kong extended the closure of bars, entertainment venues and nonessential services to April 23.</li> </ul>
<p><b>INDIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 6,237 Confirmed Deaths: 186 Recovered Cases: 569</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air India extended flight cancellations for Shanghai and Hong Kong until June 30; canceled flights to South Korea, Italy, France, Germany, Kuwait, and Spain until April 30.</li> <li>• GoAir suspended international operations effective until April 15.</li> <li>• SpiceJet temporarily suspended the majority of its international operations between March 21 and April 30. The Mumbai-Dubai flights will resume from April 16.</li> <li>• Passenger trains and buses over the Indo-Bangladesh border have been suspended until April 15. Authorities closed all passenger movement, except for nationals of India, Nepal, and Bhutan, through all land check posts at its borders with Bangladesh, Myanmar, Nepal, and Bhutan, effective from March 15 and with Pakistan from March 16.</li> <li>• A nationwide lockdown went into effect from 00:01 (local time) on March 25 for 21 days.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Railways announced on March 25 that passenger trains are canceled until April 14.</li> <li>• India's Civil Aviation Authority extended its suspension of international commercial flights to April 14.</li> <li>• The Central Government requested all states to restrict the movement of migrant workers and provide food and shelter, as thousands of local migrant workers have been attempting to move back to their native place of residence following the</li> </ul>

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imposition of the 21-day lockdown. Those who traveled during the lockdown will be placed in quarantine in a government facility for at least 14 days.

- On March 31, the Tourism Ministry created a platform to help tourists still in the country. Helplines and key information regarding coronavirus are available on the website strandedinindia.com.
- The Chhattisgarh Health Department extended testing criteria for all individuals who have traveled to Delhi, Mumbai, Pune, and Kerala since March 10 and are showing COVID-19-related symptoms.
- Three individuals in Pune were given a three-day imprisonment on April 2 for violating the nationwide lockdown.
- On April 2, state authorities were asked to formulate staggered plans to exit the lockdown.
- Per April 4 reports, the government has started blacklisting over 360 additional foreign Tablighi Jamaat participants, on top of the 960 already blacklisted for visa violations after a large cluster of cases linked to the event was discovered. Meanwhile, authorities launched an application to track cases to let users know whether they had been in proximity with a COVID-19 case.
- Between April 4-7, the national flag carrier will operate flights to fly foreigners to London. On April 2, the Punjab Chief Minister banned all gatherings and congregations, including religious ones.
- Authorities extended the implementation of Section 144 in Noida, located approximately 20 km from New Delhi, to April 30.
- Per April 5 reports, all 22,000 attendees of the Tablighi Jamaat congregation in Delhi and their contacts have been placed in quarantine.
- On April 6, India witnessed its largest 24-hour surge in cases and deaths from COVID-19, with 704 cases and 28 deaths.
- In Mumbai, a major private hospital was declared a quarantined containment zone after three doctors tested positive for the virus, per April 6 reports.
- Per April 7 reports, a total of 769 foreign nationals have been identified as "stranded in India" by authorities.
- In Pune, areas located in the vicinity of Swargate, Khadak, Faraskhana, and Kondhwa police stations have been sealed until April 14. Meanwhile, the Prime Minister is slated to address all chief ministers on April 11, as some reports indicate they may look into ways to implement a staggered lifting of restrictions. The Uttar Pradesh government sealed 15 districts on April 18, allowing only doorstep delivery. In Gurgaon, the administration is set to undertake door-to-door surveys in urban and rural areas to find COVID-19 positive cases.
- **UPDATE:** Wearing masks when outdoors was made compulsory on April 8 in Mumbai, Delhi, and Uttar Pradesh. Further, the Supreme Court of India directed the central government on April 8 to make all COVID-19 tests free of cost, even those conducted by private agencies.
- 20 hotspots – including South Moti Bagh, Dilshad Garden and Nizamuddin – in Delhi, and Madhya Pradesh's major cities of Indore, Ujjain, and Bhopal were ordered to be sealed off completely on April 8 until April 13.
- On April 9, the state of Odisha extended its lockdown until April 30th.
- On the same day, the country reported 35 deaths, the biggest single day jump since the beginning of the outbreak.

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**INDONESIA**



Confirmed Cases: 3,293  
Confirmed Deaths: 280  
Recovered Cases: 252

- The border between Timor Leste and East Nusa Tenggara has been temporarily closed as of March 17.
- Authorities announced on March 17 that its visa exemption policy will be suspended for one month. This includes exemptions for short-stay visits, visa-on-arrival, and diplomatic visa-free facilities. The restrictions came into effect on March 20.
- Authorities announced that sea and air travel to the Papua region is suspended until April 9. Per March 26 reports, Papua Province has blocked entry at ports. The emergency alert status in Papua will remain effective until April 17.
- Tegal, Central Java, announced a lockdown on the city effective March 30 to July 31. The city's borders will be closed during this time.
- On March 27, the Mayor of Banda Aceh announced the imposition of a "local lockdown" after two COVID-19 positive cases were found in the city.
- On March 28, AirAsia Indonesia canceled all its flights on domestic and international routes until April 21 and May 17, respectively.
- Authorities extended the state of emergency in Jakarta until April 19.
- Indonesia's foreign minister announced an effective ban on foreigners from entering the country on March 31, however, the specific timing of the measure's implementation is unclear. Work permit holders, diplomats, and other official visitors will be exempted from the entry ban.
- Per March 31 reports, officials in Bali announced a state of emergency, tightening entrance checks and obligating visitors to the island to self-quarantine for 14 days.
- Per April 1 reports, a national public health emergency was declared.
- A coronavirus emergency hospital will be opened on the uninhabited island of Galang, according to April 1 reports.
- Vehicles entering Cianjur in West Java will be inspected henceforth, per April 4 reports.
- Per April 6 reports, authorities made it compulsory to wear a mask on public transport in Jakarta; the measure will take effect on April 12.
- On April 6, West Java approved a curfew as the country witnessed a second-day spike with 218 cases.
- New social distancing measures will go into effect in Jakarta, Indonesia on April 10. Gatherings of five or more people will be banned, while public transportation will cut passenger capacity by 50 percent and restrict operational hours to 06:00-18:00.
- **UPDATE:** Per April 8 reports, police and military personnel will enforce social distancing measures in Jakarta from April 10 with penalties for non-compliance. Further, Papua in Indonesia raised its COVID-19 status from alert to 'emergency response' until May 6.

**JAPAN**



Confirmed Cases: 4,667  
Confirmed Deaths: 94  
Recovered Cases: 632

- Per February 10 reports, 13 regional airports in Japan indefinitely suspended all routes to mainland China.
- The arrival of flights from China and South Korea will be limited to Narita International Airport (NRT), which services Tokyo, and Kansai International Airport (KIX) in Osaka. Japan suspended its visa-waiver program for short stays for tourists from South Korea, Hong Kong, and Macau.
- On March 22, the authorities advised citizens to defer nonessential travel to the US
- **Visa suspensions** are in effect for individuals from China, Hong Kong, Macau, South Korea, Andorra, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Ireland, Monaco, Romania, San Marino, UK, Vatican, Iceland, Italy, Estonia, Austria, Netherlands, Greece, Switzerland, Sweden,

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**Diamond Princess**

Confirmed Cases: 712  
Confirmed Deaths: 11  
Recovered Cases: 619

Spain, Slovak, Slovenia, Czech, Denmark, Germany, Norway, Hungary, Finland, France, Belgium, Poland, Portuguese, Malta, Latvia, Lithuania, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Iran, Egypt, Brunei, Malaysia, Indonesia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Vietnam, Bahrain, Israel, Qatar, and the DRC.

- On March 31, the government raised a travel advisory recommending against travel to the US and 48 other nations. Per March 30 reports, Tokyo's Governor Yuriko Koike asked residents to stay away from bars and music venues following a rise in cases in the capital.
- Per April 1 reports, all incoming travelers are required to self-quarantine for 14 days.
- From April 3, the entry **ban** will be effective for any individual who visited the following countries within 14 days of their scheduled arrival in Japan: Brunei, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Macau, Malaysia, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam, Australia, New Zealand, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Dominica, Ecuador, Panama, Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kosovo, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Netherlands, North Macedonia, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, UK, Vatican, Bahrain, Iran, Israel, Turkey, Ivory Coast, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Mauritius, Morocco, Canada, and the US.
- Per April 3 reports, Japanese authorities will allow foreigners in the country an extra three months to renew their stay, as the country recorded a single-day record of 357 new COVID-19 cases. Tokyo confirmed a record-high 118 new cases on April 4.
- Japan declared a state of emergency on April 7 for one month, giving the governors of specific localities the ability to close schools, cinemas, department stores, and places that draw large crowds; essential services, including supermarkets and banks, will be allowed to operate. Localities that will be affected by the measure include Tokyo, Chiba, Kanagawa, Saitama, Osaka, Hyogo, and Fukuoka.



**KAZAKHSTAN**





Confirmed Cases: 764  
Confirmed Deaths: 7  
Recovered Cases: 58

- A state of emergency affecting the entire country is in place until April 15. The decree restricts the entry to and departure from Kazakhstan. As part of quarantine measures, shopping and entertainment centers, cinemas, theaters, exhibitions, and facilities with large crowds will be restricted. A ban on mass events has also been enacted.
- International airports in Almaty and Nur-Sultan closed from March 22. Select international flights will continue to operate.
- On March 22, authorities decided to extend visas and work permits for foreign nationals residing in Kazakhstan, until April 20.
- The Akmola region implemented a quarantine from March 31 at 19:00 (local time). Only commercial transportation will be allowed to enter the region. Grocery shops, pharmacies, shopping malls, and places of public gathering will be closed, while people are advised to stay at home.
- The Almaty region will allow only pharmacies and basic stores to open between 08:00-20:00 (local time). Groceries in Zhambyl will operate between 10:00-17:00, while vehicular movement in and out of Shymkent, northern Kazakhstan, and the Pavlodar region will be restricted starting April 1.
- According to a US Embassy notice on April 2, Mangystau has been placed under quarantine. Quarantines are already in place in Nur-Sultan, Almaty, Shymkent, Aktau,


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	<p>Karaganda, Shakhtinsk, Saran, Temirtau, Abay, Atyrau, Kostanay, Aktobe, Pavlodar, and North Kazakhstan.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities placed the city of Petropavlovsk under lockdown starting 00:00 (local time) on April 3. Grocery stores, markets, and pharmacies will remain open from 10:00-18:00.</li> <li>• On April 6, the Aktobe region was placed under quarantine, suspending most business operations and vehicular movement.</li> </ul>
<p><b>KYRGYZSTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 280 Confirmed Deaths: 4 Recovered Cases: 35</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Per March 16 reports, cinemas, night clubs, computer clubs, food areas, and playgrounds across the country will be temporarily closed.</li> <li>• Kyrgyzstan banned all foreign nationals from entering the country. Foreign nationals already in Kyrgyzstan will be permitted to leave, while Kyrgyz nationals entering the country are required to undergo a 14-day quarantine.</li> <li>• All land borders have been closed and flights are limited between Bishkek and Osh to Moscow and Novosibirsk, Russia.</li> <li>• A State of Emergency went into effect in the Osh, Nookat, and Kara-Suu districts of Osh region from 08:00 (local time) on March 25 until April 15. Per reports, the order stipulates that extreme measures or restrictions may be implemented, such as a curfew, declaration of an entry-exit regime, the deployment of security forces to ensure public order, and a ban on mass events, among others. Certain citizens may also be prohibited from leaving their homes during the state of emergency.</li> <li>• Per the UK FCO, Bishkek and Jalal-Abad are subject to emergency procedures until April 15. In Bishkek, this includes a 20:00-07:00 curfew with exceptions for those with special permission. Movement between 07:00-20:00 should be limited to essential services, such as buying food or accessing medical care. Those who go out for any reason are advised to bring a written copy of their details, such as full name, phone number, reason for leaving and time left, and addresses of their home and destination.</li> <li>• New restrictions were announced on March 31. Bishkek residents will be fined for being in public without masks; travel to the workplace is only permitted for employees of companies included in the list of businesses authorized to work under the emergency regulations; trips to groceries shops and pharmacies are allowed within 1.5-km from the place of residence; dog walks are allowed within 100 meters of the home; gatherings of more than three people have been banned; and minors are forbidden from being outside without adult supervision.</li> <li>• On April 3, Kyrgyzstan recorded its first coronavirus-related death, a 61-year-old man who recently traveled abroad; the country has 130 total COVID-19 cases, as of writing.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LAOS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 16 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lao Airlines suspended all flights to Seoul in South Korea, Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City in Vietnam, and Phnom Penh in Cambodia until April 30. Flights to Bangkok and Chiang Mai, Thailand, have been suspended until April 20. Flights to Da Nang in Vietnam were postponed indefinitely, while flights to Chengdu in China have been suspended until April 14.</li> <li>• Per March 27 reports, foreigners and stateless people who cannot leave Laos due to the border closures can request extensions for their stay.</li> <li>• A nationwide quarantine is in place until April 19. Under the measure, individuals are not allowed to leave their accommodations for nonessential purposes. All international checkpoints with Laos are also closed to passenger transport.</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A nationwide lockdown has been imposed, effective until April 19, closing all international checkpoints and barring the transport of commercial goods.</li> <li>• Per the US Embassy, the Lao Prime Minister has ordered the closures of all private hospitals and clinics from April 2.</li> <li>• Authorities in Luang Prabang announced the temporary closure of all services at tourist sites until April 21.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MACAU</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 45        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 10</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As of March 19, all overseas visitors are prohibited from entering Macau, except for individuals from China, Hong Kong, and Taiwan. Individuals in the latter category are required to undergo a 14-day medical observation starting March 25.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MALAYSIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4,228        Confirmed Deaths: 67        Recovered Cases: 1,608</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Malaysian Association of Tour and Travel Agents (MATTA) suspended all outbound travel to China indefinitely.</li> <li>• Malaysia Airlines canceled or reduced flights between Kuala Lumpur and Shanghai, Beijing, and Hong Kong, as well as flights between these Chinese cities and Kota Kinabalu, Sabah, from February 17.</li> <li>• On March 16, Malaysia announced a ban on events by all organizations until June 30.</li> <li>• Malaysians returning from overseas are required to undergo a two-week self-quarantine.</li> <li>• At Kuala Lumpur International Airport (KUL), authorities will scan passengers departing the country. Those found with high body temperatures will not be allowed past the check-in point.</li> <li>• Prime Minister Muhyiddin Yassin announced on March 25 that previously imposed movement restrictions will be extended until April 14. Residents around the country are only permitted to leave their homes in order to secure essential goods. Travel for medical emergencies is also allowed.</li> <li>• Malaysia's AirAsia announced on March 26 the grounding of most of its fleet around the world. This includes the suspension of all international and domestic flights from Malaysia from March 28 to April 21.</li> <li>• Authorities identified 13 areas as COVID-19 hotspots, including Kuala Lumpur, while two townships in Simpang Renggam and Johor have been placed under lockdown until April 9.</li> <li>• On March 27, the Ministry of Health announced that it predicted a major spike in COVID-19 cases in the country by mid-April, and urged residents to stay at home.</li> <li>• Malaysian authorities announced on March 28 that drones are now being used to control and monitor public movement until the end of the MCO on April 14. Meanwhile, at least 649 have been arrested for violating the shutdown.</li> <li>• The authorities announced the second phase of the movement control order (MCO) from April 1 to April 14. Vehicles will only be allowed on the roads from 06:00 (local time) to 22:00, while private vehicles may only carry passengers in emergencies. The hours of operations for essential services such as grocery shops and petrol stations, as well as restaurants and food delivery services, are restricted to 08:00-20:00. Public</li> </ul>



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	<p>transportation will be limited to 06:00-10:00 and 17:00-22:00. As part of the MCO, the Express Rail Link (ERL) is cutting all of its services, beginning on April 4.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities announced on April 2 that police may ask for power and water bills to verify that individuals in public are within a 10-km radius of their place of residence.</li> <li>• Putrajaya is slated to waive its 14-day quarantine for Malaysian workers returning from Singapore if found negative for the virus following a swab test.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, authorities arrested more than 4,000 individuals for violating lockdown restrictions.</li> <li>• On April 5, authorities banned foreign nationals from using the state of Sarawak, located on Borneo Island, as a transit point. All land, sea, and air travel has been banned, while all flights linking Kuala Lumpur and Sibu have been suspended until April 14.</li> <li>• Per April 6 reports, all four health districts of Kuala Lumpur have been declared “red zones”, implying each has more than 40 cases.</li> <li>• The Malaysian administrative capital, Putrajaya, is now considered a red zone, per April 7 reports. The city has recorded 41 total cases, while Malaysia’s total tally has risen to 3,963. Further, the government is set to announce on April 10 whether or not the movement control order (MCO) will be extended.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Malaysia announced that no markets will be open in Kuala Lumpur, Labuan, and Putrajaya during Ramadan, to be observed between April 23 and May 23.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MALDIVES</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 19 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 13</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Maldives declared a public health emergency on March 12.</li> <li>• All food outlets closed for dining from March 22 in the greater Male Region. Take-away food orders will still be accepted.</li> <li>• A travel ban is currently in effect for: China; Iran; North Gyeongsang Province and South Gyeongsang Province in South Korea; Italy; Bangladesh; Spain; Île-de-France and Grand Est in France; Bavaria, North Rhine-Westphalia, and Baden-Württemberg, Germany; Malaysia; UK; USA. Entry is restricted for all persons regardless of nationality who have traveled through the aforementioned locations. On March 21, authorities extended the travel ban to Sri Lanka.</li> <li>• On March 23, authorities elected to cease all tourist excursions across the country.</li> <li>• On March 25, the Maldives government announced suspensions of the visa-on-arrival facility from March 27 until further notice. Government offices, schools, and education institutions across the nation were closed for another week from March 29.</li> <li>• All entertainment venues and sport centers were closed on March 30 until further notice.</li> <li>• Commercial operations at Velana International Airport (MLE) are suspended daily between 21:00 and 06:00.</li> <li>• The local airline FlyMe halted operations as of March 29.</li> <li>• The government extended the closure of all government offices and schools for another week. All travelers who visited the UK between March 14-19 are required to undergo a coronavirus test, per March 31 reports. The authorities also extended entry restrictions for resorts and hotels for an indefinite period.</li> <li>• A curfew will be imposed in the Male region between 17:00-20:00 from April 2; individuals will not be allowed out and public transport will be suspended.</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The national airline scheduled repatriation flights on April 5-6 to repatriate the country's citizens in Colombo, Sri Lanka and Cochin, India.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, authorities extended the ban on congregating at mosques until April 11.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 8, public holidays were extended for 7 additional days.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MONGOLIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 16        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Per March 3 reports, authorities banned passengers with recent travel history in China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Macau, Italy, Iran, South Korea, and Japan until further notice.</li> <li>• Authorities extended the closure of its border with China until further notice.</li> <li>• Authorities extended quarantine guidelines for all travelers arriving on repatriation flights, requesting them to remain for 21 days at a government facility before observing at-home isolation for 14 days.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MYANMAR</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 22        Confirmed Deaths: 3        Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On January 31, Myanmar Airways International suspended flights to China until further notice. Reports indicate that direct flights between Myanmar and China provided by China Eastern Airlines, 9 Air, JC Cambodia, Qingdao Airlines, Xiamen Airlines, Hainan Air, and Spring Air have been temporarily suspended.</li> <li>• Public gatherings are banned until April 30.</li> <li>• Jetstar Airways announced the suspension of flights between Myanmar and Singapore from March 23 to April 15.</li> <li>• On March 18, authorities announced the closure of all border checkpoints to foreign nationals. On March 24, Myanmar announced that all arriving foreign nationals will have to provide a medical certificate of good health in order to gain access to the country. In addition, authorities urged locals returning from abroad to immediately quarantine themselves upon arrival.</li> <li>• Border checkpoints with China in the Wa region were closed as of March 26.</li> <li>• On March 28, the authorities also decided to close all restaurants in Yangon, allowing only take-away services. Authorities in Mandalay closed 41 markets in the city from March 28, while Dawei city in the Tanintharyi region shuttered its beaches. Religious sites in Mandalay will require visitors to produce a health certificate prior to entering, per March 30 reports.</li> <li>• From March 29 until April 30, Myanmar will stop issuing visas for all foreign nationals.</li> <li>• On March 29, authorities announced the closure of airports for international travel beginning March 30 until April 13 at 23:59 (local time), excluding flights for international cargo. All previously granted landing permissions will also be suspended.</li> <li>• All returning migrant workers are required to quarantine themselves for two weeks upon arrival. Meanwhile, five major markets in Yangon will remain closed from April 1-April 9.</li> <li>• Air Thanlwin suspended flights until April 16.</li> <li>• Authorities in Mandalay announced a lockdown on travel in the city on April 4. Drug stores, petrol stations, banks, and pharmacies will remain open.</li> <li>• Authorities also announced on April 2 that police may ask for power and water bills to verify that individuals in public are within a 10-km radius of their place of residence.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities imposed enhanced restrictions ahead of the Thingyan festival. All Yangon Region residents are required to adhere to the “stay home” period from April 10-19, while social distancing requirements will be in place in Mandalay Region from 12:00 (local time) until April 22.</li> <li>• All civil servants have been banned from traveling during the holiday period.</li> <li>• Restrictions on public transportation and business operations have been imposed for varying periods between April 7-23 in Sagaing Region, Shan State, Kayah State, Kachin State, and Mon State.</li> <li>• In Namzang Township, Shan State, a daily curfew has been implemented from 19:00 to 06:00 (local time) until April 30.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 7, the governments of Kayah State and Sagaing Region lifted the restrictions of movements recently imposed in the region over concerns that they would cause unnecessary panic and economic harm.</li> <li>• Migrant workers returning from Thailand will have to stay at quarantine centers at border towns for two weeks, according to April 8 reports.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEPAL</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 9 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities temporarily suspended labor permits for overseas workers. Authorities also urged citizens to refrain from traveling abroad.</li> <li>• All mountaineering expeditions, including Mount Everest ascents, have been halted as of March 13 after Nepalese authorities stopped issuing on-arrival tourist visas. Climbing permits for March 14-April 30 have been canceled.</li> <li>• A halt on nonessential public and private services went into effect from March 22 until April 3.</li> <li>• Authorities decided to extend the nationwide lockdown until April 15.</li> <li>• On April 7, authorities extended the ban on international flights until April 30. The ban on domestic flights will remain in effect until April 15.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEW ZEALAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,239 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 317</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air New Zealand reduced its flights to Shanghai through April and its Hong Kong route throughout April and May. Routes between Auckland and Seoul, South Korea, are halted until the end of June. The airline also announced that its total capacity to Asia will be reduced by 17 percent until June.</li> <li>• Drive-through hubs for those displaying symptoms or who came into contact with an infected individual are being set up to test for the virus as of March 21 reports.</li> <li>• On March 26, Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern of New Zealand announced a four-week lockdown across the country, with only essential services remaining open.</li> <li>• Authorities announced a halt to domestic flight transfers for international departures starting March 27. Per a US Embassy advisory, individuals attempting to leave New Zealand from March 27 must be able to leave directly from their port of international departure.</li> <li>• Per March 31 reports, the state of emergency has been extended for an additional seven days.</li> <li>• Per April 7 reports, New Zealand will now allow foreign nationals to transit through its airports if they are traveling to their home country.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>NORTH KOREA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Per February 23 reports, North Korea tightened customs-related quarantine measures for trade with China. All goods will be quarantined for 10 days before full disinfection and only then will relevant delivery procedures be implemented.</li> <li>• North Korean officials continue to report that no coronavirus cases have been recorded in the country as of April 2.</li> <li>• On April 2, the South Korean government reportedly approved the provision of COVID-19-related aid by a private organization to the North.</li> </ul>
<p><b>PAKISTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4,437 Confirmed Deaths: 64 Recovered Cases: 689</p>	<p><b><i>Nationwide/general measures</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities have banned gatherings of more than 10 people from March 19.</li> <li>• March 28 reports indicate that Pakistan's borders with Iran, Afghanistan, and India will remain closed for two more weeks.</li> <li>• Per March 30 reports, highways, roads and freight trains will remain open to ensure the transportation of goods and avert a shortage of food and essential supplies.</li> <li>• The Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) extended the suspension of all incoming international flights and most domestic flights until April 11, except for those given special approval from the authorities in advance. Domestic flights between Islamabad and the Gilgit and Skardu airports will continue as normal.</li> <li>• Pakistan International Airlines has been permitted to partially continue flight operations for repatriating Pakistani citizens abroad, per April 1 reports. This will include limited flights from Toronto, Canada and the UK on April 3 and 4, respectively.</li> <li>• On April 3, the Pakistan Telecommunication Authority (PTA) issued a warning for potential cyber-attacks from elements propagating COVID-19 information as a cover. They also cautioned against using open WiFi networks in public locations.</li> <li>• Per April 3 reports, authorities announced that 17 repatriation flights would be sent to a number of countries between April 4-11. On April 2, Pakistan International Airlines announced that it would operate 10 flights to the UK and Canada from April 4-10 to send foreigners back. On April 6, Pakistan International Airlines (PIA) grounded its flight operations from Karachi after four pilots were suspected of contracting COVID-19.</li> <li>• Pakistan plans to open the Torkham and Chaman border crossing points on April 6-9 to allow stranded Afghan nationals to return home.</li> <li>• On April 5, Minister for Railways Sheikh Rasheed announced that Pakistan Railways intended to resume train services from April 15.</li> <li>• On April 5, screening protocols for incoming passengers were tightened at airports while authorities introduced a 24-hour quarantine for all passengers and flight crew at government-designated facilities.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The National Coordination Committee of Pakistan announced the opening of all airports in the country to allow Pakistan International Airlines (PIA) flights to evacuate citizens stranded abroad.</li> </ul> <p><b><i>Sindh (including Karachi)</i></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities announced that gatherings of four or more people will not be allowed, including within vehicles, starting March 20.</li> </ul>

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- Sindh Province was placed on lockdown for 15 days from March 23. Pakistan announced on March 25 that no person will be allowed out on the streets in Sindh province after 20:00 (local time) on a daily basis.
- Daily congregations and Friday prayers at mosques have reportedly been banned as of March 27.
- A full lockdown was implemented at 12:00-15:00 (local time) on April 3, to limit congregational prayers.
- The Chief Minister told a gathering of industrialists and exporters that the lockdown in the province will be eased from April 14.
- **UPDATE:** The Sindh government announced on April 8 that prevailing restrictions in the province will be tightened due to the Shab-e-Barat observance.

**Islamabad & Rawalpindi**

- Starting March 20, several major public dealing offices and businesses were closed for 15 days in Islamabad.
- As of March 23, all activities in mosques in Islamabad are banned under Section 144.
- In Islamabad, the authorities imposed a partial lockdown of the city as of March 24. All public gatherings and nonessential services are closed. Metro service will be available from 08:30-10:30 (local time) and 15:00-17:30 daily.
- Parts of Sadiqabad, Dhoke Kashmirian, and B Block of Satellite Town in Rawalpindi have been closed to public access.
- **UPDATE:** While authorities lifted its restriction of movement from and to Bhara Kahu and Shahzad Town areas of Islamabad on April 9, Section 144 remains in place in both areas.

**Punjab (including Lahore)**



- A medical emergency was declared in Punjab on March 12; this includes enhanced measures, while authorities are advising individuals to avoid public gatherings.
- On March 15, authorities in the province announced a province-wide implementation of Section 144, prohibiting the gathering of more than four people, for the next three weeks.
- Provincial authorities decided to lockdown Punjab from April 1. All stores, including grocery shops, will remain open from 09:00-17:00 (local time). Meanwhile, the entire city of Raiwind will be under quarantine; stores will be closed and residents are not permitted to leave their home.
- On April 2, the provincial government placed restrictions on the number of people allowed to attend Friday prayers. Only three to five individuals affiliated with the mosque will be allowed.
- Per April 6 reports, the Punjab Home Department has extended the provincial-wide lockdown, until April 14.

**Other provincewide measures**

- The **Balochistan** government-imposed medical emergency measures in all districts bordering Iran after reports of deaths in the neighboring country. The Balochistan provincial government ordered the closure of shopping malls and markets, while suspending intercity transport for three weeks from March 20. Daily congregations and Friday prayers at mosques have reportedly been banned as of March 27.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Per March 5 reports, the <b>Khyber Pakhtunkhwa</b> government declared a health emergency.</li> <li>Per April 4 reports, authorities opened the first isolation hospital equipped to deal with COVID-19 cases in <b>Pakistan-administered Kashmir</b>.</li> </ul>
<p><b>PAPUA NEW GUINEA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On January 30, the Immigration and Citizenship Authority ordered the indefinite closure of the border crossing between Indonesia and PNG at Wutung in West Sepik. On January 29, authorities reportedly shut down air and seaports to all foreign travelers from Asia.</li> <li>On March 18, the military was officially put on alert as the outbreak was declared a quarantinable disaster under the country's health laws.</li> <li>A two-week state of emergency was imposed in Papua New Guinea from March 24. Movement between provinces is banned, while domestic flights and public transportation are suspended, per the UK FCO on March 24.</li> <li>Approximately 4,000 nurses are expected to strike over the coming days due to a lack of supplies and funding to handle the COVID-19 pandemic.</li> <li>Per April 3 reports, the government has extended the state of emergency in the country for an additional two months.</li> <li>On April 7, the province of East New Britain was placed on lockdown.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> From April 8, no person will be allowed entry into the country unless authorized by the Emergency Controller, while border crossings have also been closed.</li> </ul>
<p><b>PHILIPPINES</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4,076        Confirmed Deaths: 203        Recovered Cases: 124</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 8, the Philippines declared a public health emergency. On March 17, the country was placed under a "state of calamity" for six months.</li> <li>The Philippines announced an indefinite ban on the entry of foreigners effective from March 22, with the Department of Foreign Affairs temporarily suspending visa issuances.</li> <li>Per April 1 reports, it is now mandatory for individuals leaving their residences across the Philippines to cover their faces.</li> <li>Those discriminating against COVID-19 patients will be penalized and may face fines or prison time.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Cebu Pacific Airways and AirAsia Philippines cancelled all its flights on April 9 until the end of April.</li> </ul> <p><b>Metro Manila &amp; Luzon Island</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Domestic land, air, and sea travel to and from Metro Manila are suspended until April 14. International flights to Metro Manila may continue, but those arriving at the city must follow strict quarantine guidelines and remain in Metro Manila until the domestic travel restrictions are lifted. Multiple airlines have canceled domestic flights to and from Metro Manila. Foreign nationals in Metro Manila will also be allowed to fly out of the country.</li> <li>A nine-hour curfew from 20:00 (local time) to 05:00 is in effect daily until April 14, including in Makati and Quezon City. Working professionals with a work schedule within the curfew hours, health professionals, authorized government officials, residents with medical or humanitarian needs, individuals transiting to the airport for international travels, individuals providing basic services and public utilities, including food and medicine delivery, are exempt from the curfew.</li> </ul>

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- Individuals who fail to prove the source of employment and business, through Identification cards, certificate of employment from barangay, business permits, pictures of business establishments, will be denied entry into Metro Manila.
- Authorities extended the “community quarantine” to all of **Luzon Island**, effective until April 13. Authorities urge all residents to remain at home and rely on the delivery service. Transportation and work will be suspended except for essential services.
- International flights leaving Luzon were suspended from March 20. Cebu Pacific has announced that all domestic and international flights will be canceled until April 14. AirAsia has announced that it is canceling international flights from Ninoy Aquino International Airport and Clark International Airport until April 14. Philippine Airlines has canceled all domestic flights.
- The Clark International Airport (CRK) will suspend all commercial flights starting from April 3.
- Rizal province will be locked down from April 6.
- On April 7, the Luzon-wide quarantine was extended until April 30.
- **UPDATE:** As per April 9 reports, residents of Malabon, Valenzuela, Pasay and Quezon City in Metro Manila are required to wear surgical masks when outdoors until the end of the lockdown.

#### **Davao City**


- City authorities enacted travel restrictions on March 12: all Davao residents are prohibited from leaving the city; short-term visitors are advised to leave immediately, and all intending to travel to Davao are asked to postpone their visit until the State of Public Health Emergency is lifted.
- Authorities required the cancelation of all meetings, conventions, exhibits, conferences, and other social activities until the public health emergency is lifted.
- Individuals have been advised against attending religious gatherings, while authorities are encouraging all residents to remain at home and refrain from visiting public places.
- Per March 17 reports, Davao suspended all international and domestic air travel to and from the city, to be effective from March 19.
- All malls will remain closed, effective on March 19, except for essential goods’ shops, such as supermarkets, pharmacies, in-house department stores, and medical and dental offices. Public markets will also continue to operate.
- On April 2, authorities announced that the city will be placed under the Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) from April 4-19.
- Per April 3 reports, those discriminating against COVID-19 patients will be penalized, and may face fines or prison time.

#### **Other locations**


- The **Cebu Provincial** Government will impose a provincial-level curfew daily from 22:00-05:00 until April 14. From March 17 for 30 days, all domestic passengers arriving in Cebu via air travel are denied from entering, while passenger travel at all seaports in the province was banned from March 18. Per March 26 reports, Cebu has suspended the entry of all persons arriving on international flights from March 27.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Per March 18 reports, the <b>Sulu Province</b> has been placed under "community quarantine". Only those transporting food commodities and other essentials such as fuel and medicine are permitted to enter the province.</li> <li>• Towns on the northeast side of <b>Laguna Province</b> (Santa Maria, Mabitac, Famy, Siniloan, Pangil, Pakil, Paete, and Kalayaan) imposed a lockdown on March 18.</li> <li>• <b>Tacloban City</b> began a lockdown on March 21 for 23 days.</li> <li>• In <b>Central Mindanao</b>, the authorities decided on a region-wide quarantine and closed the borders on March 23. Only travel for vehicles transporting food and other essential services will be allowed to enter.</li> <li>• <b>Negros Oriental</b> will enforce a lockdown until April 18; authorities restricted public transportation as well as land, sea, and air travel.</li> <li>• <b>Negros Oriental</b> extended its lockdown until April 30, restricting public transportation as well as land, sea, and air travel.</li> <li>• It was announced on April 8 that Cebu Pacific flights will remain suspended until April 30.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SINGAPORE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,623 Confirmed Deaths: 6 Recovered Cases: 406</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As of March 4, Singapore Airlines and Silkair reduced flights to select destinations between March and May. Destinations include Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Paris, Frankfurt, Milan, London, Tokyo, Seoul, among others.</li> <li>• On March 6, Singapore Airlines canceled all flights to and from Milan in Italy till the end of May. Singapore Airlines announced on March 17 that it will reduce its flight capacity by 50 percent, with further cuts expected in the near term. Jetstar Asia announced on the same day that it would suspend all flights until April 15. Singapore Airlines cut all routes to Canberra, Australia, as of March 1; Qantas will suspend 100 select flights to the city.</li> <li>• On March 18, the Ministry of Health issued a press release urging Singaporeans to defer all nonessential travel abroad with immediate effect. Authorities also announced that all Singaporeans, permanent residents, and other visa class holders will have to stay at home for 14 days if they enter the city-state from March 20 onwards.</li> <li>• Bars, cinemas, sporting events and all other entertainment outlets in the city-state are closed until April 30. Mosques will close until further notice. Gatherings of more than 10 people will be banned, excluding inside workplaces and schools, from March 27 until the end of April.</li> <li>• Short-term visitors are barred from entering or transiting through the city-state as of March 23. Work pass holders and their dependents will be allowed to return to Singapore only if they work in sectors that provide essential services such as healthcare and transport.</li> <li>• Singapore announced on March 23 that all travelers arriving in the country must provide a health declaration from March 27 onwards. All arriving travelers will be notified of stay-home requirements via email before their arrival in the country from March 27 onwards.</li> <li>• Singapore has introduced new laws governing social distancing, which came into effect on March 26, wherein offenders who do not maintain a distance of 1 meter from each other or meet in groups of over 10 could face heavy fines and imprisonment up to six months.</li> <li>• All long-term pass holders will require an entry approval before entering Singapore from 23:59 on March 29.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities also urged the population to avoid malls for nonessential shopping.</li> <li>• On March 29, authorities canceled the passport of a Singaporean national for violating the Stay-at-Home notice and traveling to Indonesia before returning to Singapore.</li> <li>• Starting from April 1, Singapore Airlines reinstated limited flights to Bangkok, Thailand.</li> <li>• The US Embassy has advised that commercial flights out of Singapore are still available but are operating at a reduced capacity and may change with little notice. As of April 2, there are 38 commercial flights available flying directly or indirectly to the US.</li> <li>• On April 3, authorities announced that nearly all workplaces, excluding essential services and key economic sectors, are to be closed from April 7 until May 4. Further, schools will move to a fully home-based system, which is expected to be implemented from April 8. The government called for limiting public movement, while stating that reusable facemasks will be distributed to all households from April 5.</li> <li>• On April 6, Singapore recorded 120 new COVID-19 cases, its highest daily rise, and quarantined approximately 20,000 migrant workers in designated facilities.</li> <li>• Per April 6 reports, Malaysian nationals in Singapore will not be allowed to return to Malaysia unless they test negative for COVID-19.</li> <li>• On April 8, the Ministry of Health announced that all citizens, long-term pass holders, and permanent residents will be required to stay at a dedicated self-isolation facility for two weeks upon arrival into Singapore.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Additional social distancing measures have been announced for public transport on April 9. New markers will be placed on the seats indicating where passengers are not allowed to sit.</li> <li>• Beginning April 8, enforcement officers will issue written warnings to individuals who gather in public, before dispersing them. In addition, markets will have crowd management measures in place by April 10.</li> <li>• On April 9, Jetstar Asia extended suspension of all flights until May 19.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SOUTH KOREA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 10,423 Confirmed Deaths: 204 Recovered Cases: 6,973</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As per February 4 reports, airlines in South Korea have suspended over half the total flight services to China. As of February 3, 55 out of 100 routes to China had been shuttered temporarily, while flights were reduced on operational routes. Korean Air has canceled flights from Incheon to Wuhan, Huangshan, Zhangjiajie, Changsha, and Kunming, and from Busan to Beijing and Nanjing.</li> <li>• Korean Air gradually started halting services on seven additional routes, including its Busan-Taipei, in late February. The airline is also slated to cut various flights on the Incheon-Guam route, and to 14 other destinations worldwide. The flight suspensions and reductions may be extended beyond March. According to February 24 reports, Korean Air and Asiana Airlines have halted flights to Daegu.</li> <li>• Per March 5 reports, Korean Air suspended direct flights between Seoul and Yangon. Korean Air suspended its Incheon-Yangon direct flights until April 29.</li> <li>• Authorities announced the tightening of its border checking measures for all arrivals from overseas starting from March 19. Additionally, all Korean and non-Korean nationals arriving from China, Japan, and European countries will be subject to special screening measures. These include body temperature checks and a personal health survey. Individuals will need to share local contact information and download</li> </ul>


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	<p>a smartphone application through which users have to report their daily health condition during the self-quarantine.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced on March 19 its intention to deport any foreign nationals who do not comply with being tested, treated, or quarantined.</li> <li>• Starting March 19, all new arrivals from abroad, including South Korean nationals, are required to undergo 14 days in self-quarantine.</li> <li>• On March 22, authorities started testing all passengers on flights from Europe.</li> <li>• On March 22, authorities urged all religious, entertainment, and indoor facilities to shut down for 15 days.</li> <li>• As of March 22 reports, South Korean budget carrier Eastar Jet stopped services for one month.</li> <li>• On March 23, the government advised its citizens against all travel.</li> <li>• Fearing a rise in imported cases, South Korea announced on March 25 that all passengers arriving from the US must self-isolate for two weeks.</li> <li>• On March 26, authorities warned of a crackdown, potentially including jail or deportation, for individuals who disobey quarantine orders.</li> <li>• South Korea announced that it will expand the mandatory 14-day quarantine requirement to all arrivals from abroad; the measure will take effect on April 1. Foreigners without a permanent residence in the country will be quarantined in government-designated facilities.</li> <li>• A British national is reportedly facing punishment for violating self-isolation rules; punishment may include a one-year imprisonment, 8,196 USD fine, and deportation.</li> <li>• Seoul reduced subway services from April 1.</li> <li>• According to March 31 reports, the Seoul metropolitan government said it will provide a total of 100,000 filter replaceable face masks to foreign residents.</li> <li>• Per April 1 reports, all people arriving in the country will be placed under quarantine for two weeks. People without a residence will have to pay around 100,000 won (\$82) per day for using public facilities.</li> <li>• On April 4, authorities extended social distancing measures, initially slated to end on April 6, for two additional weeks.</li> <li>• On April 6, South Korea recorded less than 50 new novel coronavirus (COVID-19) cases, bringing its total tally to 10,284, and marking its slowest daily rise since the beginning of the outbreak.</li> <li>• On April 8, South Korea announced that it will temporarily suspend visa waiver programs for citizens of countries that have imposed entry bans on its citizens.</li> <li>• Seoul ordered the closure of entertainment venues until April 19.</li> <li>• According to April 8 reports, Korean Air is putting 70% of its employees on a leave of absence from April 16-October 15.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SRI LANKA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 189 Confirmed Deaths: 7 Recovered Cases: 47</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sri Lankan Airlines has suspended services to Kuwait, China, and Saudi Arabia.</li> <li>• Sri Lanka temporarily suspended visa on arrival services for all foreigners. Travelers from Iran, Italy, and South Korea will be barred from entry from March 14.</li> <li>• Authorities extended visas for Maldivians residing in the country until April 14, while urging residents with recent travel history to Iran, South Korea, and Europe to register at the closest police station.</li> <li>• Akurana Town, Kandy has been placed under lockdown as of March 29, while indefinite curfews have been raised in the greater Kandy area as well as Puttalam.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The curfew in Colombo, Gampaha, and Kalutara will continue until further notice. Sri Lankan police also warned on March 25 that curfew violators may be arrested without a warrant. Travel between districts has been banned.</li> <li>• Easter services have been canceled in Colombo.</li> <li>• Per March 31 reports, the Police Special Task Force (STF) has set up 16 roadblocks covering all roads entering the capital city of Colombo.</li> <li>• Visas for foreigners residing in Sri Lanka will be extended until May 12 as SriLankan Airlines announced the suspension of all flights from April 8-21.</li> <li>• As of April 5, authorities extended the ban on incoming flights until further notice.</li> <li>• On April 5, Sri Lanka extended its work-from-home policy to April 10.</li> <li>• On April 6, authorities decided to extend in-place restrictions until April 14</li> <li>• The curfew imposed in 19 districts was extended on April 6 until April 9.</li> <li>• Police announced on April 7 that nearly 15,000 arrests have been made for curfew violations since March 20.</li> </ul>
<p><b>TAIWAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 380 Confirmed Deaths: 5 Recovered Cases: 80</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A ban on flights between Taiwan and airports in China went into effect on February 10 and will continue until April 29. Exceptions to the ban include flights to and from Beijing, Shanghai, Xiamen, and Chengdu. Taiwan prohibited the entry of children of Taiwanese or Chinese nationals carrying only a Chinese passport. Only minors without relatives in China and with both parents in Taiwan would be allowed to enter the country.</li> <li>• Tigerair Taiwan extended its suspension of flights to Macau through April.</li> <li>• The government is asking the public to avoid gatherings of 1,000 or more participants and has asked those who do participate to keep a distance of one meter from others and wear a face mask if possible.</li> <li>• Taiwan's EVA Airways and China Airlines suspended multiple flights to the US and Europe on March 15.</li> <li>• Authorities in Taiwan reportedly banned non-residents from entering the country from 00:00 (local time) on March 19.</li> <li>• Per March 21 reports, Central Epidemic Command Center (CECC) raised a Level-3 travel advisory, indicating avoid all nonessential travel.</li> <li>• Airlines in Taiwan announced on March 21 that masks will be mandatory on all flights, while passengers with a fever will be barred from boarding flights.</li> <li>• Air transits through Taiwan are to be suspended from March 24 until April 7.</li> <li>• On March 21, the authorities announced that travelers who exhibit mild flu symptoms may quarantine at home instead of in a hospital.</li> <li>• On March 22, the government announced travelers who entered before today would be granted 30-day visa extensions.</li> <li>• As of March 22, two of Taiwan's regional carriers suspended online check-in for domestic flights.</li> <li>• Railway authorities will begin temperature checks for all passengers at 34 of its major stations in April. The Taoyuan Metro Corporation announced, per March 26 reports, that services to the Taoyuan Airport MRT will be reduced in frequency between April 6 and June 14.</li> <li>• According to reports citing Taiwan's Central Epidemic Command Center (CECC) on March 28, all Taiwanese flight crews will be provided with protective clothing from April 1.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social distancing measures will be introduced to stem the outbreak. However, individuals who do not comply will not be punished, according to the health ministry on March 31.</li> <li>• On April 3, authorities said that passengers on public transport were required to wear masks else they would be fined or refused entry.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, the CECC issued a national-level emergency at tourist locations around the island.</li> <li>• All members of the public must wear a face mask when visiting government facilities in Taipei from April 9.</li> </ul>
<p><b>TAJIKISTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities scaled down a travel ban following an earlier announcement on March 3, reducing the number of targeted countries from 35 to five, specifically China, South Korea, Iran, Afghanistan, and Italy.</li> <li>• The authorities may impose more entry bans in the coming days as announced by the Deputy Health Minister.</li> <li>• On March 18, the US State Department advised its citizens to reconsider travel to Tajikistan due to the coronavirus.</li> <li>• As of March 20, authorities reportedly suspended all international flights.</li> </ul>
<p><b>THAILAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,423        Confirmed Deaths: 32        Recovered Cases: 940</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thai Airways indicated that it will cancel some flights to China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Japan, South Korea, Singapore, the Philippines, Bangladesh, and the UAE.</li> <li>• Nok Air suspended its daily morning flights between Yangon and Bangkok, per March 7 reports.</li> <li>• On March 8, authorities recommended avoiding travel to Singapore, Japan, France, and Germany.</li> <li>• Bangkok Airlines canceled several flights to Myanmar for seven months, effective from March 29, and suspended flights to Cambodia, Vietnam, India, and the Maldives for varying periods.</li> <li>• Per March 21 reports, Thai AirAsia suspended all international flights for March 22-April 25. ThaiLion Air is reportedly set to suspend domestic and international flights from March 25-May 1.</li> <li>• Per March 22 reports, all 19 checkpoints along the border with Cambodia were closed from March 23 until April 5. Per March 23 reports, all border crossings in the north and northeast of Thailand, which offer access to Myanmar and Laos, have been closed to passenger traffic, although freight transport is still permitted.</li> <li>• Thailand's Prime Minister Prayuth Chan-o-cha declared a one-month state of emergency, effective March 26 to April 30. Public transportation will be halted; domestic flights have been suspended until at least April 4. Under the new measures, foreign nationals will also be barred entry into the country, from both air and land checkpoints, until April 30.</li> <li>• Thailand announced on March 24 that all train passengers will be required to wear a mask before entering transportation terminals.</li> <li>• Per March 25 reports, buses from Thailand to Laos and Cambodia have been suspended amid stricter measures on domestic routes, with passengers being required to wear face masks and undergo temperature checks.</li> <li>• Authorities in Bangkok extended the shutdown of public facilities, including libraries, museums, playgrounds, sporting grounds, meeting halls, childcare centers, and beauty clinics until April 30.</li> </ul>


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- Thai AirAsia canceled all domestic flights from April 1 to April 30.
- The Bangkok Metropolitan Authority announced the closure of more public avenues in the capital from 00:00 (local time) on March 28 to April 30.
- Authorities suspended the country's compulsory military service for three months, as of March 29 reports.
- Authorities in Thailand's Phuket Province announced a lockdown from March 30 until April 30. Reports also indicate that the Province's airspace may be closed from April 10 onwards. The Tha Chat Chai checkpoint in Mai Khao of Thalang district has also been closed, preventing movement in and out of province.
- Meanwhile, the Bangkok Metropolitan Authority ordered the closure of all shops, including supermarkets and grocery stores, between midnight and 05:00 with effect from April 2.
- As of April 1, investigations into the path of infection of a cluster of 30 cases are under investigation. Two other clusters have been identified - the first cluster of 51 infected individuals is connected to a boxing match that took place in Bangkok in early March; the second cluster of 39 individuals attended a religious ceremony in Indonesia.
- Per April 3 reports, authorities may impose a total lockdown if the number of infections and deaths do not drop within the week. Public transport services would be closed in the Bangkok Metropolitan Region between 21:30-04:00 (local time) from April 3 onwards. This is in accordance with the nationwide curfew declared from 22:00-04:00.
- Thai Smile Airways suspended all routes from April 7-30.
- Per April 4 reports, the government ordered citizens returning from abroad to report for state quarantine and vowed to take legal actions against individuals who fail to do so.
- Thai military forces have been deployed to assist with enforcing the nationwide curfew, per April 4 reports. Four individuals have been fined and sentenced to jail for violating the curfew.
- Songkhla banned individuals from leaving and entering the province; the lockdown is in effect until April 30.
- Starting April 5, the Patong area of **Phuket** is locked down until further notice.
- Per April 6 reports, the Ministry of Interior Permanent Secretary has sent an official memo to Provincial Governors calling for the preparation of local quarantine areas. The memo also urged local officials to discourage non-essential travel and to enact measures to prevent stockpiling goods.
- On April 6, Thailand extended its ban on all inbound commercial flights until April 18.
- On April 7, Koh Samui banned people, except for those working in essential services, from entering until April 30.
- Per October 8 reports, a French citizen was arrested in Phuket for not wearing a mask, violating an order that requires all people to wear a face mask while outdoors.
- **UPDATE:** The resort town of Pattaya was locked down for 21 days with effect from 14:00 (local time) on April 9 while Songkhla Province extended its lockdown until April 30.
- Meanwhile, authorities allowed the automatic extension of all visas of foreigners who legally entered the country till April 30.

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<p><b>TURKMENISTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Turkmenistan Airlines reportedly suspended flights to Beijing as part of preventive measures to contain the spread of the coronavirus on February 1.</li> <li>• On February 20, the UK FCO issued an advisory for Turkmenistan, indicating that travelers holding passports of countries with confirmed COVID-19 cases will be required to undertake testing by an infectious disease clinic and stay in quarantine if necessary.</li> <li>• The UK FCO issued a notice indicating that all travelers arriving at Ashgabat International Airport (ASB) will be required to undergo a medical examination upon arrival. This will include oral swabs and testing of the respiratory system. Passengers who test positive for COVID-19 will be transferred to a quarantine facility for at least 14 days.</li> <li>• Authorities announced that only residents of Ashgabat will be allowed into the city.</li> <li>• Authorities canceled all sporting events and the training of athletes, and further shut down sports clubs and fitness studios, as of March 24, per March 27 reports.</li> <li>• Per April 7 reports, Turkmenistan officials stated that restrictive measures will be introduced if necessary; current measures reportedly include curbs on the entry of foreigners, suspended air traffic with infected countries, and quarantine supervision.</li> <li>• Thousands gathered on April 7 for mass exercise events to mark World Health Day, defying global pandemic concerns.</li> </ul>
<p><b>UZBEKISTAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 555        Confirmed Deaths: 3        Recovered Cases: 30</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uzbekistan has announced a temporary suspension of all international flights that began on March 16 until April 5.</li> <li>• According to reports, Uzbekistan closed its borders for both foreign and Uzbek nationals from March 23. Foreign nationals will be allowed to leave the country. All businesses and institutions in Tashkent are requested to operate online. All residents are required to wear masks in public places. Anyone without a mask will be fined.</li> <li>• On March 27, Uzbekistan widened its lockdown to include all provinces and suspended air travel between them.</li> <li>• Self-isolation will become mandatory from April 6, including in Tashkent, Nukus, and regional centers.</li> <li>• From April 6, the use of scooters and bicycles will be limited, in addition to the ban on personal cars and motorcycles that remains in effect until at least April 20.</li> <li>• Authorities began a nationwide campaign to disinfect streets on April 4.</li> <li>• Uzbekistan witnessed its largest single-day rise in confirmed cases on April 6 with 115 new COVID-19 cases reported.</li> </ul>
<p><b>VIETNAM</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 251        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 128</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vietnam Airlines suspended all international flights until April 30, and reduced domestic routes from 35 to eight until April 15.</li> <li>• As of March 20, the country suspended all inbound international flights. As of March 22, Vietnam temporarily barred entry to all foreign nationals.</li> <li>• On March 25, the Vietnam Ministry of Foreign Affairs recommended that all citizens minimize international travel and return home.</li> <li>• On March 29, Hanoi announced the closure of one of the city's largest hospitals after nurses and other workers tested positive for COVID-19.</li> </ul>




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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vietnamese air carriers announced on March 28 that domestic flights will be further reduced at least until April 15.</li> <li>• Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh city reportedly limited public transportation until April 15; trans-provincial passenger trains are suspended, while buses with more than nine seats will not be allowed to depart from or arrive in either city.</li> <li>• From March 31, authorities have barred gatherings of more than two people, and have asked citizens to remain in their homes; trips for essential goods and services will be permitted. The measures are set to last for 15 days.</li> <li>• All private clinics in Ho Chi Minh were closed from March 30, while hospital visits will not be permitted.</li> <li>• The Vietnamese government declared a national emergency as of April 1 as the country closed its borders with Laos and Cambodia and suspended the movement of all four-wheeled commercial passenger vehicles until April 15.</li> <li>• Per April 2 reports, the Immigration Department eased visa extension rules for foreign citizens in the country who could not travel back due to travel restrictions in their home countries.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, 62 disease control points will be deployed in Ho Chi Minh city.</li> <li>• Hanoi authorities fined three individuals for leaving their premises for unnecessary reasons on April 5, while the new Vietravel Airlines postponed its launch and first flights due to the outbreak.</li> </ul>
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### Pacific Islands

Country	Measures
<p><b>AMERICAN SAMOA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On February 6, ferries between the two American Samoa islands were suspended.</li> <li>• According to February 25 reports, American Samoa authorities banned the entry of travelers arriving from South Korea.</li> <li>• Per March 3 reports, American Samoa has suspended all government travel to US states and foreign countries with confirmed cases of coronavirus, effective immediately.</li> <li>• Per March 6 reports, airlines operating in the country are reducing the number of flights to and from several destinations, while the entry of all charter flights is denied.</li> <li>• As per March 11 reports, authorities revised their travel advisory, announcing that US passport holders and residents will not be required to obtain health clearances or spend a 14-day quarantine period before entering.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, authorities recommended that the border with Samoa should remain closed even after the country's State of Emergency ends or it calls for a resumption of inter-island travel. Meanwhile, authorities suspended all church services and religious gatherings for an indefinite period.</li> </ul>
<p><b>FIJI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 15 Confirmed Deaths: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities have placed Lautoka into lockdown. Residents can only leave for essential travel. Nadi International Airport (NAN) suspended operations from March 26.</li> <li>• Fiji Airways has suspended all domestic flights since March 31.</li> <li>• Authorities extended the lockdown in Lautoka until April 7.</li> <li>• Suva will be placed under lockdown on April 3, following two confirmed cases in the capital city. All nonessential businesses will remain closed for at least two weeks, while residents are requested to remain at home. Additionally, the entire urban area located</li> </ul>

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<p>Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<p>within Delainavesi Bridge, Queens Road Sawani Junction, and the Rewa River Bridge will be sealed off for 14 days, starting at 05:00 (local time) on April 3.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The nationwide curfew has been extended by two hours, from 20:00-05:00 daily.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, authorities warned that the military and police would be deployed to lock down the country if restrictions were not adhered to, after Fiji reported five new cases, its highest daily total.</li> <li>• Nearly 240 individuals were detained between April 3 and 5 for breaching the curfew, prompting the Prime Minister to warn of a potential 24-hour curfew in the near term.</li> </ul>
<p><b>FRENCH POLYNESIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 51        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As of January 28, all travelers from Asia to French Polynesia are required to present a medical certificate dated less than 15 days to prove that they have had no symptoms of viral infection before embarking for the island nation.</li> <li>• Per March 3 reports, authorities announced that travelers to French Polynesia must produce a medical certificate no more than five days old proving they are free from coronavirus. This also applies to aircrew and travelers.</li> <li>• Ferry services between Tahiti and Moorea have been reduced.</li> <li>• On March 27, the last flight to France is scheduled to take off before regular services are suspended until at least late April.</li> <li>• Authorities announced a nationwide curfew in all islands of the country, effective from 20:00-05:00 on March 28 until April 15. Anyone breaching the curfew will be fined at least 150 USD and may be imprisoned for upto one year.</li> <li>• Authorities announced that one case out of the total points to evidence of local transmission, as the individual has no connection to the other cases that are linked to overseas travel.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GUAM</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 93        Confirmed Deaths: 4        Recovered Cases: 14</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 14, the Governor of Guam declared a public health emergency.</li> <li>• On March 16, Guam announced new measures restricting public gatherings, closing all schools, and closing government offices for two weeks. All travelers from affected areas will undergo an immediate, mandatory quarantine.</li> <li>• Authorities have imposed mandatory social isolation until March 30. All nonessential services and businesses must be closed. Grocery shops, medical services, and transportation will remain in operation.</li> <li>• Approximately 1,000 sailors from a US aircraft carrier have been quarantined at a US base in Guam, following their disembarkment on April 1.</li> <li>• Per April 4 reports, the governor asked the public to remain indoors unless going for essential services, while adhering to restrictions on movement.</li> <li>• On April 5, the governor extended the Public Health Emergency until May 5.</li> </ul>
<p><b>KIRIBATI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kiribati placed all visa applications from China on hold as of February 1, per reports, as a precaution. All visitors will reportedly be required to fill out a health form, while those coming from coronavirus-affected countries will be required to go through a self-quarantine upon entry to Kiribati.</li> <li>• Passengers who have been in a country with any confirmed cases of coronavirus will not be allowed to enter Kiribati before staying in a country without confirmed cases for 14 days.</li> <li>• As per February 10 reports, all international travelers will undergo a health check at all ports of entry. Authorities also recommend avoiding nonessential travel to areas and territories with sustained transmission cases.</li> </ul>




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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>According to February 25 reports, Kiribati banned the entry of travelers arriving from Japan and South Korea.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MARSHALL ISLANDS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Marshall Islands declared a State of Health Emergency as of February 7. As of February 10 reports, the country issued an indefinite ban on international travel by government employees and elected leaders to reduce the risk of importing the disease. While the ban does not cover private citizens, authorities have urged all locals to defer foreign travel.</li> <li>Following the suspension of flights by United Airlines as of March 21, the only international service to the Marshall Islands, there are no air links to the country for at least three weeks. Per the US Embassy, all incoming international air travel remains suspended until April 5.</li> <li>On April 2, authorities extended the suspension of international air travel until May 5.</li> </ul>
<p><b>FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Surveillance at ports of entry has been enhanced.</li> <li>On March 22, the government announced an entry ban on travelers.</li> <li>Per March 27 reports, authorities have banned inbound arrivals by air.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NEW CALEDONIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 18 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Isle of Pines extended a ban on cruise ships to the island until the end of March.</li> <li>The New Caledonian government ordered the closure of all public places, including bars and restaurants, for two weeks from March 20.</li> <li>Per March 21 reports, New Caledonia's international carrier Aircalin has been ordered to halt all flights to the territory. New Caledonia ceased all commercial flights from March 24. Non-residents have been advised to leave the territory as soon as possible, per the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.</li> <li>The government has ordered people to stay home for at least 15 days from the end of March 23.</li> <li>On April 3, authorities extended restrictions on movement and public gatherings until April 13.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 6 Confirmed Deaths: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Board of Education will cut the school week down to four days from April due to the economic impact of the coronavirus outbreak.</li> <li>On March 17, the Governor signed an executive order declaring a state of significant emergency and a public health emergency. The measures include a two-week government shutdown, a ban on activities with over 50 participants, and a travel ban for residents.</li> <li>Authorities reported the territory's first death on April 1, along with four additional cases.</li> <li>The territory will close its borders from April 5.</li> </ul>

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Recovered Cases: 0	
<b>PALAU</b>  Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Palau has taken preventative measures, including enhanced screenings at airports.</li> <li>Per March 27 reports, authorities have canceled all incoming air travel for two weeks.</li> <li>Per April 4 reports, the country's first suspected case tested negative. Authorities stated that borders would remain closed until April 30, while schools would be closed until April 17. The government urged the public to continue social distancing measures and following recommended hygiene practices.</li> </ul>
<b>SAMOA</b>  Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Authorities requested a reduction of international flights, as per March 2 reports. Apia-Auckland, Apia-Nadi, and Apia-Pago Pago routes are slated to be reduced.</li> <li>Samoa declared a state of emergency on March 20 to be in effect for 14 days. All non-citizens will be unable to enter the country during this time.</li> <li>Samoa announced on March 25 that quarantine violators will be fined.</li> <li>On April 3, Samoa announced that its State of Emergency will be extended for one month.</li> </ul>
<b>SOLOMON ISLANDS</b>  Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All cruise ships and private yachts were banned from March 20 for 90 days.</li> <li>Social distancing has been encouraged, and residents are urged to avoid nonessential public gatherings.</li> <li>Authorities banned entry to all non-citizens as of March 22.</li> <li>Authorities declared a state of emergency on March 25, which will remain in effect for two weeks. Per March 27 reports, all international flights into the country have been suspended, with all night-clubs, kava bars, and casinos in the capital also being closed. However, churches will be allowed to remain open.</li> <li>The Parliament announced on April 8 that the country's state of public emergency has been extended until July.</li> </ul>
<b>TONGA</b>  Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 19, the Prime Minister of Tonga declared a state of emergency. All foreign nationals are barred entry until April 17. Citizens and emergency workers will need to quarantine upon entry for 14 days.</li> <li>On March 26, Tonga's Prime Minister declared a national lockdown, set to take effect on March 29 until April 5. Everyone is required to stay home, except for purchasing or supplying essential goods, obtaining medical supplies or medical assistance, accessing financial services, or attending work as an essential service provider. Night-time curfews will be enforced from 20:00 to 06:00 daily. Bars, restaurants, and night clubs will be closed; supermarkets and retail shops selling essential goods will remain open.</li> <li>Gatherings held indoors have a 10-person limit, while those outdoors have a 20-person limit and require that an officer be present.</li> <li>Per April 3 reports, Tonga has extended its national lockdown until April 12.</li> </ul>
<b>TUVALU</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Acting Governor-General declared a State of Emergency on March 21 that will last for 14 days; public gatherings will be restricted to no more than 10 people.</li> </ul>



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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	
<p><b>VANUATU</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As of February 1, Vanuatu implemented new arrival card questionnaires. Travelers with recent travel history in China are requested to issue a health certificate signed by a certified doctor or other health authorities.</li> <li>Vanuatu's national coronavirus taskforce has advised against accepting cruise ships that were diverted from other countries.</li> <li>On March 17, Vanuatu's prime minister extended the ban on cruise ships for an additional 30 days.</li> <li>Vanuatu has declared a state of emergency in order to allow the government to better prepare the country for a potential outbreak.</li> </ul>
<p><b>WALLIS &amp; FUTUNA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Wallis &amp; Futuna has taken preventative measures, including enhanced screenings at airports.</li> <li>Authorities have decided to ban a planned visit by a German cruise ship. A decision has yet to be made on a second ship due later in the month.</li> </ul>



## Europe

Country	Measures
<p><b>ALBANIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 409 Confirmed Deaths: 22 Recovered Cases: 165</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Ministry of Health confirmed the country's first cases of COVID-19 on March 9, with the infected individuals being a father and son who had recently returned from Florence, Italy.</li> <li>Albania confirmed its first death from COVID-19 on March 11.</li> <li>The government closed borders with neighboring countries including Greece, Kosovo, Montenegro, North Macedonia until March 28.</li> <li>From March 23, all international flights to Albania will be suspended, except for those between Tirana International Airport (TIA) and Istanbul Airport (IST).</li> <li>The government announced a "State of Natural Disaster" enforcing new strict measures as additional cases were confirmed on March 24.</li> <li>Albania has suspended all commercial flights as of March 28.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All citizens will have to get permission on the e-Albania platform to go out for supplies only between 05:00-13:00 (local time) as of March 30. Only one member per family will be authorized to move outside the residence between 05:00-13:00.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Health extended lockdown measures indefinitely, as per April 1.</li> <li>• The prime minister announced that punitive measures will be enforced to those not abiding by COVID-19 restrictions as of April 6. He also announced that curfews will be alleviated slightly, however, the details of this have not been clarified.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>AUSTRIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 13,028        Confirmed Deaths: 295        Recovered Cases: 5,240</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced the closure of all shops except for banks, drugstores, grocery stores, post offices, pharmacies, post offices and petrol stations from March 16.</li> <li>• Austria has banned gatherings of more than five people from March 15.</li> <li>• The government announced it will introduce an entry ban for travelers from the Netherlands, Russia, UK, and Ukraine on March 15.</li> <li>• Exit restrictions were put in place restricting movement in public space. Playgrounds and sports fields, restaurants, and cafes have been shut without exceptions.</li> <li>• From midnight on March 18, border checks will be implemented at the German-Austria border. Border checks with Italy, Liechtenstein, and Switzerland are already in effect as of March 19. Rail operator OBB has suspended all passenger train connections to and from Italy.</li> <li>• The entire province of Tyrol has been placed under lockdown until April 5. Further, Gastein Valley, Grobarltal, and Flachau in the Salzburg province have also been placed under lockdown.</li> <li>• Austria has extended all current restrictions until April 13.</li> <li>• Austria extends the lockdown of all its ski resorts until April 13.</li> <li>• The government introduced further measures, making it compulsory to wear face masks in supermarkets, prohibiting the use of hotels for tourism, and mandating all persons from high-risk groups to work from home, as of April 1.</li> <li>• On April 3, Austrian Airlines announced an extension to current flight suspensions until May 3</li> <li>• The government is considering the easing of the lockdown measures from April 14, per April 6 reports.</li> <li>• On April 6, the Minister of Defense announced that the first partial mobilization of citizen militia officers to provide security assistance during the pandemic will take place in July.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ANDORRA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 564        Confirmed Deaths: 23        Recovered Cases: 52</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officials confirmed Andorra's first case of the virus on March 2.</li> <li>• As of March 16, nonessential stores and businesses are closed.</li> <li>• The country recorded its first death from COVID-19 complications on March 22.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>BELARUS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,066 Confirmed Deaths: 13 Recovered Cases: 77</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Ministry of Health announced the implementation of health screenings at Minsk National Airport (MSQ).</li> <li>• The Belarusian Healthcare Ministry confirmed a case of COVID-19 in an individual from Vitebsk on March 1.</li> <li>• As per March 6 reports, all public transport in Minsk will reportedly be thoroughly disinfected.</li> <li>• The government decreed on March 26 that individuals who arrive in Belarus from countries where COVID-19 cases were reported should observe a 14-day quarantine.</li> <li>• Belarus confirmed its first death from COVID-19 on March 31 in Vitebsk. Second death was announced by the government on April 1.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Minsk city administration implemented new restrictions on April 7, including a mandate to hold meetings and seminars via video conferencing, a ban on gatherings in museums and exhibitions, and a prohibition on visits to nursing homes.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BELGIUM</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 23,983 Confirmed Deaths: 2,523 Recovered Cases: 5,164</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Belgium introduced a partial lockdown on March 18, with residents only allowed to leave their homes to buy essential goods, receive medical attention, or go to banks.</li> <li>• The government announced that only people living under the same roof will be allowed to go outside together during the lockdown on March 19.</li> <li>• Belgium has closed all its borders to nonessential travel as of March 20.</li> <li>• Brussels South Charleroi Airport (CRL) will be closed until April 5.</li> <li>• The government and SNCB announced that fewer trains will be operational due to an increasing number of sick employees.</li> <li>• The government has introduced a 250 EUR fine for non-essential travel and 750 EUR for commercial establishments violating lockdown measures. Anyone found violating rules for a second time can be imprisoned for eight days to three months.</li> <li>• On March 27, Prime Minister Sophie Wilmes announced that the nationwide lockdown that was set to expire on April 5, has been extended by two weeks until at least April 19.</li> <li>• Air Antwerp announced it intends to resume operations on its London route on May 4.</li> <li>• As of March 31, a 12-year old in Belgium is the youngest European to die from COVID-19.</li> <li>• On March 31 Belgium made spitting on police an offense punishable by fines up to 2,400 EUR and prison terms between three months and two years, in response to an increase in incidents of people spitting on police.</li> <li>• TUI Airlines announced the cancellation of all flights until May 10.</li> <li>• The government reintroduced the entry and exit checks on borders to prevent people from taking part in non-essential travel on April 3</li> <li>• Brussels Airlines, a subsidiary of Lufthansa, extended its suspension of flights until at least May 15.</li> <li>• The National Crisis Centre has published a new version of guidelines regarding the preventive measures and advised that families with children of maximum 5 years of age can use their cars for recreational activities as per April 6 reports.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BOSNIA &amp; HERZEGOVINA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government of Republika Srpska confirmed the country's first two cases of COVID-19 in Banja Luka City on March 5.</li> </ul>

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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 841 Confirmed Deaths: 35 Recovered Cases: 95</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bosnia &amp; Herzegovina announced a ban on all travelers from countries most affected by COVID-19 on March 10.</li> <li>• A nationwide state of emergency was declared on March 17 for both federal regions.</li> <li>• The Minister of the Interior stated that everyone must wear protective masks in public as per March 23 reports.</li> <li>• The government plans to suspend all air traffic from March 30. Foreign nationals with exceptions of diplomats and medical practitioners will be denied entry. Only, aircrafts carrying medical equipment will be allowed entry.</li> <li>• The US embassy updated information on entry requirements to Bosnia &amp; Herzegovina on March 25. All non-resident foreign nationals will be banned from entering the country. All citizens and foreign nationals that are residents will be allowed to enter and will be subjected to a mandatory quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>• The government approved the evacuation of citizens from Italy on March 26. A charter flight between Sarajevo and Rome will be provided within the next two days.</li> <li>• The Federation of Bosnia &amp; Herzegovina entity has extended the curfew for individuals aged below 18 and above 65 for 24-hours everyday until further notice.</li> <li>• 20 border crossings between Bosnia and Herzegovina and Croatia including Svilaj, Gejkovac, Pasin Potok, Bogovolja, Kordunski Ljeskovac, Licka Kaldrma, Bili Brig, Arzano Pazar, Dvorine, Cera, Jovica Most, Sebisina, Slivno, Podprolog, Unka, Vukov Klanac, Imotica, Slano, Hrvatska Dubica and Gabela Polje. have been temporarily closed as of April 3.</li> <li>• A state of emergency has been enacted in Republika Srpska from April 5 following earlier political disagreements.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BULGARIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 611 Confirmed Deaths: 24 Recovered Cases 48</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government declared a state of emergency until April 13 on March 13.</li> <li>• The US embassy in Sofia announced the suspension of all non-emergency services until further notice on March 15.</li> <li>• Several medical workers reportedly resigned from two hospitals in Sofia due to inadequate provisions of protective gear and equipment on March 19.</li> <li>• The government announced restrictions on intercity travel on March 26, according to which individuals will only be allowed passage through checkpoints at the entrances of regional centers only if the journey is urgent.</li> <li>• The Health Minister issued an order on March 26 extending all COVID-19 measures until April 13, including the closure of schools.</li> <li>• The term for otherwise expired documents for permanent and long-term resident non-EU citizens and EU nationals will be extended by six months.</li> <li>• As of March 30, Bulgaria has banned entry of individuals arriving from Italy, Spain, France, the UK, Germany, the Netherlands, and Switzerland in addition to all non-European citizens.</li> <li>• As of March 31, a nightly curfew has been implemented in Stara Zagora between 21:00-05:00.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Health advised citizens to wear protective face masks at all times as a precautionary measure.</li> <li>• On April 1, the Bulgarian Cabinet asked the National Assembly to extend the State of Emergency to May 13.</li> </ul>




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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government banned entry into its territory to citizens from all countries except for 19 EU member states on April 6. Italy, Spain, France, Germany, the Netherlands, Austria, Belgium, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Switzerland, and the UK are included in the ban.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CROATIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,343        Confirmed Deaths: 19        Recovered Cases: 179</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dubrovnik Airport was closed to all international and domestic flights until further notice after an employee was tested positive with the virus on March 19.</li> <li>The state public health institute announced the first confirmed death of an individual infected with COVID-19 in Pula on March 19.</li> <li>All public transportation, both inter- and intra-city, will be suspended for 30 days as of March 22. Inter-city travel is banned.</li> <li>As of March 28, foreign nationals will face no penalties for staying in Croatia past the expiration of their visa or other entry authorization, but must register with local police.</li> <li>Croatia Airlines announced on March 31 that it will temporarily suspend all its flights. The airlines will continue operations from Zagreb Airport (ZAG) to Amsterdam Airport Schiphol (AMS), Brussels Airport (BRU), Frankfurt Airport (FRA), and London Heathrow Airport (LHR) until at least Sunday, April 19.</li> <li>Croatia Airlines will suspend the Zagreb-Amsterdam route from April 4 until April 19.</li> <li>20 border crossings between Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina including Svilaj, Gejkovac, Pasin Potok, Bogovolja, Kordunski Ljeskovac, Licka Kaldrma, Bili Brig, Arzano Pazar, Dvorine, Cera, Jovica Most, Sebisina, Slivno, Podprolog, Unka, Vukov Klanac, Imotica, Slano, Hrvatska Dubica and Gabela Polje have been temporarily closed as of April 3.</li> <li>American Airlines announced on April 5 that it cancelled all flights from Philadelphia to Dubrovnik in 2020.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CYPRUS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 526        Confirmed Deaths: 9        Recovered Cases: 52</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cyprus announced its first two confirmed cases on March 9, both of whom recently returned from abroad, including one from northern Italy and the other is a health professional.</li> <li>The government announced a state of emergency, including suspension in operations of private businesses on March 15.</li> <li>New entry regulations tighten the partial entry ban in which Cyprus shut its borders for 15 days to all except Cypriots, Europeans and third-country nationals working and studying on the islands with special permits on March 15. From March 16, persons authorized to enter Cyprus will be placed in quarantine.</li> <li>Cyprus announced a lockdown on March 23 until April 13. The movement of people is effectively banned unless it is essential.</li> <li>Authorities announced a curfew amid the lockdown on March 30. From March 31, individuals will be prohibited from leaving their homes between 21:00 - 06:00.</li> <li>Cyprus extended a ban on commercial flights for 28 countries for another two weeks as of April 2.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> As of April 8, Cyprus extended the current lockdown measures until April 30.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>CZECH REPUBLIC</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prime Minister Andrej Babis announced a state of emergency for 30 days as of March 12. All catering services will be closed between 20:00-06:00 daily. All events with over 30 people are banned from March 13.</li> </ul>


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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 5,335 Confirmed Deaths: 104 Recovered Cases: 243</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Government to ban all foreign travelers except those with residency and or short-term permits valid for over 90-days, from entering and leaving the country from March 16.</li> <li>• Authorities have mandated travel restrictions nationwide including a ban on private transportation, public and private businesses until March 24.</li> <li>• In Prague, face masks must be worn in all shops and offices from March 18, with those not abiding facing fines.</li> <li>• Restrictions related to COVID-19 will be extended until April 1. The head of Czech's Crisis Staff reported that border restrictions may last up to two years depending on how other countries in Europe manage the pandemic.</li> <li>• A large shipment of masks sent from China to Italy was reportedly stolen in the Czech Republic, per March 22 reports.</li> <li>• The Health Ministry banned all meetings with more than two people on March 26.</li> <li>• Government announced the extension of restrictions on movement and business until April 11 and the state of emergency until April 11, as per April 3 reports.</li> <li>• Czech Republic reported its slowest daily percentage rise in confirmed COVID-19 cases with a 2.6 percent increase on April 6.</li> <li>• The government is considering revoking the ban on Czechs traveling abroad from April 14.</li> <li>• On April 7, the government announced the extension of the ongoing state of emergency until April 30.</li> </ul>
<p><b>DENMARK</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 5,402 Confirmed Deaths: 218 Recovered Cases: 1,621</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Denmark confirmed its first case of the virus on February 27 in an individual who recently returned from Italy.</li> <li>• On March 4 the Minister of Health confirmed its first COVID-19 case in the Faroe Islands. The individual reportedly arrived from Paris on February 24.</li> <li>• All 'non-critical' public servants have been ordered to work from home for two weeks as of March 11.</li> <li>• Denmark announced the closure of nurseries, schools, and universities for two weeks on March 12. Primary schools will be closed in Greenland from March 23 for a period of two weeks.</li> <li>• The government closed all borders and banned foreign travelers from March 14.</li> <li>• Scandinavian Airlines (SAS) will temporarily halt most of its flights from March 16.</li> <li>• All public gatherings over 10 people are banned and non-essential businesses will be required to close from March 18.</li> <li>• All direct flights will be suspended between Denmark and Greenland from March 20. Domestic flights and ferry services in Greenland will be halted by March 21.</li> <li>• A ban on public gatherings of more than 100 people in Greenland remains in place as of March 19.</li> <li>• The nationwide lockdown in Denmark has been extended until April 13.</li> <li>• From April 1, <a href="#">Scandinavian Airlines (SAS)</a> has temporarily cancelled its direct flight from Stockholm, Sweden to Newark, New Jersey. Daily flight options with other air carriers from Denmark to the United States with connections through Amsterdam, Frankfurt, and London remain available.</li> <li>• The Government announced that travel restrictions implemented in the country will remain in place through at least May 10.</li> <li>• The government is considering the reopening of some services such as schools from April 15.</li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Denmark's Air Greenland has extended its suspension of all international and domestic flights until April 30.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Greenland's government has extended the ban on all travel to and from Nuuk and its nearby settlements until April 30.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 8, Prime Minister Mette Frederikson announced that some lockdown measures will gradually be lifted, including the reopening of kindergartens, creches, and primary schools from April 15.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ESTONIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,207 Confirmed Deaths: 24 Recovered Cases: 83</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Government confirmed the country's first case of the virus on February 27. The patient was an Iranian national resident in Estonia, who reportedly reentered the country recently via a bus from Latvia.</li> <li>• The government introduced entry control measures allowing entry of only Estonian citizens, residents or family members of residents on March 15.</li> <li>• The US Embassy in Tallinn issued an alert on March 23 that flights from Tallinn Airport (TLL) to major European hubs may be suspended and it remains unclear when they will resume.</li> <li>• Authorities announced that Tallinn Airport (TLL) will continue to serve operators and service cargo flights amid a reported reduction in service as per March 29 reports.</li> <li>• The US Embassy issued an alert noting movement restrictions in the country on April 7. As per the alert, limited flight options remain available from Tallinn Airport (TLL) as of April 7.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>EU</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The first case of COVID-19 among the staff of the EU Council was confirmed in Belgium on March 4.</li> <li>• The European Parliament has suspended the majority of its events over the coming weeks, as of March 10.</li> <li>• The World Health Organization declared Europe the new epicenter of COVID-19 on March 13, with more reported cases and deaths than the rest of the world combined, apart from China.</li> <li>• The EU announced a ban on travelers from outside the bloc for 30 days, as of March 18. The measure is expected to apply to all EU member states, as well as Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, and Switzerland. The travel ban will affect all non-EU nationals from entering the bloc, except long-term residents, family members of EU nationals and diplomats, cross-border and healthcare workers, and individuals transporting goods.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FINLAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,605 Confirmed Deaths: 40 Recovered Cases: 300</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Finnair canceled flights to Milan until April 7 and to Seoul, South Korea until April 16, all its flights to Rome until April 7, and mainland China until April 30.</li> <li>• The government ordered restrictions on the sale of pharmaceutical and medical supplies used in hospital care on March 17.</li> <li>• Finland banned the entrance of foreign citizens as of March 17.</li> <li>• Public gatherings over 10 are banned, with most public spaces, businesses, and services closed as of March 17.</li> <li>• A shelter-in-place order has been issued for those aged over 70.</li> <li>• Finland has reintroduced border checks at all its borders as of March 18.</li> <li>• Finland's Helsinki-Vantaa International Airport (HEL) has begun implementing quarantine rules as of March 20. Authorities are informing travelers of mandatory 14-day quarantines, regardless of which country they have traveled from.</li> </ul>




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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Finland's Uusimaa region has been placed under lockdown as of March 26 until April 19. Travel restrictions will be in place for the capital region, with the expectation of the movement of goods deliveries and indispensable work commuting.</li> <li>• Checkpoints to be implemented in all roads leading towards Helsinki on March 28.</li> <li>• On March 30, Finland announced the extension of restrictions currently in place, until May 13.</li> <li>• On April 2, the Finnish government declared a state of emergency.</li> <li>• Finland has restricted non-essential travel across northern borders until May 13, as of April 7.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FRANCE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 112,950 Confirmed Deaths: 10,869 Recovered Cases: 21,254</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On February 15, the Minister of Health announced the death of a Chinese tourist in Paris, marking the first confirmed death from COVID-19 outside Asia.</li> <li>• The government will reportedly take measures to ensure the supply of masks and hand gels to hospitals after a mass theft was reported on March 4.</li> <li>• As of March 6, the EU Parliament in Strasbourg will be closed until further notice.</li> <li>• President Emmanuel Macron announced on March 12 that all educational establishments across the nation will be closed until further notice starting 16 March.</li> <li>• President Emmanuel Macron announced on March 17 new travel restrictions will be implemented. Only journeys for shopping, commuting when homework is not possible, basic physical activity, and emergencies will be permitted. Macron stated that those not abiding by the restrictions will be punished.</li> <li>• Individuals who wish to get out of their homes for permitted purposes will require a travel certificate attested by authorities. Authorities will not accept digital formats of the certificate. Only official certificates and honor certificates written on paper are valid.</li> <li>• Parliament approved the "state of health emergency" bill sanctioning stringent restrictions to public freedom, including assembly and movement among the other provisions for two months on March 22.</li> <li>• The government announced further restrictions on March 23. Authorities have suspended all commercial flights between mainland France and the overseas departments of French Guiana, Guadeloupe, Martinique, Mayotte, Reunion, Saint Barthelemy, and Saint Martin until at least April 13. Exceptions will be made for extraordinary circumstances or medical reasons.</li> <li>• On March 27, Prime Minister Edouard Philippe announced that the nationwide lockdown has been extended by two weeks until at least April 15</li> <li>• France's Paris Orly Airport (ORY) suspension operation was approved by the government on March 29. The airport will be closed from March 31 at 23:59 to commercial traffic due to decreased demand.</li> <li>• The Government announced new fines up to 450 EUR for a repeat breach of confinement on March 29.</li> <li>• France recorded the highest daily death toll of 833 fatalities with a total of 8,911 deaths as of April 6.</li> <li>• The death toll increased by more than 1,400 and passed the 10,000 mark on April 8.</li> <li>• Authorities in Paris have banned outside exercise between 10:00 -19:00 (local time) during the day from April 8.</li> </ul>


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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On April 7, the Ministry of Interior announced that travelers entering the French territory will be required to carry a certificate issued by the government from April 8.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> France will extend the ongoing lockdown beyond April 15, however, authorities have not yet announced the duration of the extension. President Emmanuel Macron is slated to address the nation on the topic on April 13.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>GERMANY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 113,296        Confirmed Deaths: 2,349        Recovered Cases: 46,300</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Germany has banned the export of medical protection gear to avoid supply shortages of masks, gloves, and protective suits on March 4.</li> <li>Reports from March 15 indicate that Germany will close land borders with Austria, Denmark, France, Luxembourg, and Switzerland from 08:00 (local time) on March 16 other than goods and commuters.</li> <li>Non-essential businesses will be required to close as of March 16. Exceptions include food, pharmaceuticals, fuel stations, banks, and delivery services.</li> <li>The threat risk for Germany has been raised from moderate to "high" by its disease control and prevention agency on March 17. The government has also announced the repatriation of its citizens from abroad in the coming days.</li> <li>Government plans to mobilize military reservists to maintain public order during the outbreak as per March 19 reports.</li> <li>Gatherings of more than two people are prohibited from March 22.</li> <li>Chancellor Angela Merkel is reportedly under self-quarantine after coming in contact with a COVID-19 positive doctor as of March 23.</li> <li>On April 1, the government announced that it would extend social distancing measures though April 19.</li> <li>The government will lift border controls to allow the entry of eastern European farm workers into the territory in April and May, as per April 3 reports.</li> <li>Lufthansa airlines extends flight cancellations, including those for repatriation, until May 3.</li> <li>Germany reports fourth straight drop in daily rate of COVID-19 infections with a tally of 3,677 new cases on April 6</li> <li>Germany has decided to keep its borders with Belgium and the Netherlands open for traffic as per April 7 reports.</li> <li>All travellers arriving into the country from abroad will have to remain in quarantine for 14 days from April 10.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>GREECE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,884        Confirmed Deaths: 83        Recovered Cases: 269</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Civil Aviation Authority has announced the suspension of all flights between Greece and northern Italy.</li> <li>The government announced a two-week closure of theatres, courthouses, cinemas, gyms, playgrounds, schools, and clubs on March 12.</li> <li>The government announced a ban on flights, road, and sea routes to Albania, Macedonia, and Spain on March 15.</li> <li>All non-essential businesses will be closed as of March 18 and religious services will be suspended.</li> <li>Those returning from abroad must self-isolate for 14-days.</li> <li>Gatherings of over 10 people will be banned from March 19 and violators will be fined.</li> <li>As of March 23, Greece requires citizens to remain in their primary residences unless buying essential goods, medicine, or carrying out limited outdoor exercise or going to essential work.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has suspended all passenger flights from Turkey, the UK, and the Netherlands, as well as flights from Germany apart from those destined for Athens on March</li> <li>• The Malakasa camp is the second migrant facility in the country to be quarantined after a resident tests positive for COVID-19 on April 5. Additional quarantine measures for the islands of Mykonos and Santorini was announced on April 5. A total curfew has been imposed from 20:00- 08:00 (local time).</li> <li>• The government announced the extension of emergency restrictions until April 27.</li> <li>• Greece reported the lowest number of new cases since March 12, with 12 new infections on April 6.</li> </ul>
<p><b>HUNGARY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 980        Confirmed Deaths: 66        Recovered Cases: 96</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The US Embassy in Budapest will offer limited visa services as of March 13.</li> <li>• Hungary will close land borders with Austria and Slovenia from March 14.</li> <li>• Hungary has banned entrance to all foreign nationals as of March 17. Hungarian nationals entering the country from abroad will undergo a medical examination upon entering the country.</li> <li>• Wizz Air announced on March 17 the suspension of all flights to and from Malta until April 10.</li> <li>• On March 27, Prime Minister Viktor Orban announced a two-week nationwide lockdown effective since March 28. Restrictions are therefore expected to last until April 11. Individuals will only be able to leave their homes for essential needs, limited exercise, and work-related reasons. All educational institutions and shops except for food stores, pharmacies, petrol stations, and drug stores remain closed. Anyone violating the restriction will face a fine up to approximately EUR 1400.</li> <li>• The government announced the re-opening of the border crossing at Somoskőjfalu in northern Hungary to Slovakia, which was closed due to the epidemic on March 29.</li> <li>• The government announced that on April 2 there would be more public transport in Budapest to ensure safe social distancing on busses and trains.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ICELAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,616        Confirmed Deaths: 6        Recovered Cases: 633</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On February 28, it was confirmed that a man who had recently returned from Italy was diagnosed as the first case in the country.</li> <li>• As of March 19, Icelandic nationals and residents arriving in the country will have to self-isolate for 14 days regardless of their travel history. However, some transportation workers, such as airline crew, will be exempt from this measure.</li> <li>• A ban on public gatherings of more than 100 people remains in effect on March 19.</li> <li>• A 36-year old Australian man diagnosed with COVID-19 died in Husavik, with his wife placed under quarantine. Authorities are investigating the exact cause of death due to discrepancies between the patient's death and known COVID-19 deaths.</li> <li>• The US Embassy has advised US citizen tourists currently in Iceland to return to the US as soon as possible. Iceland Air is only offering flights to Boston on April 2, 4, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 15 departing at 10:00.</li> </ul>
<p><b>IRELAND</b></p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Individuals returning to Ireland from Italy and Spain will be asked to "restrict their movements" for 14-days.</li> <li>• Ryanair expects most of its fleet to be grounded from March 24 and onwards.</li> </ul>

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<p>Confirmed Cases: 6,074 Confirmed Deaths: 235 Recovered Cases: 25</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has tightened the criteria for testing of suspected cases, which will now be limited to those with fever and at least one sign of respiratory disease on March 24.</li> <li>• The regional operator of Aer Lingus, Stobart Air announced the suspension of international flights from March 28 onwards.</li> <li>• As of March 28, the government has asked for all those not involved in 'essential' services to work from home, with travel to work only being allowed for such workers. Brief exercise within two kilometers from a person's primary residence is permitted. All outdoor gatherings, however, are banned. These measures are in place at least until April 12.</li> <li>• As of March 31, Cork Airport (ORK) has reduced its operations.</li> <li>• The government issued a new regulation providing additional powers to the police to enforce restrictions on public movement on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ITALY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 139,422 Confirmed Deaths: 17,669 Recovered Cases : 26,491</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prime Minister Giuseppe Conte has classified all of Italy as a 'protected zone,' banning public events and all but essential travel outside the country. Those traveling outside and non-Italians arriving in Italy will be required to prove the necessity of their travel. Italy has extended restrictions through April 13 at least.</li> <li>• Religious ceremonies, including funerals and weddings, will be temporarily banned. Authorities announced on March 11 that all shops except food stores, pharmacies, and stores selling "essential" items will be closed until further notice.</li> <li>• Ciampino Airport (CIA) will halt operations for passenger flights as of March 14.</li> <li>• Terminal 1 of Leonardo da Vinci–Fiumicino Airport (FCO) will be temporarily closed from March 17.</li> <li>• Hospitals across the country have been forced to prioritize intensive care for patients "with the best chance of survival."</li> <li>• In an address on March 19, Prime Minister Giuseppe Conte said that current lockdown measures will be prolonged beyond the current deadline on April 3.</li> <li>• Lombardy has banned all outdoor activities, including individual sporting and physical exercise, as of March 22.</li> <li>• As per March 21 government directives, only 'essential' production activities may be continued, including food, pharmacies, and other related operations.</li> <li>• As of March 22, inter-municipal travel is banned. Individuals must remain within the municipality in which they are located.</li> <li>• Italy's petrol stations will begin to close down on March 25. Operators state that it has become impossible to guarantee health and safety standards in their businesses.</li> <li>• The government introduced fines of up to 3,000 EUR and a prison term up to five years for violations of lockdown and quarantine rules on March 24.</li> <li>• Italy has extended several airport closures until April 3.</li> <li>• The Government announced the extension of quarantine measures until April 12.</li> <li>• PM Conte announced a new set of economic measures including shopping vouchers and food packages on March 29.</li> <li>• The fatality rate dropped below 600 deaths for the first time in two weeks with 525 deaths reported on April 5.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>KOSOVO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 184 Confirmed Deaths: 5 Recovered Cases: 30</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has canceled flights and bus services from Germany, France, Switzerland, and Italy.</li> <li>• Kosovo confirmed its first two cases on March 13 and the third on March 14.</li> <li>• The government announced the temporary suspension of all flights from Pristina Airport (PRN) from March 16.</li> <li>• The government has enacted a curfew from 10:00-16:00 (local time) and 20:00-06:00 from March 23. Weddings, rallies, and all gatherings are prohibited in both public and private environments.</li> <li>• Authorities have quarantined Northern Mitrovica and Zvecan indefinitely starting April 3. No one can enter or exit the regions and residents can only leave their homes to buy food and medicine.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LATVIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 589 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 16</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• AirBaltic has announced the suspension of all flights to and from the Italian cities of Milan and Verona.</li> <li>• Latvia declared a state of emergency on March 12, banning events with over 200 people and closing schools.</li> <li>• The government announced stricter social distancing measures amid the ongoing COVID-19 epidemic on March 29. The measures include a ban on gathering of more than two people and a mandatory distance of two meters between individuals in public and private places.</li> <li>• Latvia's national airline airBaltic will reportedly cancel 50 percent of planned flights until November 2020.</li> <li>• Authorities increased the fines for breaching COVID-19 restrictions to between 2,000-5,000 EUR.</li> <li>• On April 7, Latvia extended the state of emergency until May 12.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LIECHTENSTEIN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 78 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 55</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Liechtenstein confirmed its first case on March 4.</li> <li>• Liechtenstein has suspended the border crossings of Schellenberg and Mauren, while the crossings at Ruggell and Schaanwald will remain open to commuters and goods.</li> <li>• The country's first COVID-19 related death was recorded on April 4.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LITHUANIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 955 Confirmed Deaths: 15 Recovered Cases: 8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On February 28, it was confirmed that a woman who had recently returned from Italy was diagnosed as the first case in the country, and she was admitted to a hospital in Siauliai.</li> <li>• Lithuania announced the suspension of all flights from Italy on March 12.</li> <li>• The government declared a nationwide quarantine until March 30. Only shops selling 'essential' goods will remain open and public transport will be limited.</li> <li>• Foreign citizens' entry has been banned with exceptions to those involved in commercial and international transportation of goods on March 16.</li> <li>• All passenger air and ferry travel will be suspended starting April 4, and lockdown measures have been extended through April 13.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Lithuania has banned all travel between April 10-13. Checkpoints will be installed outside towns across the country from April 10 and all vehicles will be</li> </ul>



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	<p>checked. Exceptions will be made for those returning home, traveling to another home, traveling for work, and visiting family members after a death.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government has extended the existing quarantine measures until April 27, with making it mandatory for people to wear a facemask in public.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LUXEMBOURG</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 3,034 Confirmed Deaths: 46 Recovered Cases: 500</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Luxembourg confirmed its first case on February 29. The individual had recently traveled to Italy.</li> <li>• On March 14, the country confirmed their first death from COVID-19.</li> <li>• The government announced lockdown measures advising minimal public travel on March 16.</li> <li>• Luxair announced flight cancellations to Czech Republic, Denmark, Greece, Italy, Malta, and Spain until April 26.</li> <li>• Findel Airport (LUX) to be closed to passengers from March 23. Cargo flights to continue to function.</li> <li>• On March 25, authorities introduced several measures to curb the spread of the virus. The measures include the closure of several public spaces and social activities.</li> <li>• The US Embassy reports that travel options by rail are still available from Luxembourg to France, Germany, and the Netherlands as of April 4. There are daily trains available from Luxembourg to Metz and Arlon, France, Trier in Germany with further rail travel possible to the airports.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MALTA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 299 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 16</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The first case of COVID-19 was confirmed in Malta on March 7. The patient is an eight-year-old Italian national.</li> <li>• With the exception of cargo, humanitarian, and repatriation flights, all incoming flights will be stopped from March 21.</li> <li>• As of March 23, nonessential businesses will be required to close, other than those selling food and medicine, as well as selected other services.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Malta announced its first COVID-19 related death on April 8. The victim was a 92 year old woman with severe underlying medical problems.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MOLDOVA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,174 Confirmed Deaths: 28 Recovered Cases: 43</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The health ministry announced Moldova's first confirmed case of COVID-19 on March 8. The patient had reportedly returned from Italy.</li> <li>• Moldova announced a temporary ban on all foreign travelers from countries affected by COVID-19 on March 10.</li> <li>• Beginning on March 15-16, flights between Austria, Belgium, Cyprus, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, Ireland, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain, and the UK will be halted. Foreign nationals will be barred from entering the country until at least March 31.</li> <li>• Only citizens and permanent residents are permitted to board remaining flights to Moldova, as of March 16.</li> <li>• First death from COVID-19 was reported in the Republic of Moldova on March 18. The deceased had resided in a locality that has been placed under quarantine.</li> <li>• The UK's Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) updated its Moldova travel advisory on March 25 warning of travel restrictions in place, including most border crossings to the east and south to be closed.</li> </ul>



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<p><b>MONACO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 81        Confirmed Deaths: 1        Recovered Cases: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On February 28, the Monegasque government confirmed that an individual was diagnosed as the first case in the country and that the individual was admitted to a hospital in Nice, France for further treatment.</li> <li>The Minister of State, Serge Telle, tested positive for COVID-19 on March 16.</li> <li>Prince Albert of Monaco, the Head of State, was tested positive for COVID-19 on March 19.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MONTENEGRO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 252        Confirmed Deaths: 2        Recovered Cases: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Podgorica on March 13 announced the complete ban of public gatherings and closed schools for two weeks. Ports will also close down to stem the possible outbreak of the virus.</li> <li>Montenegro has banned entrance to non-citizens and permanent and temporary residents as of March 16. The government has temporarily suspended national airline operations, international rail and bus lines from March 16.</li> <li>All 'non-essential' businesses will be required to close.</li> <li>The country recorded its first death related to COVID-19 on March 23.</li> <li>Montenegro has placed the town of Tuzi under complete lockdown as of March 25 until further notice. All transportation between Tuzi and Podgorica has been suspended.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NETHERLANDS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 20,549        Confirmed Deaths: 2,248        Recovered Cases: 250</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>KLM will reduce its operations by an estimated 25 percent amid a decline in demand.</li> <li>Businesses, catering services, and multiple events will be suspended until April 6.</li> <li>The government advised all Dutch nationals against travel abroad unless strictly necessary on March 17.</li> <li>As of March 23, no more than two people may stand within two meters of each other while outdoors unless they belong to the same household. Individuals may be heavily fined for violating this measure, which will be in effect through at least June 2020.</li> <li>On March 28, the government extended flight bans on passenger flights from mainland China, Hong Kong, South Korea, Italy, Iran, Spain, and Austria until April 10. Repatriation flights for EU citizens, UK citizens, and Schengen travelers are exempt from the ruling, as long as they can prove they are in transit.</li> <li>Prime Minister Mark Rutte announced that schools, restaurants, and gym will remain closed until April 28.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NORTH MACEDONIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 617        Confirmed Deaths: 29        Recovered Cases: 35</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Temperature checks will be conducted for all travelers from Italy, Istanbul, and Dubai at Skopje International Airport (SKP).</li> <li>On March 13, Skopje announced the prohibiting of public gatherings.</li> <li>North Macedonia will bar the entrance of foreign nationals from March 18 at border crossings and international airports.</li> <li>North Macedonia announced an official nationwide State of Emergency on March 18 for 30 days. The declaration gives greater powers to health authorities.</li> <li>A nationwide curfew is in place from 21:00–06:00. Public transportation will not operate during the curfew.</li> <li>The government announced the suspension of long-distance traveling to and from Kumanovo municipality, placing it in quarantine on March 24.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>NORWAY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 6,042 Confirmed Deaths: 101 Recovered Cases: 32</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government is urging its citizens to return to Norway as soon as possible as the government has advised against travel to all foreign countries, as per March 14 reports.</li> <li>• From March 16, libraries and other public facilities are also closed. All events with more than 50 participants are banned in Oslo. All schools and other educational institutions will be closed as of March 13 until further notice.</li> <li>• The government has advised citizens to leave their country-side cabins, as rural hospitals could be overwhelmed in the event that the virus spreads to the rural regions.</li> <li>• Norway to close borders for foreign citizens without residence permit as of March 16.</li> <li>• The government announced the extension of travel and business restrictions until April 13.</li> <li>• On April 7, Norway announced that it is considering the opening of kindergartens in the first stage of a gradual lifting of the lockdown restrictions from April 20.</li> </ul>
<p><b>POLAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 5,341 Confirmed Deaths: 164 Recovered Cases: 284</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Poland will enact health checks at borders with the Czech Republic and Germany from March 9, with further measures planned in the coming days.</li> <li>• Poland will close all schools, universities, cinemas, theaters, and museums for two weeks beginning March 12 to curtail the spread of COVID-19, as per March 11 reports.</li> <li>• All international flights and rail connections (inbound and outbound) were suspended from 00:01 on Sunday, March 15. All citizens entering Poland will be subject to mandatory quarantine.</li> <li>• The government announced further restrictions on business and travel, including a ban on groups of three and more, and nationwide confinement with limited exceptions on March 24. Restrictions are expected to continue until April 11.</li> <li>• Authorities announced that the existing entry restrictions which bar all foreign nationals from entry, will be extended at least until April 13.</li> <li>• Prime Minister Mateusz Morawiecki announced a series of new domestic restrictions, including the closure of hotels, parks, and salons, on March 31. Individuals are prohibited from leaving their homes except for essential activities, and gatherings of more than two people are banned.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Polish nationals over the age of 75 or those with certain medical conditions will be eligible for postal votes in the May 10 elections.</li> </ul>
<p><b>PORTUGAL</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 13,141        Confirmed Deaths: 380        Recovered Cases: 196</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Portugal has banned visits to hospitals, retirement homes, and prisons in the north.</li> <li>The Ministry of Health issued an advisory that events with more than 5,000 people in open spaces, with over 1,000 in closed venues, and over 150 in the municipalities of Felgueiras and Lousada be canceled or postponed.</li> <li>Portugal has temporarily suspended all passenger flights to and from Italy for two weeks.</li> <li>The government has ordered the closure of all schools, restrictions on docking cruise ships in its docks, and a capacity restriction on shopping malls and restaurants.</li> <li>The government of Madeira has ordered the closure of airports in the region.</li> <li>A national State of Emergency (SoE) was issued on March 18 until further notice.</li> <li>The UK's Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) has updated its Portugal travel advisory regarding additional quarantine measures. Those arriving in the Norte region, including Aveiro, Braga, and Porto, post-March 25 will be subjected to a mandatory 14-days quarantine.</li> <li>The government announced a 6-month suspension of the payment of loan installments on March 26.</li> <li>The government is considering the extension of the quarantine provisions until the end of June as per March 29 reports.</li> <li>The government plans to extend the state of emergency through April 17.</li> <li>The government announced the closure of all airports to commercial flights from April 9-13 on April 2.</li> <li>Those on the main island Sao Miguel in Azores are prohibited from traveling between municipalities except for essential services between April 9-13.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ROMANIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 5,202        Confirmed Deaths: 229        Recovered Cases: 647</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The interim health minister advised citizens on March 5 to limit their travel from Italy and announced that all individuals returning from Italy will be placed under isolation for 15 days.</li> <li>Romania will temporarily close various points of entry with Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Hungary, Moldova, and Ukraine into the country from March 14.</li> <li>The interim government has announced that it will self-isolate for 14 days after a senator tested positive on March 13.</li> <li>Romania will enact a daily curfew between 22:00-06:00 (local time) from March 21, with residents required to remain in their primary residence.</li> <li>The government announced a total quarantine in Romania, making everything that was previously recommended mandatory, as of March 24.</li> <li>President Klaus Iohannis announced additional measures on March 24. The government is planning to issue a military decree with restrictions on movement and business taking effect from March 25.</li> <li>Authorities increased penalties for breaching COVID-19 restrictions. Individuals who defy the rules will be fined between 414-4,140 EUR.</li> <li>Interior Minister Marcel Vela announced on March 31 that the municipality of Suceava and eight surrounding villages will be placed under quarantine.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As of March 31, flights to and from Italy and Spain will continue to be suspended for 14 days.</li> <li>The National Public Health Institute announced that the USA has been placed on the Red Zone list of nations affected by COVID-19. Anyone traveling from the US entering Romania will be subject to an institutional quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>Flights between Romania and Austria, Belgium, Iran, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Turkey, the UK, and the USA have been suspended from April 5 until at least April 19.</li> <li>The town of Tandarei has been placed under quarantine due to a severe local outbreak, preventing individuals from entering or leaving the area, as of April 5.</li> <li>On April 6, President Klaus Iohannis announced that the state of emergency will be extended in the country by another 30 days.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RUSSIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 10,131 Confirmed Deaths: 76 Recovered Cases: 698</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The St. Petersburg International Economic Forum scheduled for June 3-6 has been canceled.</li> <li>Restrictions on visits to hospital patients introduced in Moscow on March 13.</li> <li>The government banned the entry of foreign nationals and stateless people from March 18.</li> <li>The government announced that foreigners violating quarantine provisions may be deported from Russia on March 19.</li> <li>March 27 onwards, all flights except for repatriation flights will be suspended until further notice.</li> <li>A ban on gatherings of over 50 people remains in effect as of March 26.</li> <li>The US Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has issued a Level 3: avoid nonessential travel warning to Russia as of March 25.</li> <li>The government suspended accommodation in sanatoriums, operations of resorts as well as activities of public catering organizations from March 28 to June 1.</li> <li>As of March 30, all borders with Russia will be closed, including road, rail, and river, except for certain cargo.</li> <li>As of March 30, all Moscow residents will be required to self-isolate in their homes. Individuals will be allowed to leave their homes for emergency medical assistance, trips to work and back, dog walking to a distance of not more than 100 meters, to buy food and for waste disposal. The measures will reportedly be in place until May 1.</li> <li>18 regions imposed lockdowns following the Moscow region, including St. Petersburg, Kaliningrad, and 30 other regions on March 30.</li> <li>Lawmakers voted on March 31 to give the government powers to declare a national emergency and approved penalties, including jail terms, for violations of lockdown rules.</li> <li>The Republic of Chechnya announced that on April 5 it would close its borders and bar entry to Russian citizens, making it the first region to do so. The move has since been challenged by federal officials.</li> <li>Russia announced a series of measures on March 25, which include a week-long paid national holiday from March 28, although President Vladimir Putin prolonged this until April 30. All nonessential work, except for hospitals, emergency services, medical services, banks, and pharmacies will remain closed.</li> <li>The government announced on April 3 that it is temporarily suspending all flights in and out of the country, including those for repatriation services.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Repatriation flights are reportedly set to resume on April 6. All Russian nationals are requested to fill out an online questionnaire in order to coordinate flights. All returning nationals will be placed under a mandatory quarantine upon arrival in designated facilities.</li> <li>• The US Department of State has arranged repatriation flights for US citizens and, if space allows, US Residents, from Moscow Sheremetyevo Airport on April 9, beginning at 5:45 (local time). Note that the schedule is subject to change.</li> <li>• On April 5, Russian Railways canceled its final international route to Belarus, marking the cancellation of a total of 20 foreign destinations until further notice.</li> <li>• The Russian Airports Association reported a 90 percent reduction in passenger traffic on April 6.</li> <li>• The government allowed the sale of medical masks only to companies licensed to carry out pharmaceutical activities and limited the profit margin on them as per April 7 reports.</li> <li>• COVID-19 cases in Russia increase by 1,175, the highest one-day increase in infections, according to April 7 reports.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Supreme Court extended quarantine restrictions on April 8 until April 30.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SAN MARINO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 308 Confirmed Deaths: 34 Recovered Cases: 45</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• San Marino confirmed its first case of the virus on February 29.</li> <li>• The first death was confirmed on March 1.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SERBIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,666 Confirmed Deaths: 65 Recovered Cases: 118</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government declared a state of emergency mandating stringent precautions on March 15.</li> <li>• The government has postponed the general elections that were slated to take place on April 26, as per March 17 reports.</li> <li>• Commercial international flights will be suspended from Nikola Tesla Airport in Belgrade from 12:00 on March 19. The airport will remain open for all cargo and all humanitarian flights.</li> <li>• The government announced closure of its borders to road, rail and water transportation services on March 19.</li> <li>• As of April 2, a curfew is in place between 17:00-05:00 Mondays through Fridays and between 13:00-05:00 on Saturdays and Sundays. A 24-hour curfew will be in effect for individuals aged above 60 in urban areas and above 70 in rural areas, except on Sundays between 03:00-08:00.</li> <li>• All public transportation has been suspended as of March 29. Cafes, restaurants, and pubs, as well as educational institutions will remain closed until further notice.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> According to April 8 reports, Serbia will impose quarantine between April 10 at 17:00 (local time) until April 13 at 05:00.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SLOVAKIA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slovakia has banned flights to Italy as of March 7 until further notice.</li> </ul>

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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 701 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 16</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has banned all publically organized cultural, sporting, and other large gatherings and events until March 23.</li> <li>• All those entering from abroad will need to self-isolate for 14 days and all international airports and rail services will be closed for 14 days as of March 12, except freight and cargo.</li> <li>• Educational facilities, social and cultural facilities, and entertainment establishments will be closed as of March 12.</li> <li>• Slovakia has reportedly banned entrance to all foreign citizens except those with a residence permit as of March 14.</li> <li>• The government has announced the closure of international airports, schools, bars, and clubs under new emergency measures introduced on March 16.</li> <li>• Slovakia registered its first COVID-19 related death on March 31.</li> <li>• The government announced it will restrict personal movement between April 8 and 13. Exceptions will be made for visits to supermarkets, pharmacies, and doctors, as well as essential workers.</li> <li>• The British Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) updated its travel advice, warning against travel via land borders on April 6. The entry is limited to those with proof of temporary and permanent residence as of April 6.</li> <li>• Slovakia will enforce a partial curfew from April 7, however, details of the timings remain unconfirmed as of writing.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> As of April 8, Slovakia reintroduced border checks with Austria, Czech Republic, Hungary, and Poland until April 17. However, good being transported between April 10-13 will be exempted.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SLOVENIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,124 Confirmed Deaths: 43 Recovered Cases: 128</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Slovenia will begin health checks along its border with Italy as of March 9 and at Ljubljana Joze Pucnik Airport (LJU).</li> <li>• Slovenia announced a ban on all travelers from Italy on March 10.</li> <li>• The government announced emergency measures indicating the suspension of public transport services, including inter-city trains and buses, from March 16. Cross-border bus and train services have also been suspended.</li> <li>• The number of border crossings with Italy has been reduced to four as of March 18.</li> <li>• The government announced lockdown measures prohibiting gatherings and movement of people in public places from March 20.</li> <li>• The government will implement health checks along borders with Austria from March 25, allowing only those showing no signs of fever to enter into the territory. Slovenian nationals and foreign residents will be exempt from the measures.</li> <li>• On March 27, authorities announced that all citizens returning from countries that have reported a large number of coronavirus cases will be subject to mandatory quarantine.</li> <li>• As of March 30, between 08:00-10:00 (local time) shops will be open only to those in vulnerable groups, including disabled individuals, the elderly, and pregnant women.</li> <li>• Apartment buildings must undergo compulsory disinfection, as per March 29 reports.</li> <li>• The government decreed on March 29 that citizens will not be allowed to leave their municipality of residence and will be required to use protective masks and</li> </ul>

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	<p>gloves in food shops, post offices, and other indoor public spaces until further notice.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has extended flight restrictions, including the ban on non-EU destination flights, until April 13.</li> <li>• On April 5 the government announced it will extend current restrictions by 2-4 weeks.</li> <li>• The UK's Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) updated its travel advisory for Slovenia stating that authorities have implemented border checks with Austria and Italy as of April 7. Non-citizens and non-residents will be subjected to health screenings and allowed entry once passed. Additionally, those entering will be required to quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 8, Slovenia's Prime Minister Janez Jansa announced that some of the current lockdown measures may be eased as early as April 14 under certain conditions. However, details have not been provided on the same.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SPAIN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 152,446 Confirmed Deaths: 15,238 Recovered Cases: 52,165</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The General Secretariat of Penitentiary Institutions ordered all prisons in Spain to suspend visits by inmates' family members and lawyers from Madrid and Basque Country.</li> <li>• Spain declared a state of emergency on March 13. The Government has banned all non-essential travel within the country from March 14, excluding buying foods or pharmaceuticals, travel to work, returning home, assisting dependents, and emergency situations. Authorities are permitted to close roads and check those in public for their reasons for travel.</li> <li>• Individuals who do not comply with the COVID-19 restrictions may be fined between 100 and 600 EUR.</li> <li>• Hospitals across the country have drafted an action protocol, according to which all medical resources, including ICU's, will be reserved for patients with the 'most healing capacity.'</li> <li>• Spain will ban the entry of all non-citizens or residents, other than diplomats, aircrew, and medical staff, from March 23 for 30 days.</li> <li>• The Alicante- Elche Airport (ALC) will be closed to commercial flights as per March 25 reports.</li> <li>• The government announced that it has asked for international assistance from NATO seeking medical supplies as per March 26 reports.</li> <li>• As of March 30, only those considered 'essential' workers will be permitted to travel to work.</li> <li>• The government approved a decree strengthening COVID-19 measures on March 29. Workers will be prevented from commuting to workplaces in all industries unrelated to health care and food production and distribution for at least two weeks.</li> <li>• Prime Minister Pedro Sanchez extended the state of emergency until April 26. Previously implemented restrictions on nonessential movement and business operations will remain in place throughout this period.</li> <li>• Spain reported 674 more deaths on April 5, its lowest daily increase since March 24. In addition, 6,023 new cases were reported, a decrease of 1,003 cases from 637 deaths were reported on April 6, the lowest figure since March 24.</li> </ul>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SWEDEN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 8,419        Confirmed Deaths: 687        Recovered Cases: 205</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scandinavian Airlines, the flagship carriers of Denmark, Norway, and Sweden, on January 30, stated in a press release that the airlines would be suspending long-haul flights to Beijing and Shanghai until March 29.</li> <li>As of February 11, PostNord postal services to China have been halted due to the outbreak.</li> <li>Scandinavian Airlines (SAS) announced the cancellation of all flights to northern Italy.</li> <li>All non-EU citizens will be banned from entry to Sweden from March 19.</li> <li>On March 27, the government announced a ban on gatherings of over 50 people, although this does not apply to restaurants and stores. The ban goes into effect on March 30.</li> <li>The government banned visits to old-age homes on March 31.</li> <li>On April 1, the government issued new binding guidelines asking citizens to adhere to social distancing recommendations. Businesses will remain open but need to ensure that customers keep a safe distance to one another.</li> <li>On April 1, SAS suspended its direct flight route from Stockholm (ARN) to Newark International Airport (EWR) until April 20.</li> <li>On April 1, BRA Braathens Regional Airlines announced it would suspend all flights from April 6 through May 31.</li> <li>All commercial flights between Sweden and the UK will be suspended, with the final flight departing from Stockholm on April 9.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SWITZERLAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 23,404        Confirmed Deaths: 909        Recovered Cases: 9,800</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Switzerland will require Italians working in the country to show their visas when crossing the border as of March 9. Switzerland will be closing nine secondary border crossings with Italy and directing traffic to main routes to slow the spread of COVID-19 on March 11.</li> <li>Switzerland temporarily reintroduced border controls at all of its borders on March 13.</li> <li>The United Nations Geneva Headquarters will be temporarily shut down as of March 14 as one employee tested positive for COVID-19.</li> <li>The government of the canton of Basel-Landschaft declared a state of emergency on March 15, banning all public events with over 50 people and ordering the closure of restaurants, hotels, cinemas and other sports centers.</li> <li>The US Embassy in Bern announced the suspension of its routine consular services on March 17 and will resume limited operations on March 18. Consular agencies in Geneva and Zurich will remain closed until further notice.</li> <li>The government has implemented additional restrictions blocking the entry of individuals from high-risk countries including Austria, France, Germany, Italy, and Spain on March 24. The restrictions do not apply to Swiss citizens and will remain in place until April 19. Similar restrictions have also been introduced for those traveling to Switzerland by air, except for travelers coming in from Liechtenstein.</li> <li>On March 27, Switzerland's federal government has given regional authorities the authority to shut down or restrict sectors of the economy temporarily if needed to fight the spread of the coronavirus</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Switzerland extended the current lockdown measures until April 26.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UK</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 3, the National Health Service (NHS) declared COVID-19 a level 4 incident, the highest on its scale of public health emergencies. This declaration gives health officials increased powers to isolate and treat patients.</li> </ul>



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Confirmed Cases: 60,733  
Confirmed Deaths: 7,097  
Recovered Cases: 135


- The government introduces emergency laws, including banning public gatherings nationwide, mandatory self-isolation for individuals aged above 70, and custody or fine of 1,000 GBP for refusing to be tested or quarantined, per March 15 reports.
- Multiple lines and stations on the London Underground are closed or operating limited services, details can be found [here](#).
- Prime Minister Boris Johnson announced the closure of schools nationwide from March 20.
- The US Embassy in London and Consulates General in Edinburgh and Belfast have been suspended since March 18.
- Gibraltar has enforced a partial lockdown as of March 24. Residents will only be allowed to leave their primary residence for essential goods.
- Prime Minister Boris Johnson established a partial lockdown nationwide from March 23. People will only be allowed to leave their primary residence in order to exercise once a day, travel to or from work when necessary, shop for essential items, and for medical needs or emergencies. Outdoor gatherings of more than two people are prohibited. Police have been given authority to fine those who do not observe the instructions and force those with symptoms to self-isolate. Nonessential businesses have been ordered to close.
- UK's London City Airport (LCY) will temporarily suspend commercial and private flight operations from March 25 until April 30 due to decreased demand.
- Authorities announced that the north terminal of London's Gatwick Airport (LGW) will be shut down from April 1 for at least one month.
- Northern Ireland has ordered that all those who can work from home must do so from March 28 onwards, with businesses facing punishment if they do not comply.
- EasyJet announced the suspension of all its flights on March 29.
- Health authorities in London announced on March 29 that intensive care for COVID-19 patients is now being limited to those "reasonably certain" to survive.
- Security authorities stated on March 29 that the police will cut services, drop investigations, and scale back their response to crime to focus on COVID-19.
- On March 30, the UK's Foreign Minister said that the government would provide support for special charter flights to bring UK citizens back to the country in locations where commercial flights are no longer functioning.
- British Airways announced the cancellation of all its flights from London's Gatwick Airport (LGW) from March 31.
- Heathrow Airport (LHR) in London will close one of its runways from April 6.
- The Grand Central Railways announced temporary suspension of train services from April 3.
- Prime Minister Boris Johnson tested positive for COVID-19 on March 27 and was admitted to hospital on April 5 due to persistent symptoms.
- Reports indicate that Prime Minister Boris Johnson has been shifted to intensive care on April 6 in response to his worsening condition after contracting COVID-19.
- London's Heathrow Airport (LHR) has moved all its flights to Terminal 2 and Terminal 5 as of April 7.
- **UPDATE:** The UK's Virgin Atlantic airlines will suspend all passenger flights between April 20-26 and will only operate cargo flights.

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>UKRAINE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,892 Confirmed Deaths: 57 Recovered Cases: 45</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Violent unrest recorded outside hospitals for COVID-19 evacuees in Lviv and Poltava on February 19-20.</li> <li>• Ukraine will temporarily close schools.</li> <li>• Ukraine announced on March 13 that all foreign nationals will be barred entry into the country from March 15-29..</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of public transport services from March 18-April 3. Kyiv metro services will be suspended from 23:00 on March 16.</li> <li>• All events with more than 10 people, including religious celebrations, will be banned from March 17.</li> <li>• Civilians who violate quarantine rules and other measures will be fined between 1,000-2,000 UAH. Officials who violate regulations will be fined between 2,000-10,000 UAH.</li> <li>• The self-proclaimed Donetsk People’s Republic (DPR) closed movement through the line of demarcation with Ukrainian territories.</li> <li>• A state of emergency has been enacted in Kyiv as of March 20, however, as yet, it does not require any additional actions or enact further restrictions. The government imposed a state of emergency in Cherkasy, Donetsk, and Ternopil on March 23.</li> <li>• Internal travel restrictions are in place until April 24. Ukrainian nationals and foreign nationals who are Ukrainian residents will be allowed entry to the country.</li> <li>• Ukraine has imposed a mandatory 14-day quarantine for all returning Ukrainians from March 30.</li> <li>• A complete quarantine has been introduced in the Chernivtsi region from April 3 until April 6.</li> <li>• The government introduced new stringent measures prohibiting movement and businesses which will come into effect from April 6.</li> <li>• All flights have been suspended and government authorised flights are only permitted to operate from Kyiv-Boryspil International Airport (KBP) in Kyiv as of April 4.</li> <li>• The government banned gatherings of more than two people except for those accompanying children on April 3.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> As of April 8, the Cabinet of Ministers plans to extend the nationwide quarantine until May.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government eased restrictions on April 7. According to the amendments, postal services, construction work, waste collection and disposal, building material manufacturers, and dry cleaning services can begin operations.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VATICAN CITY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 8 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vatican City reports its first case of COVID-19 on March 6.</li> <li>• Saint Peter’s Square and Basilica in Vatican City will remain closed for tourists until further notice.</li> </ul>

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## Middle East & North Africa

Country	Measures
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ALGERIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,572 Confirmed Deaths: 205 Recovered Cases: 237</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Algerie Ferries announced the suspension of its ferry services from March 15 until further notice.</li> <li>• The state news agency reported that cruises will stop functioning starting from March 19.</li> <li>• On March 16, the authorities reportedly announced the suspension of all air and maritime travel with Europe from March 19 onwards.</li> <li>• On March 16, Algeria announced the suspension of all flights to and from the African cities of Nouakchott, Bamako, Niamey, Dakar, Abidjan, and Ouagadougou from March 19 until further notice.</li> <li>• On March 16, Algeria announced the closure of all cultural, educational, sports, and recreational venues as well as a ban on public demonstrations in Algiers until further notice.</li> <li>• On March 17, the official news agency reported that President Abdelmadjid Tebboune has decided to close all land borders as well as ban all gatherings and marches within Algeria.</li> <li>• On April 1, Air Algerie, Algeria's national flag carrier, announced the indefinite suspension of all flights, including both international and domestic flights, until further notice. The suspension was previously slated to last until April 4.</li> <li>• According to the official news agency, the government issued an extension on several restrictive measures, which were slated to end between April 2-4. These measures will now be extended until April 19. They include- the nationwide closure of kindergartens, universities, and schools; a complete curfew in Blida Province; a night curfew from 19:00 (local time) to 07:00 in the provinces of Batna, Tizi Ouzou, Setif, Constantine, Medea, Oran, Boumerdes, El Oued, Algiers, and Tipaza; the nationwide closure of public places and shops as well as public transport; and the nationwide suspension of sporting activities. The government also imposed a night curfew from 19:00 to 07:00 in Bejaia, Ain Defla, Mostaganem, and Bordj Bou Arreridj provinces. Those planning to leave their homes during the curfew period will be required to take permission from the relevant authorities.</li> <li>• According to Algeria's official news agency, the authorities extended the night curfew, which was initially imposed on Algiers Province, to all provinces from April 5 to April 19, from 19:00 (local time) to 07:00. However, in the provinces of Algiers, Oran, Bejaia, Setif, Tizi Ouzou, Tipaza, Tlemcen, Ain Defla, and Medea, the curfew will be imposed from 15:00 to 07:00. The measure excludes the province of Blida, which is currently under a total curfew.</li> <li>• According to the official news agency, all provinces wherein the curfew begins at 15:00, public administrative office hours will be between 08:00 and 14:00, until April 19. This specifically pertains to Algiers, Tipasa, Medea, Ain Defla, Tizi Ouzou, Bejaia, Setif, Tlemcen, and Oran provinces.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Algeria's state news agency reported on April 8 that 104 new coronavirus cases have been recorded in the country, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 1,572. Meanwhile, 12 new coronavirus-related deaths were recorded,</li> </ul>


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	<p>bringing the total number of deaths to 205, while the total number of recoveries reached 237.</p>
<p><b>BAHRAIN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 823 Confirmed Deaths: 5 Recovered Cases: 477</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On February 21, the authorities announced that all foreign visitors who have visited China, Iran, Thailand, Singapore, Malaysia, and South Korea in the past 14 days will be denied entry into Bahrain.</li> <li>On February 27, Bahrain's Civil Aviation Agency (CAA) confirmed the suspension of all flight operations to and from Iraq and Lebanon, until further notice.</li> <li>On March 7, the Ministry of Health (MoH) asked individuals returning to the Kingdom from Lebanon, Egypt, Italy, and South Korea to self-quarantine for two weeks and register for an examination via the MoH website.</li> <li>The US Embassy in Manama reported on the closure of the King Fahd Causeway, which connects Bahrain to Saudi Arabia, to non-commercial traffic as of March 14. According to the statement, neither commuters nor tourists will be permitted to use the causeway to travel between Bahrain and Saudi Arabia until further notice.</li> <li>During the National Taskforce for Combating the Coronavirus Conference on March 22, the authorities announced that they will be temporarily closing all retail stores from March 26 to April 9. However, hypermarkets, supermarkets, cold stores, bakeries, and banks will remain open. Meanwhile, gatherings at public parks and beaches have been prohibited until further notice. In general, public gatherings of more than five individuals have been banned in the country.</li> <li>The MoH announced that only individuals who completed their quarantine on April 1 and thereafter will be required to be tested for coronavirus. Individuals who finished their quarantine prior to this date are not required to undergo a test for the virus.</li> <li>Reports from April 4 indicate that transit through Bahrain International Airport is open again for international travelers. Entry to the country is reportedly still limited to Bahrainis and other residents.</li> <li>On April 7, the MoH announced that it is mandatory for citizens and residents to wear face masks at all times when they are outside of their homes.</li> <li>According to the MoH, the Minister of Industry, Commerce and Tourism (MOICT) permitted reopening of stores, provided that customers and employees wear face masks and respect measures of social distancing.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Reports indicate on April 8 that 12 new cases have been recorded, bringing the total number of cases to 823. Meanwhile, 12 individuals have recovered, raising the total number of recovered cases to 477.</li> </ul>
<p><b>EGYPT</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,560 Confirmed Deaths: 103 Recovered Cases: 305</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 29, the Central Bank of Egypt reportedly announced a temporary limit on withdrawal and deposits. The daily limit for individuals is 10,000 EGP (636 USD) and for companies is 50,000 EGP (3,180 USD). Enterprises are exempt from this limit if the money is used to pay salaries. At ATMs, withdrawals and deposits will be limited to 5,000 EGP (318 USD) per day. The time frame for the measure has not been specified.</li> <li>Egypt will suspend all congregational religious activities for the upcoming month of Ramadan, which is slated to begin on April 23, per April 7 reports. Reports quoting the Ministry of Religious Endowments indicate that "mosques are to remain closed until no new coronavirus cases are registered across the nation and until the</li> </ul>

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	<p>Ministry of Health certifies that gatherings would no longer pose a threat to public health".</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Reports indicate that Prime Minister Dr. Mostafa Madbouly extended the ongoing partial nationwide curfew until April 23, during a press conference held on April 8. The curfew, which is to be implemented between 20:00 (local time) and 06:00, was initially announced on March 25 and was meant to last until April 8. Further reports indicate that the government has extended the suspension of all domestic and international flight operations across Egypt until April 23. Flight operations were originally slated to be suspended until April 15.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The US Embassy in Cairo reported that a direct flight is available from Cairo to London on April 12. More information on booking can be found <a href="#">here</a>.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> According to reports from April 8, 110 new coronavirus cases have been recorded in Egypt, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 1,560. Nine additional individuals infected with the virus have been declared dead.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>IRAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 66,220 Confirmed Deaths: 4,110 Recovered Cases: 32,309</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On February 27, Iran banned Chinese citizens from entering the country.</li> <li>• All communication channels used by citizens, including internet and phone services, will be monitored to identify individuals who may have contracted the virus.</li> <li>• Reports indicate that intercity travel will be restricted and only residents will be allowed to enter their cities. Moreover, holding any kind of meeting or congregation has been banned. All parks, gyms, other public places as well as universities and schools will remain closed. Meanwhile, rail, road, and air transport will also be limited. These measures will remain in place until April 10.</li> <li>• Reports quoting President Hassan Rouhani state that all low-risk economic activity will resume from April 11. This includes the return of two-thirds of government employees to work.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 9, an advisor to the Minister of Health announced that 1,634 new cases have been recorded, raising the total number of cases to 66,220. Meanwhile, 117 individuals have died from the virus, bringing the total death toll to 4,110 and 2,497 individuals have recovered, raising the total number of recovered cases to 32,309.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>IRAQ</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,202 Confirmed Deaths: 69 Recovered Cases: 452</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Iraqi authorities closed the country's border crossings with Kuwait on February 24 until further notice.</li> <li>• The Kurdistan Regional Government (KRG) reportedly announced on February 26 that it will not issue entry visas to tourists.</li> <li>• Reports from March 7 indicate that the Iraqi authorities closed passenger access to the five border gates with Iran from March 8 until further notice.</li> <li>• On March 26, the Iraqi government announced the extension of an ongoing nationwide curfew until April 11. The measure includes a nationwide ban on all domestic and international flight operations at the countries' airports. The following groups are exempt from the curfew: Health workers, diplomatic staff, and journalists holding identification cards. Vital services, such as grocery stores, pharmacies, and gas stations will remain open.</li> <li>• On March 28, the spokesperson for the KRG announced the extension of public holidays of all public and private institutions in KRG-administered territory, except for health and law enforcement departments, until April 16.</li> </ul>


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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 31, the KRG's Ministry of Interior (MoI) announced a ten-day extension to the curfew order in its administered territories, which will now continue until at least April 10.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The Ministry of Health (MoH) reported on April 8 that 80 new coronavirus cases have been recorded in Iraq, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 1,202. Four additional individuals infected with the virus have died, while 79 others have recovered.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> At present, in the KRG-administered territories, there are a total of 310 confirmed coronavirus cases, three coronavirus-related deaths, and 132 cases of recovery from the virus.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ISRAEL</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 9,755 Confirmed Deaths: 79 Recovered Cases: 864</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Ministry of Health (MoH) reportedly stated on February 20 that Israeli nationals who are caught knowingly violating a mandatory home quarantine could face a prison sentence of seven years. Those who do so out of negligence could get a three-year sentence.</li> <li>Reports from March 8 indicate that Israel closed its land borders with Egypt. Israel also closed its land borders with Syria and Lebanon from March 6.</li> <li>According to the MoH, all commercial and entertainment venues will remain closed from March 13 until further notice. Educational institutions, including kindergartens, are closed as well. Essential services, such as grocery stores, pharmacies, gas stations, and banking services, remain open. Gatherings of more than ten people have been prohibited. A distance of two meters between employees is requested. Health authorities also urged to avoid using public transportation.</li> <li>Authorities stated on March 15 that Jerusalem's Al-Aqsa Mosque/Temple Mount Compound will be closed to the public until further notice.</li> <li>On March 17, the MoH advised Israelis not to leave their homes unless for essential purposes- shopping for groceries, picking up medicine, and receiving medical care. Visiting parks, playgrounds, beaches, pools, museums, national parks or other public places is forbidden unless required for pets and children.</li> <li>The Population and Immigration Authority in Israel announced a complete ban on the entry of all foreign nationals and non-residents into Israel starting from 18:00 (local time) on March 18 until further notice. The measure applies to all of Israel's international borders. According to the announcement, exceptions will be granted for those whose main place of residence ("the center of their life") is based in Israel. However, entry will only be granted upon permission from the relevant authorities. The measure will also reportedly apply to foreign nationals seeking medical treatment in Israel. The Population and Immigration Authority reportedly released a directive that airline companies are responsible for returning any passenger whose entry to Israel is prohibited.</li> <li>The Israeli Cabinet approved additional restrictions to those announced on March 17 on the movement of the public. These restrictions came into effect on March 25. The regulations include the restriction on movement of civilians to 100 meters from their places of residence, the closure of all places of worship, limiting the number of individuals in a private vehicle to two people, and a requirement for all individuals to have their temperature check upon entering a place of work. Public transportation will be significantly reduced, and can only be used for essential purposes such as food delivery and essential services. However, supermarkets, pharmacies, gas stations, and banks will continue to operate as usual.</li> </ul>


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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 28, the UK's FCO announced the suspension of all direct flights between Israel and the UK until further notice. The statement indicated that some airlines are still operating international flights from Israel's Ben Gurion Airport. Therefore, flights to the UK may still be available through connections in other countries.</li> <li>On March 30, the Israeli Cabinet approved an extension to the March 25 measures and added further restrictions to the movement of the public. These include a ban on gatherings of more than two individuals. Moreover, offices will be required to reduce their in-house workforce to 15 percent capacity and ensure that there is a two-meter distance between individual workspaces. Funeral attendance will be limited to a maximum of 20 people and circumcision ceremonies will be limited to ten people. No guests will be allowed to attend wedding ceremonies and group prayer services are banned.</li> <li>Reports from April 1 indicate that Israel's national flag carrier, El Al Airlines, announced the extension of its passenger flight suspension to and from Israel until May 2. El Al will reportedly continue to operate repatriation flights at the behest of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Ministry of Defense. Cargo flights to and from Israel will also continue.</li> <li>On April 7, the Israeli government reportedly approved additional restrictions on movement from 19:00 (local time) on April 7 until 07:00 on April 12. All inter-city travel will be prohibited from 19:00 on April 7 to 06:00 on April 10, except for buying food or for attending vital services. Essential members of the workforce will continue inter-city travel. Consistent with currently valid regulations, residents will be allowed to leave their homes if they stay within 100 meters of its premises. Residents are allowed to stock up on essential goods, such as food and medicine only "near their residence" during this period. Exceptions will be granted to individuals residing in communities where such goods are not available. Public transportation and international passenger flights will be stopped from 20:00 on April 7 until 08:00 on April 12. Delivery services, including between cities, will be allowed during this period.</li> <li>Starting from 07:00 on April 12, it will be mandatory to wear face masks when leaving homes across Israel. The measure will be in place until further notice.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Reports from April 9 indicate that 351 new coronavirus cases have been recorded in Israel, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 9,755. Eight additional individuals infected with coronavirus have died.</li> </ul>
<p><b>JORDAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 358 Confirmed Deaths: 6 Recovered Cases: 150</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All international flights to and from Jordan have been canceled from March 17 until further notice. All land and sea border crossings have been closed to passenger traffic but will remain open for commercial traffic. The staff of diplomatic missions and international organizations are exempted from the travel ban, however, they will need to quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>On March 18, the Jordanian Armed Forces (JAF) announced the closure of all crossing points from and to Amman, starting from 07:00 (local time) on March 19, until further notice. Relevant bodies known to the JAF, including security services, and people whose "nature of work" requires them to enter the capital, will be exempt from this decision.</li> <li>On April 5, the MoH reportedly announced an extension on the closure of Jordan's land borders and airports until after Ramadan, which is expected to conclude around May 23.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Ministry of Health (MoH) reported on April 8 that five new coronavirus cases have been recorded in the country, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 358. Meanwhile, 12 individuals infected with the virus have recovered.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Jordanian Minister of Information reportedly stated that a nationwide curfew will be imposed from 00:01 (local time) on April 10, effective until 23:59 on April 11. The curfew includes the closure of all commercial stores and establishments as well as a complete ban on all travel within the country. The measure will also be applicable to permit holders. Only medical professionals working in private or public sectors, and a limited number of individuals working in vital institutions will be excluded from complying with the curfew. Authorities reportedly announced that essential supplies will be available from April 12 and that residents will be allowed to leave their homes for such purposes between the hours of 10:00 (local time) to 18:00, given that a nightly curfew between 18:00 to 10:00 continues to remain in place.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>KUWAIT</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 910 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 111</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reports from March 11 indicate that the MoI and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs have been instructed to stop issuing all visas, except for travelers holding a diplomatic passport who have received prior authorization to enter the country from the Ministry of Health (MoH). Furthermore, all citizens arriving in Kuwait will have to undergo compulsory quarantine at their private residence or in an authorized center for a period determined by the MoH as a precautionary measure.</li> <li>• According to Kuwait's official news agency, all commercial flights in and out of the Kuwait International Airport have been suspended from March 13 onwards. Flight arrivals will be restricted to Kuwaitis and their "first-degree relatives".</li> <li>• On March 10, the Kuwaiti government announced the closure of its land borders with Saudi Arabia and Iraq.</li> <li>• According to reports from March 18, authorities announced a ban on social gatherings, including weddings, across the country. The ban extends to both public and private venues. The MoI announced that individuals in violation of the ban will be subject to imprisonment of up to three months or a fine ranging from 160 to 643 USD. The statement further indicated that police personnel has been tasked with enforcing the ban.</li> <li>• According to Kuwait's official news agency, on April 6, the authorities announced an extension of the hours of the ongoing nationwide curfew. Effective immediately and until further notice, it will be implemented between 17:00 (local time) and 06:00.</li> <li>• The authorities extended an ongoing suspension of work in all "ministries, government agencies, bodies and institutes" until April 25. "Employees essential to certain operations" will continue working and will be paid "in accordance with overtime rates".</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The US Embassy in Kuwait has reported that a Qatar Airways flight departing from Kuwait International Airport on April 14, at 15:00 (local time), to Dallas, Texas (DFW International Airport) with an overnight stop in Doha, Qatar, has limited seating for US citizens. Those interested are required to email Qatar Airways at both kwgroupdesk@kw.qatarairways.com and qrsaleskw@kw.qatarairways.com.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 9, the Ministry of Health (MoH) announced that 55 new cases of the coronavirus have been recorded, raising the total number of confirmed cases to 910.</li> </ul>

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**LEBANON**



Confirmed Cases: 582  
Confirmed Deaths: 19  
Recovered Cases: 62

- According to Lebanon’s official news agency, authorities declared a national emergency on March 15 due to the spread of coronavirus. They have requested citizens to minimize nonessential movement across the country and have imposed a two-week closure on public and private institutions from March 15. These measures exclude public institutions that perform vital tasks and private firms related to “food security”, as well as the medical sector, banks, money exchange services, and import and export companies. The measure, which was earlier slated to last until March 30, will now end on April 12.
- According to the official news agency, the Lebanese Cabinet decided on March 26 to impose an indefinite nationwide night curfew, which requires all businesses to be closed from 19:00 (local time) to 05:00.
- Beirut’s Rafik Hariri International Airport closed to all passenger traffic until April 12 in line with the extension of the national emergency. The airport will remain open only for cargo planes and passenger planes carrying United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL) members, diplomatic crews, the staff of international organizations, and employees of firms linked to partial oil and gas drilling in Lebanon’s Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ).
- Per March 30 reports, Lebanese banks have halted withdrawals of money in USD due to the ongoing closure of Beirut’s Rafik Hariri International Airport.
- The General Directorate of the Internal Security Forces announced that starting from April 6 vehicles with number plates ending in odd numbers i.e. 1,3,5,9 will be allowed to operate only on Mondays and Fridays, while vehicles with number plates ending in even numbers i.e. 0,2,4,6,8 will be allowed to operate only on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. No vehicles will be allowed to operate on Sundays.
- **UPDATE:** On April 9, the government announced the amendment of the working hours of public administration employees from April 23 until May 23. The working hours on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays are from 09:00-14:00. On Fridays, the working hours are from 09:00-12:00.
- **UPDATE:** On April 9, the US Embassy in Lebanon announced the operation of limited flights by Middle East Airlines (MEA) from Beirut. On April 9, the flights will land in Doha, Frankfurt, and London. On April 11, the flights will land in Dubai, Kuwait, and Rome. On April 13, the flights will land in London and Paris. The statement indicates that those wishing to board the aforementioned flights will be responsible for making their own travel arrangements to their destination in the US before leaving Beirut. **UPDATE:** The Ministry of Public Health on April 9 announced seven new coronavirus cases, bringing the country’s total number of confirmed cases to 582.


**LIBYA**





Confirmed Cases: 21  
Confirmed Deaths: 1  
Recovered Cases: 8

- Government of National Accord (GNA) Prime Minister Fayez al-Serraj announced the extension of the state of emergency in Libya as well as ordered the closure of all land borders and airports until April 21. The state of emergency was initially imposed on March 16.
- The House of Representatives (HoR) announced that all air, sea, and land travel to its held territories in Libya will be banned until April 15, excluding emergency travel, freight shipping, and domestic flights. The measure was initially imposed on March 19.
- According to the HoR’s official media outlet, a daily curfew in HoR-held territories in Libya will be implemented everyday from 15:00 (local time) to 07:00, until April 15.


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	<p>The measures were initially imposed on March 18. Exceptions will be made for essential business operations, which remain unspecified at the time of writing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Tripoli-based Ministry of Interior (MoI) issued a statement on March 19 indicating that it would arrest individuals and vendors hoarding food and medical supplies, as it serves to increase the prices of essential goods amid the global coronavirus pandemic.</li> <li>• The GNA announced the imposition of a curfew across its held-territories from 18:00 (local time) to 06:00 starting on March 22. The statement indicates that the curfew obligations exclude individuals who work in the security, healthcare, pharmacies, energy, telecommunications, and cargo sectors. Furthermore, all mosques, educational institutions, cafes, restaurants, wedding halls, parks, clubs, and shops will be closed. Additionally, public transportation will be suspended, and large gatherings, such as weddings and funerals, will be prohibited during the curfew period. Food shops and gas stations will remain open to provide citizens' essential needs, while government institutions will continue to work during non-curfew hours. The statement indicated that individuals transgressing the curfew will be subjected to punitive actions.</li> <li>• According to a March 29 statement by the GNA, movement between cities within GNA-held territories will be prohibited, starting from March 30. The measure excludes "predefined employees". Moreover, the statement stipulates that the hours of the ongoing curfew, introduced on March 22, will be prolonged starting from March 30. Until further notice, the curfew will be implemented between 14:00 (local time) and 07:00. Working hours will be between 07:00 and 12:00.</li> <li>• Reports indicate that the working hours in GNA-held Misrata will be reduced to between 09:00 and 12:00.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Reports from April 8 indicate that one new coronavirus case was recorded in the country, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 21, out of which, eight have recovered.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MOROCCO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,346 Confirmed Deaths: 96 Recovered Cases: 103</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• According to a statement released by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs on March 15, all incoming and outgoing international flights will be suspended until further notice.</li> <li>• Authorities imposed a "state of health emergency" from 18:00 (local time) on March 20 to 18:00 on April 20. Those wishing to leave their homes will be required to obtain an official document from the relevant authorities. Only citizens working in vital sectors, such as banks, gas stations, the food industry, pharmacies, hospitals and clinics, telecommunication firms and shops that sell cleaning materials, are allowed to carry these documents. Moreover, mobility will be limited to those employees who must be present in their workplaces, provided that they carry a certificate signed by their employers. Citizens will reportedly be allowed outside only for essential purposes such as purchasing supplies, food, getting medicine, and treatment. The MoI reportedly stated that those found in violation of the aforementioned restrictions will be penalized.</li> <li>• On March 21, the Ministry of Interior (MoI) announced that its national air carrier, Royal Air Maroc, has suspended all domestic flights in line with the state of emergency, until further notice.</li> <li>• The MoI reportedly issued a statement on April 7 indicating that all individuals leaving their places of residence are required to wear a mask.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 9, the MoH reported on 71 new coronavirus cases and on three new coronavirus-related deaths, raising the total number of cases in the country to 1346.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>OMAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 457 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 109</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Oman’s Ministry of Transport reportedly announced on March 18 that all public transport facilities in the Sultanate will be suspended from March 19 until further notice. This includes buses, ferries, and taxis, except for public transport facilities running to and from Musandam and Masirah governorates.</li> <li>• On March 18, the Royal Oman Police (ROP) announced the suspension of the issuance of all types of visas. In addition, the Ministry of Tourism reportedly urged all tourists who are currently in Oman to leave the Sultanate and return to their respective home countries.</li> <li>• On March 22, the MoH banned all gatherings in public areas, while indicating that violations of the order would be punished. In addition, the number of workers in workplaces in the government sector has been limited to 30 percent of the normal capacity.</li> <li>• The Royal Oman Police announced on March 22 that its service halls will be closed from March 23 until further notice. All police services related to civil status, passports, residence, and traffic will be suspended.</li> <li>• According to Oman’s official news agency, all international and domestic passenger flights to and from the country’s airports have been suspended from March 29 until further notice. Cargo flights and all flights to Musandam Governorate have been exempt from the directive.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Transport (MoT) has ordered that from March 24 and until further notice, no more than two passengers will be allowed to travel in taxis.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 9, the Ministry of Health (MoH) announced that 38 new cases of coronavirus have been recorded, bringing the total number of cases to 457. Meanwhile, 37 individuals have recovered, bringing the total number of recovered cases to 109.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> According to Oman’s official news agency, a lockdown will be imposed on Muscat Governorate from 10:00 (local time) on April 10 until 10:00 on April 22. Movement in and out of the governorate will be banned during this period.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Palestinian Territories</b></p>  <p><b>West Bank</b> Confirmed Cases: 250 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 36</p> <p><b>Gaza Strip</b> Confirmed Cases: 13 Confirmed Deaths: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Palestinian Authority (PA) has imposed a ban on visits by tourist groups throughout the West Bank until further notice.</li> <li>• On March 5, Israel’s Coordination of Government Activities in the Territories (COGAT) announced that foreign citizens arriving from “risk countries” will not be permitted to cross into the West Bank from “Allenby Bridge and Judea and Samaria crossings”: This includes China, Hong Kong, Singapore, Macau, Japan, South Korea, Thailand, Taiwan, Italy, Spain, France, Austria, Germany, and Switzerland. Palestinian residents may enter, “subject to questioning, medical examinations as needed, and respective quarantine guidelines.” Foreign residents who recently visited Iran, Iraq, Syria, and Lebanon will not be allowed entry into the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.</li> <li>• On March 14, the Hamas government in the Gaza Strip announced the closure of the Rafah pedestrian border crossing with Egypt for travelers in both directions until further notice.</li> </ul>

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<p>Recovered Cases: 8</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• During the early morning hours of March 18, a lockdown was reportedly imposed by the Governor of Bethlehem on the West Bank town of Beit Sahour. The measure will be implemented until further notice.</li> <li>• According to the official Palestinian news agency, the Governor of Hebron has decided to implement a lockdown in Hebron from March 30 until further notice. This includes a closure of all entrances to Hebron Governorate, except the western entrance, which will remain operational to facilitate the transportation of commercial and food trucks. The statement further indicated that food stores will be allowed to remain open between 10:00 (local time)-12:00 and 16:00-18:00, excluding pharmacies and fuel stations. It is furthermore forbidden to gather in groups of more than five individuals at grocery stores.</li> <li>• On April 3, the PM of the Palestinian Authority (PA) announced the extension of the ongoing curfew across the West Bank for a 30-day period, with effect from April 4. The curfew was previously slated to last until April 6. The curfew includes restrictions on movement across the territory. Movement is permitted only for emergency cases, such as to access health facilities, buy food, medicine, and fuel. All institutions are to remain closed except those providing essential services, such as healthcare, water, and electricity. All ministerial services will remain suspended except the ministries of health, finance, national economy, social development, and civil aviation. According to the statement, banking services will remain operational, albeit only for emergency cases, and security forces will be employed to ensure compliance with the curfew. All Palestinians returning from foreign countries will be required to self-quarantine themselves for 14 days.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 9, the official Palestinian news agency reported on one new coronavirus case in the West Bank, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 250.</li> </ul>
<p><b>QATAR</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2,376 Confirmed Deaths: 6 Recovered Cases: 206</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 21, the authorities banned "all forms of gatherings by law, including but not limited to the Corniche, public parks, beaches, and social gatherings". According to the MoH, "pharmacies and food stores will operate as normal and delivery services, including restaurants, remain available. Mobile patrols will be deployed to arrest violators. Security checkpoints will be established nationwide. The measures are valid until further notice.</li> <li>• On March 26, the Ministry of Interior (Mol) announced that both visa on arrival and visitor visas can be extended electronically for a period of 30 days through the Mol's website, without visiting the General Directorate of Passports or Mol Service Centres.</li> <li>• According to the official Qatari news agency, Qatar has announced an extension on its decision to suspend all incoming flights to Doha, except for transit and air freight, on April 2 until further notice. The suspension was previously slated to end on April 1. However, authorities clarified that Qatari citizens abroad, close family relatives of Qatari nationals, or those with permanent residency, may return to the country at any time, subject to a 14-day self quarantine.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> On April 9, the MoH reported on 166 new coronavirus cases, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 2,376.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SAUDI ARABIA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The US Embassy in Manama reported on the closure of the King Fahd Causeway, which connects Bahrain to Saudi Arabia, to non-commercial traffic as of March 14.</li> </ul>



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Confirmed Cases: 2,932  
Confirmed Deaths: 41  
Recovered Cases: 631

- According to the statement, neither commuters nor tourists will be permitted to use the causeway to travel between Bahrain and Saudi Arabia until further notice.
- On March 15, the Saudi Ports Authority suspended maritime passenger traffic between Saudi Arabia and the EU, Syria, Lebanon, Bahrain, Kuwait, UAE, Oman, Iraq, China, Egypt, South Korea, Turkey, Pakistan, India, Switzerland, Sri Lanka, Kenya, Ethiopia, Sudan, Eritrea, Philippines, Somalia, Djibouti, and South Sudan.
  - According to a statement released by the Ministry of Interior (MoI) on March 23, individuals who violate the provisions of the ongoing curfew will have to pay a fine of approximately 2,662 USD. Moreover, in the case of a second violation, the fine will be doubled by the authorities.
  - On March 28, the authorities in Saudi Arabia extended the suspension of all international flights to and from the country, until further notice. All domestic flights, as well as trains, buses, and taxis will also continue to be suspended until further notice.
  - According to reports from March 29, operations have been suspended in all government agencies, except for the health, security, and military sectors, until further notice. Across the private sector, all workplace attendance has been suspended until further notice. Private businesses may continue operations under the work-from-home policy. Businesses that require staff to be physically present, particularly in vital sectors such as water and electricity, must limit the number of staff to 40 percent of the company's total capacity. The measure does not apply to pharmacies, supermarkets, and their suppliers.
  - King Salman announced on March 30 that all citizens and residents as well as those individuals residing in the country in violation of its residency laws will be provided with free medical treatment in all government and private health facilities across Saudi Arabia.
  - Saudi Arabia's Ministry of Interior (MoI) announced on April 6 that a complete 24-hour curfew has been imposed in Riyadh, Tabuk, Dammam, Dhahran, Hofuf, Jeddah, Qatif, Taif, and Khobar. The measure will be effective from April 7 until further notice. Entry to or exit from the aforementioned areas will not be allowed. Vital members of the workforce, such as health workers, remain exempt from this regulation. Residents of these areas will be permitted to leave their homes between 06:00 (local time) and 15:00 only to meet essential needs such as grocery shopping and health care. However, they will need to remain within their respective neighborhoods.
  - On April 7, the Ministry of Interior (MoI) announced an extension of the nationwide curfew timings from April 8 until at least April 14. The curfew will henceforth be implemented daily from 15:00 (local time) until 06:00 rather than from 19:00 to 06:00, which was previously announced on March 23. Catering services, agricultural workers, cattle rearers, gas stores, laundry services, plumbers, electricians, maintenance workers, AC technicians, sanitation workers, and workers in charitable societies will be exempt from this measure. Residents will be permitted to leave their homes between 06:00 and 15:00 for essential purposes only, such as grocery shopping and health care.
  - **UPDATE:** On April 8, the Ministry of Health (MoH) announced that 137 new cases have been recorded, raising the total number of confirmed cases to 2,932. Meanwhile, 16 individuals have recovered, raising the total number of recovered cases to 631.


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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SYRIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 19 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• According to reports citing the Syrian Minister of Transport, Ali Hammoud, all air travel to and from Syria have been indefinitely suspended from March 22.</li> <li>• The Syrian Ministry of Interior (Mol) announced the closure of the country's borders with Turkey and Lebanon from 12:00 (local time) on March 23. The measure will be in place until further notice.</li> <li>• Syria's official news agency reported on March 28 that the government has decided to extend the closure of public and private schools as well as examinations until April 16. This measure was previously announced on March 13 and slated to last until April 2.</li> <li>• According to Syria's official news agency, the government has announced the extension of the nationwide curfew timings to between 12:00 (local time)-06:00 every Friday and Saturday from April 3 until further notice. The nationwide curfew from Sunday to Thursday will continue to be implemented between 14:00-06:00. The statement further indicates that citizens and residents are banned from moving between provinces from 14:00 on March 29 until further notice.</li> <li>• On April 6, Syria's Mol announced the resumption of work in the Ministry of Foreign and Expatriate Affairs in Aleppo city for the purpose of completing transactions related to commercial bills. Consultative visits pertaining to such payment-related matters may be made between 09:00 (local time)-12:00.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> According to Syria's official news agency, one additional individual reportedly recovered from the virus on April 8, raising the total number of recovered cases in the country to four.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>TUNISIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 628 Confirmed Deaths: 24 Recovered Cases: 25</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 13, the Tunisian government decided to close the country's maritime borders until further notice.</li> <li>• According to the state news agency, during the evening hours of March 16, Prime Minister Elyes Fakhfakh announced the suspension of all international passenger flights to and from Tunisia as well as the closure of all land borders, until further notice.</li> <li>• According to the state news agency, President Kais Saied declared a nationwide curfew every night from 18:00 (local time) to 06:00 to contain the spread of coronavirus. The directive came into effect on March 18 and will last until further notice.</li> <li>• The state news agency reported that the authorities will start to seize all means of transport, whose drivers do not have "a justification for moving", from March 27 as part of the nationwide general lockdown.</li> <li>• According to the state news agency, the government has decided to extend the ongoing nationwide lockdown from April 5 until April 19 to contain the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic. The nationwide lockdown was initially imposed on March 22 and was slated to last until April 4. During the lockdown period, travel between cities has been prohibited, except for necessary cases. Furthermore, citizens and residents have been advised to self-quarantine and minimize non-essential movement, except for healthcare or purchase of basic commodities. The report further indicated that the state will continue to provide public services such as "food, health, administration, judiciary, energy, security, water, transportation, communications, media, hygiene, and vital industrial activities", while also stating that "necessary professional activity in the private sector will also continue in the aforementioned fields."</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Five new coronavirus cases were recorded in Tunisia on April 8, bringing the total number of cases to 628.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>TURKEY</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 38,226 Confirmed Deaths: 812 Recovered Cases: 1,846</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Turkish government closed its land border with Iran as well as the Dilucu land border crossing with Azerbaijan.</li> <li>• On February 29, the Ministry of Health (MoH) reportedly announced the closure of all border crossings with Iraq's Kurdistan Regional Government (KRG)-administered territories.</li> <li>• Authorities reportedly closed down Uzumlu custom gate in Hakkari's Cukurca district on March 1.</li> <li>• On March 15, Turkey's official news agency reported that all border crossings with Georgia have been closed for passenger traffic but remain open to cargo traffic.</li> <li>• On March 17, Turkey announced that the issuance of passports, identification cards, and drivers' licenses will be suspended from March 18 onwards, except in case of an emergency. In such a situation, a prior appointment will need to be made with the relevant authority.</li> <li>• On March 18, the Turkish authorities announced the closure of Turkey's land border gates with Greece and Bulgaria to passenger traffic. Passengers will not be permitted to enter or leave Turkey's border with Greece at the Pazarkule and Ipsala border gates, as well as the Uzunkopru railway border gate. Additionally, passenger travel will be suspended via the Derekoy, Hamzabeyli and Kapikule border gates at the Bulgaria-Turkey frontier. Moreover, starting from March 19, entrance into Turkey via either land or sea is prohibited for Greek and Bulgarian citizens, as well as nationals of other countries who were in these countries for the past 14 days. Freight transportation across the borders will be allowed.</li> <li>• On March 21, the MoI imposed a nationwide lockdown on individuals over 65 years as well those suffering from chronic medical conditions. It prohibits them from leaving their residences until further notice. District governments have been instructed to assist individuals to cover basic needs, such as the provision of groceries and medicine. Hotlines have been established for such needs.</li> <li>• Turkey's official news agency reported on March 24 that the MoI announced new restrictions on public transport and shopping for groceries. All public transport vehicles will now only be allowed to carry half their capacity and grocery stores will be open between 09:00 (local time) and 21:00 every day. The number of people allowed to shop in a store will be limited according to its size and the number of customers inside.</li> <li>• On March 27, Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan reportedly announced the indefinite suspension of all international flights to and from Turkey. Erdogan also called on people to "self-isolate" if they do not feel well.</li> <li>• On March 28, Turkey suspended all intercity trains and limited domestic flights in the country. Pegasus Airlines reportedly suspended all domestic flights, while Turkish Airlines indicated that it would only operate flights to and from 14 cities: Ankara, Istanbul, Izmir, Samsun, Trabzon, Erzurum, Diyarbakir, Malatya, Van, Gaziantep, Konya, Adana, Antalya, and Kayseri.</li> <li>• Authorities in Istanbul announced the suspension of all ferry services in the city starting from March 30.</li> </ul>

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- On March 30, checkpoints were reportedly set up at roads leading into Istanbul. Traffic police are checking vehicle occupants for body temperature and compliance with the curfew for those over 65 year old. Moreover, occupants of inter-city buses were checked for the possession of travel permits.
- According to the US Embassy, all passengers on domestic flights in Turkey are required to submit a travel permit obtained from the Travel Permit Council. All individuals with e-devlet accounts (Turkish citizens) can request those permits online. The process for those without e-devlet accounts has not yet been established.
- On April 2, Turkey's national flag carrier, Turkish Airlines, announced the suspension of all international flights until May 1.
- On April 3, President Recep Tayyip Erdogan announced the closure of borders to vehicles in the following 31 provinces: Adana, Ankara, Antalya, Aydın, Balıkesir, Bursa, Denizli, Diyarbakır, Erzurum, Eskisehir, Gaziantep, Hatay, Istanbul, İzmir, Kahramanmaraş, Kayseri, Kocaeli, Konya, Malatya, Manisa, Mardin, Mersin, Muğla, Ordu, Sakarya, Samsun, Sanliurfa, Tekirdag, Trabzon, Van, and Zonguldak. The measure came into effect on April 4 and will last for a period of 15 days until April 19, with a possibility for further extension. Only vehicles supplying essential goods, such as food, medicines, cleaning supplies, freight, and logistics, will be allowed to enter and exit the aforementioned provinces for the duration of the newly imposed restrictions.
- The President also announced on April 3 that it is mandatory for all the people in Turkey to wear face masks in crowded areas, including stores.
- A curfew restricting those below the age of 20 from leaving their residences, except for necessary purposes, was imposed on April 3 until further notice.
- On April 5, the MoI announced exceptions to the newly imposed curfew on individuals below the age of 20. This includes individuals employed in state institutions and organizations as civil servants, contracted personnel or workers; individuals who work in the private sector and can prove this with social security registration; and seasonal agricultural workers. These exceptions will not apply to those born after January 1, 2002.
- On April 6, the Turkish national news agency reported that Turkish Airlines will suspend all domestic flights within the country until April 20.
- On April 6, the UK's FCO announced that, at present, there are "extremely limited commercial options to return to the UK from Turkey". The statement indicated that UK citizens "should not assume that UK special charter flights [flights in partnership between the government and airlines to fly home British travellers from "priority" countries], will become available in countries where commercial routes are operating."
- On April 7, according to the UK's FCO, Turkish authorities have confirmed that any foreign nationals who outstay their visit visas due to COVID-19-related travel restrictions will not face any fines or penalties.
- **UPDATE:** The Ministry of Health (MoH) reported on April 9 that 4,117 new coronavirus cases have been recorded in the country, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 38,226. Meanwhile, 264 additional individuals infected with the virus have recovered, while a further 87 have been reported to have died from the condition.

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UAE




Confirmed Cases: 2,659  
Confirmed Deaths: 12  
Recovered Cases: 239

- On February 27, the authorities announced the suspension of ferry services with Iran until further notice.
- From February 27 and until further notice, commercial ships arriving in the UAE are obliged to submit a statement on the health status of their crews 72 hours prior to arrival.
- On March 23, the UAE's official news agency reported that all international passenger flights to and from the UAE will be suspended from March 25 for two weeks. The transit of passenger flights through airports in the UAE will also not be permitted during this period. However, all cargo and evacuation flights will be exempt from the travel ban.
- On March 30, the government reportedly announced a free automatic three-month extension for residency visas and Emirates IDs that expired after March 1. The government also agreed to waive administrative fines associated with infractions on any services provided by the Federal Authority of Identity and Citizenship, starting from April 1 and lasting a renewable period of three months.
- According to the Ministry of Interior (MoI), on April 2, the suspension of the entry of valid residence holders who are currently residing outside the country has been extended for two weeks, until April 16.
- On April 2, Emirates Airlines stated that authorities had granted the airline permission to restart some international passenger flights from Dubai, starting from April 6. The destinations are London Heathrow, Frankfurt, Paris, Zurich, and Brussels.
- On April 3, Etihad Airways stated its intention to relaunch a limited number of international passenger flights from April 5, pending permission by authorities. According to an April 4 statement by Etihad, a limited number of repatriation flights will be offered by Etihad from April 5, serving Seoul, Singapore, Manila, and Jakarta. At the time of writing, there is no indication when regular passenger flights will be resumed.
- On April 4, authorities decided to extend the nationwide sterilization program, and in turn, the nightly curfew between 20:00 (local time) and 06:00, until further notice. Residents are advised to stay at home between the aforementioned hours "unless absolutely necessary to obtain essential food supplies or medicine or perform essential jobs in vital sectors". Special job categories include the energy sector, as well as those working in communication, health, education, security, the police, and the military. According to the Ministry of Interior (MoI), local authorities in each Emirate will be able to implement the disinfection plans as per the requirements of their facilities and establishments.
- On April 4, the government reportedly instructed all residents to wear face masks whenever they leave their homes.
- According to the UAE's state news agency, the emirate of Dubai has imposed a complete curfew from April 5 for a period of two weeks as part of an effort to mitigate the spread of the coronavirus. Individuals will not be allowed to leave their residences, except for essential purposes or if they are working in vital sectors that are exempted from the restrictions. Essential needs include grocery shopping or medical emergencies. Only one family member is permitted to leave the house for this purpose. Dubai's media office has released a statement indicating that all individuals will be required to obtain a permit prior to leaving the house from [dxbpermit.gov.ae](http://dxbpermit.gov.ae). According to the statement, the curfew may be subject to renewal.





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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Per April 7 reports, the emirate of Dubai has extended the temporary closure of all commercial activities until April 18.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> On April 8, the Ministry of Health and Prevention (MoHAP) announced that 300 new cases of coronavirus have been recorded, bringing the total number of confirmed cases to 2,659. Meanwhile, 53 additional individuals have recovered from the virus, raising the total number of recovered cases in the country to 239.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>YEMEN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>According to reports from March 18, the Houthis announced a total ban on travel between northern and southern Yemen.</li> <li>The Hadi-led government announced the suspension of all flights to and from all the airports in the territories under its control from March 18 until further notice. Flights for humanitarian purposes are exempt.</li> <li>On March 23, the Hadi-led government in Yemen published a statement announcing the suspension of both government-run and private-run newspapers until further notice.</li> <li>The authorities announced an indefinite night curfew in Aden between 22:00 (local time) and 06:00 (local time) from March 26. The statement indicates that all commercial stores and malls will also be closed for a two-week period.</li> <li>On March 30, the Hadi-led government announced the extension of the suspension of the country's land, sea, and air ports in its held territories for a period of two weeks, starting on April 1.</li> <li>On March 31, the authorities announced a night curfew in Hadramout Governorate between 16:00 (local time) and 04:00 from April 2 until further notice. The statement indicated that health workers will be exempt from this measure and that the authorities will reconsider whether to extend the curfew further.</li> </ul>





## Sub-Saharan Africa

Country	Measures
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ANGOLA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 19 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government suspended all international flights to and from Angola from March 20.</li> <li>All land borders are closed for an 'extendable' period of time. Additionally, the docking and disembarkation of international passenger ships are prohibited for 15 days from March 20. Public events and gatherings with more than 200 people are prohibited.</li> <li>Educational and religious institutions have suspended all activities.</li> <li>The government declared a state of emergency on March 26. The presidential decree empowers police and security forces to enforce all health directives and other regulations.</li> <li>Authorities have announced that foreigners' expired visas will remain valid till May 15.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed three additional cases of the virus on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>BENIN</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government stated on March 19 that all travelers will be subject to 14-day compulsory quarantine if arriving from air. Additionally, any person who fails to self-quarantine will be subject to prosecution.</li> </ul>


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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 26 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 5</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Ministry of Health installed disinfection equipment and thermal scanners at Cotonou Cadjehoun Airport.</li> <li>• The government announced the closure of all churches and other places of worship as well as all educational institutions and the suspension of public transportation services from March 13 - April 13.</li> <li>• The government has issued a decree establishing a health cordon around the zone composed of the municipalities of Cotonou, Abomey-Calavi, Allada, Ouidah, Seme-Podji, Porto-Novo, Akpro-Misserete and Adjara from March 30 through April 13.</li> <li>• The Minister of Health announced the first virus-related death on April 6, with the patient having pre-existing conditions. Four additional cases were announced by the authorities.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BOTSWANA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 13 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 25, the government closed all of the borders. Only citizens and residents will be able to re-enter at the airport while commercial goods may enter at land borders. However, everyone entering is subject to a mandatory 14-day quarantine.</li> <li>• The government has suspended all commercial flights effective March 29.</li> <li>• On March 13, the government suspended all overseas trips by government officials and suspended the hosting of all international events and conferences to avoid the spread of COVID-19 into the country.</li> <li>• The government has prohibited all government or public meetings, with gatherings of more than 100 people banned.</li> <li>• The government has declared a nationwide state of emergency and imposed a 28-day lockdown effective midnight on April 2.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed seven cases of the virus on April 9.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BURKINA FASO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 414 Confirmed Deaths: 23 Recovered Cases: 134</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has suspended all international flights and closed all land borders until further notice with an exception for commercial traffic.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Transport has suspended road transport from March 23.</li> <li>• The government halted all demonstrations until the end of April. The Catholic Church suspended all public masses until further notice, while Islamic organizations have suspended prayers at all mosques and other Muslim cultural ceremonies involving more than 50 people.</li> <li>• Effective March 26, the government imposed a 14-day quarantine on eight cities in the country with no entry or exit, including Ouagadougou, Bobo-Dioulasso, Boromo, Hounde, Dedougou, Banfora, Manga, and Zorgho.</li> <li>• The city of Dano, Sud-Ouest Region has been quarantined after a positive case was detected in the city on March 30.</li> <li>• The government confirmed 20 additional cases, 19 recoveries and one death on April 7.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 30 cases, seven recoveries and four deaths on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>BURUNDI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 3</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• As of March 21, authorities have suspended all international flights.</li> <li>• The Foreign Ministry has suspended the issuance of visas. Additionally, all official missions abroad have been suspended until further notice.</li> <li>• On March 24, the government said that all travelers arriving from other countries will have a mandatory 14-day quarantine.</li> </ul>



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<p>Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On April 4, authorities extended the closure of Bujumbura International Airport for an additional 14 days.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CAMEROON</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 730 Confirmed Deaths: 9 Recovered Cases: 60</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On April 1, the government extended the closure of all borders, suspension of all flights, and restrictions on movement for an additional 15 days. The measures were first imposed on March 17.</li> <li>All educational institutions will also remain closed indefinitely. The government also banned gatherings of more than 50 people.</li> <li>The Port of Douala has implemented a 14-day quarantine for all vessels traveling from areas affected by the coronavirus.</li> <li>As a precaution, the government has suspended the importation of all animals and animal products from countries that are an "active focal point" for coronavirus.</li> <li>The Douala II municipality ordered the closure of all markets from April 2, on March 31. The mayor of Douala has mandated the wearing of masks on April 6.</li> <li>The government confirmed 26 additional cases and 43 recoveries on April 7.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CAPE VERDE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 7 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 8, Cape Verde Airlines suspended its route to Washington, DC in the US through the end of May.</li> <li>The government announced a ban on all flights to Italy until March 30.</li> <li>Cabo Verde Airlines (CVA) temporarily suspended all flights for 30 days on March 18.</li> <li>The government has announced new restrictions to reduce public transport by 50 percent on March 23.</li> <li>The government declared a state of emergency effective as of 00:00 (local time) on March 29 until April 17.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government announced the first recovery on April 6.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CAR</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 10 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 3</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government announced a range of restrictions, including new quarantines for those traveling from countries with local transmission, a halt on all mass gatherings, and the closure of bars and clubs for one month.</li> <li>The government has announced several measures to contain COVID-19, including banning gatherings of more than 15 people, extension of quarantine from 14 to 21 days, and closure of the international airport, schools and places of worship on March 27.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed one additional case on April 8.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government has suspended river navigation in several villages across borders with the DRC and Congo on April 8</li> </ul>
<p><b>CHAD</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 10 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government has announced the extension of the closure period for the Hassan Djamous international airport in N'Djamena until April 10.</li> <li>The government has announced the closure of all restaurants, bars, gaming centers, and casinos. Additionally, all gatherings of more than 50 people are prohibited in public and private spaces.</li> <li>The government has announced the closure of all non-grocery stores.</li> <li>President Idriss Deby ordered the closure of the border with Cameroon on March 31.</li> <li>Government decrees curfew in N'Djamena city, Logone Occidental, Logone Oriental, Mayo-Kebbi Ouest, and Mayo-Kebbi Est provinces from 19:00 (local time) - 06:00, effective from April 2.</li> <li>The government confirmed an additional case, as well as one recovery on April 7.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>COMOROS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>As of March 24, all commercial flights are banned with the exception of cargo. Sea travel between East Africa and Comoros is also banned.</li> <li>President Azali Assoumani announced reduction of duties and taxes on essential items and extension of tax filing period on March 30. Security forces will be deployed to ensure business compliance concerning reduction of taxes.</li> </ul>
<p><b>CONGO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 45 Confirmed Deaths: 5 Recovered Cases: 5</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 21, the government closed all air, land, and sea borders, except for cargo.</li> <li>The government advised citizens to be vigilant and report to a health facility if they have any symptoms following a visit to virus-affected countries.</li> <li>The government has shut down all religious institutions for the next 30 days on March 23.</li> <li>President Denis Sassou N'Guesso declares a state of health emergency on March 29, which will go into effect on March 31 for 30 days. The directive includes the prohibition of movement apart from those providing essential services and a night curfew from 20:00 (local time) to 05:00.</li> <li>The government confirmed 15 new cases and three deaths on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>DJIBOUTI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 135 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 25</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government has suspended all international travel in and out of Djibouti City, effective March 18. This applies only to passengers, not cargo.</li> <li>The government announced the suspension of the passenger trains linking Djibouti to Ethiopia, effective from March 20.</li> <li>The government deployed the military in the capital, Djibouti City, to enforce the lockdown on March 25.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirmed 45 cases and 16 recoveries on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>DRC</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 207 Confirmed Deaths: 20 Recovered Cases: 10</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 25, the government declared a state of emergency, closed all of the borders, and took measures to quarantine Kinshasa, suspending travel to the city from other provinces.</li> <li>President Felix Tshisekedi banned public gatherings of more than 20 people, shut down schools, and churches for four weeks, effective March 19.</li> <li>The North Kivu Province government suspended all lake traffic between Goma and Bukavu.</li> <li>Kinshasa's governor announced the sealing of Gombe commune on April 2.</li> <li>North Kivu has isolated Goma, Beni, and Butembo as a preventative measure, while South Kivu isolated Bukavu.</li> <li>The US has organized a commercial flight to repatriate citizens and permanent residents to depart on April 9.</li> <li>Authorities announced the isolation of Goma, Beni and Butembo cities on April 5</li> <li>The government confirmed three additional cases, and two deaths on April 8.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 24 cases and one recovery on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>EQUATORIAL GUINEA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 13, the Ministry of Health released a statement stating that all land and maritime borders would be closed, international flights restricted and that any</li> </ul>

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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 18 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 3</p>	<p>passengers showing symptoms of the virus would be compulsorily quarantined for 14 days.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced the postponement of the Exhibition and Forum on Investment in African Oil that was scheduled for June 1-2. It is currently rescheduled for November.</li> <li>• The government prohibited gatherings of more than 10 people on March 17.</li> <li>• The US Embassy in Equatorial Guinea announced a repatriation flight operated by the US government for 7:30 (local time) on April 8 from Malabo International Airport.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirms two cases on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ERITREA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 33 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Ministry of Health banned all travel within the country on March 16.</li> <li>• The authorities banned public gatherings of more than 10 people on March 23.</li> <li>• The government banned all commercial flights for two weeks effective from March 25.</li> <li>• On March 27 onwards, the government has shut down all educational institutions, and banned all public transport within cities as well as between cities and regions.</li> <li>• The government announced the closure of all commercial service outlets for 14 days on March 30.</li> <li>• The government has issued state at home orders for everyone barring those working essential services effective from April 2 for 21 days. All trading activities and transactions will be banned during this period, however, entities working in the food supply, processing, and manufacturing business, as well as grocery stores, banks, and pharmacies will remain open till 20:00.</li> <li>• The government announces the extension of a ban on passenger flights to and from the country for another 21 days on April 8.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirmed two cases on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>eSWATINI (SWAZILAND)</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 12 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foreign nationals from high-risk COVID-19 countries are banned from entering, while Swazi citizens returning from these countries will be subjected to screening and mandatory self-isolation for 14 days.</li> <li>• The government declared a state of emergency on March 17 over the pandemic. All educational institutions will remain shut indefinitely, while all public gatherings of more than 50 people are banned.</li> <li>• The government announced a partial lockdown to take effect on March 27, with all unnecessary movements outside the home restricted, with exceptions for food, health, and essential workplaces.</li> <li>• The Minister of Public Works announces that as of March 30, public transport will operate on a reduced basis nationwide from 05:00 to 09:00 (local time) and from 15:00 to 19:00.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirmed two cases on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ETHIOPIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 56 Confirmed Deaths: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ethiopian Airlines announces that it has suspended flights to over 80 international destinations as of March 29, but that its domestic operations will continue until further notice and that international cargo operations are still ongoing.</li> <li>• Authorities have closed all borders. Additionally, they have banned large gatherings and overcrowding of public transport and mandated the practice of social distancing. Security forces are authorized to enforce these measures.</li> </ul>

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<p>Recovered Cases: 4</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced the temporary closure of all university campuses on March 25.</li> <li>• The state governments of Tigray, Amhara, SNNPR, Oromia, and Benishangul-Gumuz regions have imposed separate restrictions on movement, banned public transportation, and halted inter-region travel.</li> <li>• The Ethiopian Islamic Affairs Supreme Council suspended all major prayers and other services for an indefinite period on April 1. Additionally, all federal courts will remain partially closed for 23 days.</li> <li>• The Ministry of Health confirmed three new cases on April 8.</li> <li>• The government declared a 'State of Emergency' , and warned of "'grave legal measures" against persons undermining the ongoing restrictions on April 8.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed one case on April 9.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GABON</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 34        Confirmed Deaths: 1        Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 17, the government announced restrictions of international flights to and from Gabon to one per week, and one flight per airline. Additionally, all restaurants, bars, and places of worship will remain closed indefinitely.</li> <li>• The government closed all land borders. Authorities also suspended tourist visa issuance to all passengers coming from affected countries, including Europe, China, South Korea, and the US.</li> <li>• New surveillance teams have been deployed to Libreville International Airport to scan for the virus.</li> <li>• The government has instructed its diplomats and others employed by international organizations not to return to Gabon.</li> <li>• Authorities have imposed a curfew between 19:30 and 06:00 from March 22.</li> <li>• Schools and other education institutions have been closed indefinitely on March 30.</li> <li>• The President announced his intention to confine Libreville as a containment measure, though no details have been released and it has not yet taken effect.</li> <li>• Authorities announced three new cases on April 8.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities confirmed one additional case on April 8</li> </ul>
<p><b>THE GAMBIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4        Confirmed Deaths: 1        Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities closed the Gambian airspace, except for medicinal cargo flights, as well as the border with Senegal from March 23.</li> <li>• On March 18, the government banned all public gatherings, closed all educational institutions for three weeks. Additionally, the National Assembly suspended all its sessions indefinitely.</li> <li>• The government declared a state of emergency, which stipulates that all non-essential places, including bars, cinemas, events halls, be closed to the public.</li> <li>• The National Assembly approved the extension of the state of emergency for 45 days starting April 5.</li> <li>• France has organized a flight from Banjul to Paris for April 15.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GHANA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 313        Confirmed Deaths: 6</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced that all air, land, and sea borders would be closed on March 22, except for goods and cargo. These closures were extended for an additional two weeks on April 5.</li> <li>• The government has also suspended all nonessential international travel for public officers and has placed several health measures at the Ghana-Togo border. All public gatherings have also been banned.</li> <li>• The tourism authority has shut down the country's beaches starting March 24.</li> </ul>

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<p>Recovered Cases: 34</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government announces partial lockdown of various cities across the country, including Accra, Kumasi, Kasoa, and Tema, effective 01:00 (local time) on March 30 for a two-week period. It also announced that no vehicle would be allowed to enter or leave those cities.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirms 26 cases, 32 recoveries and one death on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>GUINEA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 164        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 5</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All flights from countries with more than 30 cases have been suspended from March 21 for a month, except for cargo and humanitarian aid.</li> <li>The government announced limitations on public transportation and shut down the Conakry-Gbessia International Airport on March 23.</li> <li>Authorities have implemented thermal cameras and other screening measures at all ports of entry, with particular focus on foreigners, missionaries, and students.</li> <li>The government declared a State of Emergency on March 26.</li> <li>The government has announced the isolation of Conakry and imposition of a curfew from 21:00 (local time) to 05:00 on March 30.</li> <li>The government confirmed 16 new cases were detected on April 7.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 20 cases on April 8</li> </ul>
<p><b>GUINEA-BISSAU</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 33        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government announced the closure of all borders into the country, effective March 18.</li> <li>The government banned all public gatherings including mass and prayers for all religions. Additionally, all bars and restaurants are ordered to be shut along with all educational institutions.</li> <li>The government declared a state of emergency on March 27, restricting movement and closing all nonessential business.</li> </ul>
<p><b>IVORY COAST</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 384        Confirmed Deaths: 3        Recovered Cases: 48</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Land, sea, and air borders are indefinitely closed from March 22. Goods traffic is still permitted across the borders.</li> <li>On March 23, the authorities declared a state of emergency over the spread of the disease, announcing a 21:00 (local time) to 05:00 curfew, the closing of all restaurants and a restriction on travel between the capital and interior regions.</li> <li>The government stated that all parks and beaches were to be closed for one month, effective March 18.</li> <li>All schools have been closed and all sporting and cultural events suspended. Additionally, religious leaders have announced the suspension of public worship.</li> <li>The government banned all travel into and out of Abidjan on March 25. On March 31, authorities stated that any person with a fever is banned from leaving Abidjan even if they have a valid leave permit.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 35 cases and seven recoveries on April 8.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government has extended the night-time curfew to April 24 on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>KENYA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 179</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The authorities have announced the suspension of all international flights, barring cargo flights, to and from Kenya from March 25. Additionally, those coming into the country till the suspension goes into effect have to undergo a mandatory 14-day quarantine at personal cost.</li> <li>Authorities have noted delays in shipping and processing at Mombasa port due to the increased restrictions both in Kenya and China.</li> </ul>

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<p>Confirmed Deaths: 6 Recovered Cases: 9</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mombasa County ordered the indefinite closure of beaches and recreational areas.</li> <li>• The Central Bank of Kenya on March 16 has implemented emergency measures to limit the use of cash and to enhance mobile money transfers.</li> <li>• President Uhuru Kenyatta announced a daily curfew from 19:00 - 05:00 (local time) effective from March 27. The curfew for the coastal region was delayed to 20:30 after clashes were reported on March 27.</li> <li>• The Health Cabinet Secretary banned upcountry travel from Nairobi, ordered public transport commuters to wear masks, and the Nairobi Hospital announced that it will close satellite units to focus efforts on containing the disease as part of new measures announced on April 2. The Health CS further ordered everyone to wear masks when entering supermarkets and open-air markets as of April 4.</li> <li>• Authorities extended the ban on all international flights for 30 days and extended the lockdown for 14 more days on April 5.</li> <li>• Authorities issued a directive for burial of coronavirus-related deaths, which includes the burial taking place within 24 hours of death with only 15 close family members allowed to attend the funeral.</li> <li>• The government has banned all travel into and from the Nairobi Metropolitan area for 21 days from April 6. A similar restriction of movement is slated to begin in Mombasa, Kilifi, and Kwale from 19:00 on April 8. The movement of cargo, however, will continue.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed seven cases and two recoveries of the virus on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LESOTHO</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 0 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has imposed new screening measures at Maseru's Moshoeshoe I International Airport.</li> <li>• Travelers who arrive with a fever from any coronavirus-affected country may be transported to a quarantine facility. Those who enter without any symptoms will be instructed to self-quarantine for 14 days.</li> <li>• The government declared COVID-19 as a national emergency on March 19 and closed all educational institutions.</li> <li>• On March 26, the government announced a 21-day lockdown to take place from March 29 to April 21.</li> </ul>
<p><b>LIBERIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 31 Confirmed Deaths: 4 Recovered Cases: 3</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All commercial flights except cargo, chartered, and special flights have been suspended by the authorities.</li> <li>• The government suspended the issuance of passports to Liberian citizens with immediate effect on March 19.</li> <li>• The government announced the closure of its border with Sierra Leone on April 1.</li> <li>• Nimba County authorities have suspended all traditional activities, schools, and markets.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government declared a three-week state of emergency effective April 10 and ordered all Liberian embassies abroad to close down on April 8.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 17 cases, three recoveries and one death on April 9.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MADAGASCAR</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All international flights to and from Madagascar have been suspended from March 20 for 30 days.</li> </ul>





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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 93 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 11</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 21, the authorities ordered a lockdown of Antananarivo and Toamasina with only stores selling essentials and banks to be open to business. A curfew has been imposed from 20:00 to 5:00 for 15 days.</li> <li>The government has announced that current travel restrictions are applicable to diplomatic missions on March 30.</li> <li>The government extended the state of emergency for an additional 15 days on April 4.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirmed 11 cases and 11 recoveries on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MALAWI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 8 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Authorities announced that all international flights would be suspended as of April 1 for an unspecified duration.</li> <li>The government has prohibited the entry of foreign nationals from countries that are highly affected by the virus. However, Southern African Development Community members are exempt from the restriction.</li> <li>Authorities have announced that residents returning from countries with confirmed cases will be subject to quarantine.</li> <li>The government has banned all international meetings and prohibited officials from attending meetings in countries that are affected by the virus.</li> <li>The Mayor of Blantyre has announced a citywide lockdown, banned all commercial services and public gatherings on March 30.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MALI</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 59 Confirmed Deaths: 7 Recovered Cases: 16</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government suspended all flights from COVID-19 affected countries, effective from March 19.</li> <li>The government ordered the closure of all land borders on March 25.</li> <li>Additionally, all educational institutions were closed and public gatherings of more than 50 people were banned.</li> <li>The government declared a night-time curfew from 21:00 - 05:00 (local time) on March 25.</li> <li>The government suspended traditional gold panning activities nationwide on March 31.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed three new cases, two deaths, and four recoveries on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MAURITANIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 7 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 13, the government suspended all commercial flights to the country.</li> <li>All land and sea borders were closed on March 22.</li> <li>The government has imposed a nationwide curfew from 20:00 to 06:00 and banned all public gatherings.</li> <li>The government isolated the cities of Nouakchott and Kaedi following the detection of COVID-19 cases on March 29. Additionally, the government has implemented restrictions on internal travel for citizens as of 12:00 (local time) on March 29 to further prohibit travel to and from Nouakchott and other urban centers.</li> <li>The government announced the indefinite suspension of Friday prayers nationwide, and extended the closure of all schools until April 30.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed one additional case on April 9.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The National Assembly has adopted a bill authorizing the government to take all measures necessary to fight the virus and its effects through ordinance on April 8.</li> </ul>



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<p><b>MAURITIUS</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 273        Confirmed Deaths: 7        Recovered Cases: 19</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government suspended all flights into Sir Seewoosagur International Airport from 10:00 (local time) on March 19.</li> <li>• The country's lockdown extended till April 15 with all non-essential activities barred.</li> <li>• The government has instituted a curfew from 20:00 on March 23 to 20:00 on April 15.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Government confirmed five cases and nine recoveries on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MAYOTTE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 184        Confirmed Deaths: 2        Recovered Cases: 23</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The authorities have imposed a curfew between 20:00 to 05:00 (local time).</li> <li>• All nonessential travel to and from the country has been banned including travel to France.</li> <li>• The government has closed all religious schools, colleges, nurseries and other educational institutions as well as bars, restaurants and cinemas until further notice with only the exception of grocery stores remaining functional.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Government confirmed 20 cases and nine recoveries on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>MOZAMBIQUE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 17        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President Filipe Nyusi announced the closure of the country to travelers from Europe, Reunion, and Mayotte for 30 days.</li> <li>• The government declared a state of emergency from April 1-30 and will restrict internal movement and entry at the borders on March 30.</li> <li>• From March 23, the government will suspend the issuance of visas and cancel the visas already issued for 30 days.</li> <li>• All educational institutions have been temporarily closed and the government has banned events and gatherings with more than 50 people.</li> <li>• Long-distance trains have been canceled while only 50 passengers are allowed per carriage in short-distance trains. Authorities have also decreed that buses will only carry a maximum of 50 passengers from March 23 to April 23.</li> <li>• Violators of emergency to face a six-month sentence and fine under charges of civil disobedience.</li> <li>• The government shut down the Port of Pemba in Cabo Delgado Province on April 5 as part of the state of emergency measures.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The Government confirms seven cases and the first recovery on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NAMIBIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 16        Confirmed Deaths: 0        Recovered Cases: 3</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government imposed a partial lockdown order on March 24 and banned all travel to the country. Namibians are banned from leaving and if they return from abroad, they face mandatory quarantine. Commercial traffic is not affected.</li> <li>• On March 15, the government announced the closure of all schools.</li> <li>• The government announced a 21-day lockdown on March 27.</li> </ul>
<p><b>NIGER</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 17, the government announced the closure of all borders and international airports for an indefinite period.</li> </ul>

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 Confirmed Cases: 342 Confirmed Deaths: 11 Recovered Cases: 28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All educational institutions, along with bars, nightclubs, cinema theaters, and entertainment venues will also remain closed. Religious leaders have announced the temporary closure of all places of worship.</li> <li>The government has declared a state of emergency and nationwide lockdown from March 28. It also announced a night-time curfew for Niamey from 19:00 to 06:00 (local time) from March 28.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 64 cases on April 8.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The US Embassy announced a repatriation flight scheduled on April 10.</li> </ul>
 <b>NIGERIA</b> Confirmed Cases: 276 Confirmed Deaths: 6 Recovered Cases: 44	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Authorities have halted all international flights to take effect on March 23.</li> <li>The government has shut down all land borders and announced a one-month lockdown on March 23.</li> <li>All tertiary institutions and unity colleges are closed as per the order of the federal government.</li> <li>The authorities have ordered police personnel to only detain suspects for the most serious offenses.</li> <li>Dana Air, Air Peace, and Arik Air suspended operations. Dana Air suspended flights from March 25 for two weeks, while Air Peace suspensions began on March 27 for 23 days.</li> <li>The government announced the cessation of all movement in Lagos, and Abuja Federal Capital Territory for a period of 14 days effective from March 30.</li> <li>The petroleum regulator has ordered all oil and gas companies to reduce non-essential staff and move to 28-day staff rotations on March 29.</li> <li>The authorities announced six new cases on April 6.</li> <li>The Chief Justice of Nigeria extended the suspension of all court sittings, due to expire on April 7, for 14 days on April 6.</li> <li>The government confirmed 16 additional cases on April 7.</li> <li>The Plateau State government announced a six day total lockdown in order to carry out fumigation efforts effective April 9, on April 7.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 22 cases, nine recoveries and one death on April 8.</li> </ul>
 <b>REUNION</b> Confirmed Cases: 362 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All nonessential travel to and from the country has been banned including travel to France.</li> <li>Health checks have been implemented at Roland Garros airport.</li> <li>The prefect of the island requested that all Reunionese stay home.</li> <li>All public gatherings of more than 100 people are banned and schools closed.</li> <li>The government following repeated violations of lockdown orders imposed a seven day curfew from 20:00 to 5:00 in Possession town on March 29.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Government confirmed 13 new cases.</li> </ul>
 <b>RWANDA</b> Confirmed Cases: 110	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All passenger flights to and from the country will be suspended for 30 days, effective March 20.</li> <li>The government imposed a ban on all public gatherings in Kigali as a precaution, which includes concerts, conferences, and other events. Subsequently, they closed schools and houses of worship.</li> <li>Authorities announced new restrictions on movement, to be kept to essential needs only, work from home except for essential personnel, and closure of all nonessential</li> </ul>

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<p>Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 7</p>	<p>shops. This took effect on March 21, with the lockdown extended by an additional 15 days and scheduled to end on April 19.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has closed all borders with only goods and cargo and returning Rwandan residents allowed entry. Any returning citizen is subject to a mandatory 14-day quarantine.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities confirmed five new cases on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SAO TOME &amp; PRINCIPE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 4 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities banned all air travel on March 22.</li> <li>• The government declared a state of emergency. Foreign nationals will be prevented from entering, travelers will have a mandatory quarantine, all public gatherings are banned, and schools are closed, to take effect on March 20.</li> <li>• PM Jorge Bam announced the extension of the state of emergency until April 18.</li> <li>• PM Jorge Bam announced that the first four cases were detected on April 6, four travelers from Portugal who arrived on March 21.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SENEGAL</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 244 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 113</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government suspended international commercial flights on the night of March 20, intended to last until at least April 17.</li> <li>• Port authorities have announced increased screening and health checks of those arriving in Senegal by boat from countries affected by coronavirus.</li> <li>• President Macky Sall banned public demonstrations and events for 30 days and suspended schools for three weeks. The reopening of schools was delayed until May 4.</li> <li>• On March 23, the authorities declared a state of emergency over the spread of the disease, announcing a 20:00 (local time) to 06:00 curfew, the closing of all restaurants and a restriction on travel between the capital and interior regions.</li> <li>• On April 4, the state of emergency and curfew were extended until May 4.</li> <li>• France has organized flights from Dakar to Paris on April 8, 13, and 15.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed seven new cases and 17 recoveries on April 8.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Air Senegal suspended all flights until May 17 on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SEYCHELLES</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 11 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced the suspension of all international flights effective on March 27. Only Seychellois citizens will be allowed to enter the country and face mandatory quarantine upon arrival.</li> <li>• The Attorney General announced restrictions including limiting the number of public gatherings to four on March 30. Retail shops have to remain closed between 18:30 to 06:00 (local time) while food shops must remain closed between 20:00 to 06:00 (local time).</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government will shut non-essential services and restrict movement of people from April 8 for 21 days.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SIERRA LEONE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All international flights have been suspended from March 21 until further notice.</li> <li>• President Julius Maadia Bio declared a 12-month state of emergency, though said that it does not constitute a lockdown.</li> <li>• The government has closed all of its land borders for 30 days effective March 27.</li> <li>• The government announced a second case on April 1, a doctor living in Freetown with no connection to the index case.</li> </ul>

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<p>Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government announced a 72 hour lockdown effective from the night hours of April 5.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities confirmed a new case on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SOMALIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 12 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government suspended all travel in and out of the country, effective March 18.</li> <li>The government has implemented health screening measures at Mogadishu's Aden Adde International Airport as of February 5. A quarantine unit has reportedly been established at the airport.</li> <li>The authorities have suspended all domestic flights effective March 28. Planes carrying food and medicines would have to give 24 hours notice of their flight schedule.</li> <li>Puntland authorities closed its borders with Ethiopia and Somaliland, as well as implemented a night curfew as of April 1. All public gatherings are banned and mosque attendance reduced.</li> <li><b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed four new cases and the country's first casualty of the virus on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SOMALILAND</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 2 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The government barred incoming passengers from Europe and North America from entering the territory on March 30.</li> <li>The government ordered the closure of borders and seaports apart from Berbera for three weeks on March 30. However, essential cargo and fuel shipments will continue.</li> <li>The Somaliland authorities announced that all schools would be closed and all public gatherings banned for one month, starting March 17.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SOUTH AFRICA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 1,845 Confirmed Deaths: 18 Recovered Cases: 95</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On March 23, President Cyril Ramaphosa announced a 21-day nationwide lockdown starting from March 26 to April 16. Essential supplies and medical treatment will be available, while public transit will be closed. Security forces have been authorized to enforce these measures.</li> <li>The government has banned the entrance of foreign nationals from high-risk countries including France, Germany, Iran, Italy, South Korea, Spain, the US, and the UK. Authorities have canceled visa issuance to these countries and thus revoked previously-granted visas.</li> <li>South African Airways (SAA) has suspended all international flights till May 31.</li> <li>35 out of 53 land ports will be closed as of March 16, as well as two of eight seaports for passenger and crew exchanges.</li> <li>The government has suspended schools from March 18 and prohibited all gatherings of more than 100 people.</li> <li>Parliament will be closed indefinitely and all non-essential official travel abroad has been suspended.</li> <li>The government announced that the South African National Defence Force (SANDF) will be deployed nationwide to assist police on March 26.</li> <li>The government notified that public transport has been restricted with buses and taxis only allowed to operate between 05:00 - 20:00 (local time) until April 3 on March 29.</li> <li>Authorities announce that the current lockdown will intensify after the payments of social grants conclude on April 4.</li> </ul>

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<p><b>SOUTH SUDAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 3 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed 96 cases and five deaths on April 8.</li> <li>• The government closed all airports and land borders on March 23, with exceptions for humanitarian aid.</li> <li>• On March 16, the government banned all public events and imposed a self-quarantine on senior government officials arriving from countries with COVID-19 cases.</li> <li>• The government ordered the closure of all schools and universities and banned all religious and sporting events.</li> <li>• A nighttime curfew was imposed from 20:00 to 06:00 as of March 24, with security forces authorized to use any means to enforce it.</li> <li>• Upper Nile State, including the Maban, Renk and Melut counties, are in lockdown after hundreds of people escaped a quarantine center in Renk on March 27. The government will also prosecute any individuals defying virus screening orders effective March 27.</li> <li>• The government confirmed the second case, a man who had traveled to Nairobi on April 7.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed one case on April 9.</li> </ul>
<p><b>SUDAN</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 15 Confirmed Deaths: 2 Recovered Cases: 2</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 16, the government announced the closure of all airports and border crossings except for humanitarian aid and commercial shipments of goods.</li> <li>• On March 13, the government closed its land border with Egypt.</li> <li>• On March 24, the authorities declared a partial nationwide curfew from 20:00 (local time) to 06:00.</li> <li>• The government suspended the movement of public, and private transport between states on March 26.</li> <li>• The government reinforced troop deployment along the border with Ethiopia, with military monitoring persons stranded near the border on March 29.</li> <li>• The US announced that a possible repatriation flight will be organized on April 8.</li> <li>• Authorities closed the Ashkeet border between Sudan and Egypt except for the movement of Sudanese exports on April 5.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> One new case confirmed by authorities on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>TANZANIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 25 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 5</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government has implemented screening measures at Dar es Salaam's Julius Nyerere International Airport, Kilimanjaro Airport, and Mwanza Airport, as well as at other ports and land entry points.</li> <li>• All passengers arriving from high-risk countries will be quarantined at their own expense at government-designated facilities.</li> <li>• On March 17, the government banned all public gatherings, closed schools, and suspended sports leagues.</li> <li>• Air Tanzania and Precision Air have suspended all international flights from March 25. Only one route via Ethiopian Airlines remains to access Dar es Salaam.</li> <li>• The Unguja Magharib "A" District authorities announced the closure of beaches and the prohibition of gatherings on beaches on April 1.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed one case on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>TOGO</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 17, the government banned the entry of any persons returning from COVID-19 affected nations, excluding Togolese citizens.</li> </ul>

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 <p>Confirmed Cases: 70 Confirmed Deaths: 3 Recovered Cases: 23</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Authorities have imposed health screenings and isolation facilities at Lome's Gnassingbe Eyadema International Airport.</li> <li>• All cultural or sporting events are suspended, with a prohibition on public gatherings of more than 100 people.</li> <li>• The government declared a state of health emergency until July 2020 and has imposed a night curfew from 19:00 to 06:00.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> 12 new cases and two recoveries confirmed by authorities on April 7-8</li> </ul>
<p><b>UGANDA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 53 Confirmed Deaths: 0 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Effective on March 22, all borders have been closed and all air travel has been banned.</li> <li>• The government announced a 14-day lockdown effective March 30, night-time curfew and a ban on public gatherings. Only cargo vehicles and aircraft are permitted to travel. Those violating lockdown are liable to be charged with attempted murder.</li> <li>• The government announced that all political and religious gatherings would be suspended and schools will be closed for one month starting on March 20. All Ugandans returning to the country from abroad will face a mandatory quarantine.</li> <li>• President Yoweri Museveni ordered the immediate suspension of all public transport nationwide for 14 days on March 25.</li> <li>• The government announced the suspension of reception of refugees and asylum seekers with immediate effect for a period of 30 days on March 25.</li> <li>• The government has reduced working hours of banking institutions which will now operate from 09:00 to 15:00 on March 27.</li> <li>• The government announced relief measures for foreign nationals overstaying visas due to COVID-19 on April 3.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> The government confirmed a new case on April 8.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ZAMBIA</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 39 Confirmed Deaths: 1 Recovered Cases: 7</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The government announced that international airports in Ndola, Livingstone, Mfuwe will suspend international flights until further notice from March 26.</li> <li>• From March 16, all visitors who have recently traveled to countries affected by coronavirus will have to spend 14 days in quarantine.</li> <li>• The government closed all schools and universities as of March 20.</li> <li>• The government announced widespread restrictions to close bars, casinos, and other leisure venues. Restaurants will be takeaway only.</li> </ul>
<p><b>ZIMBABWE</b></p>  <p>Confirmed Cases: 11 Confirmed Deaths: 3 Recovered Cases: 0</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On March 23, President Emmerson Mnangagwa closed all borders to inbound and outbound traffic except for cargo and returning Zimbabwean citizens, who would be quarantined. All bars, restaurants, and other entertainment venues are closed.</li> <li>• Authorities announced a 21-day lockdown effective March 30, with only essential services open at this time. Security forces will be deployed to monitor the lockdown and enforce government directives.</li> <li>• All schools and tertiary institutions are closed as of March 24.</li> <li>• Authorities confirmed an additional case and second death on April 7.</li> <li>• <b>UPDATE:</b> Authorities confirmed a third death on April 8.</li> </ul>

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