



# **COVID-19 Impact and Recovery Report:** Travel-Related Measures

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This document provides an evergreen assessment of the situation in Canada. It has the following sections:

- Travel-Related Measures: A summary of the travel and tourism-related measures in place in each province and territory. Current travel restrictions and self-isolation requirements are also available on Destination Canada's website: <a href="https://caen-keepexploring.canada.travel/covid-19-traveller-guidance">https://caen-keepexploring.canada.travel/covid-19-traveller-guidance</a>
- 2. Methodological Notes: An explanation of the methodologies in the different sections and relevant sources.

## 1. TRAVEL-RELATED MEASURES

Please consult the Government of Canada website for the latest federal travel requirements: <a href="https://travel.gc.ca/travel-covid">https://travel.gc.ca/travel-covid</a>. Below is a summary of recent updates to federal travel requirements and advice:

- Pre-arrival testing is required for all travellers entering Canada, regardless of the length of trip. In addition, all fully
  vaccinated travellers arriving by air, including Canadian citizens and permanent residents, may be subject to
  arrival testing. Fully vaccinated travellers will be required to quarantine while they await the results of their arrival
  test.
- The Public Health Agency of Canada is advising travellers, regardless of their vaccination status, to avoid non-essential travel internationally.
- Travellers aged 12 years and older, with very limited exceptions, are required to show their <u>Canadian COVID-19</u> <u>proof of vaccination</u> to depart from Canadian airports, on VIA Rail and Rocky Mountaineer trains, and on non-essential passenger vessels (e.g. cruise ships) on voyages of 24 hours or more departing from ports in Canada. To qualify as fully vaccinated, travellers must have received the full series of an accepted COVID-19 vaccine (or a full series of a combination of accepted vaccines), with the last dose at least 14 full days prior to the date of travel.

In addition to federal government travel requirements, individual provinces and territories have implemented measures on travel between provinces and territories. The table below outlines self-isolation requirements for domestic and foreign travellers entering into each province or territory, as well as restrictions on travel across provincial and territorial borders. Tracking these measures is challenging given the fluid nature of COVID-19. This information, collected by provincial and territorial tourism marketing authorities and relevant tourism departments, is current as of January 26, 2022.

# Travel Measures

#### Traveller self-isolation required? Travel restrictions? No travel restrictions for domestic travellers entering British Columbia. Some Indigenous communities in BC are not welcoming visitors at this time. Indigenous Tourism BC has a list No self-isolation for domestic travellers entering British Columbia. No self-isolation upon entering British Columbia for <u>fully</u> vaccinated foreign nationals provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of **British Columbia** of Indigenous experiences in the province that are currently open and welcoming visitors. fully vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering British Columbia, but must follow strict public health measures that Fully vaccinated foreign nationals can travel to British Columbia provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are include avoiding crowded settings. not fully vaccinated. No self-isolation for domestic travellers entering Alberta. No travel restrictions for domestic travellers entering Alberta. No self-isolation upon entering Alberta for fully vaccinated foreign nationals provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully Fully vaccinated foreign nationals can travel to Alberta provided Alberta that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Entry will vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering Alberta, but must follow strict public health measures that include continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated. avoiding crowded settings. No self-isolation for domestic travellers entering Saskatchewan. No travel restrictions for domestic travellers entering No self-isolation upon entering Saskatchewan for fully vaccinated foreign nationals provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of <u>Fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals can travel to Saskatchewan provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are Saskatchewan fully vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering Saskatchewan, but must follow strict public health avoiding crowded settings. th measures that include not fully vaccinated. No travel restrictions for fully vaccinated domestic travellers entering Manitoba. Partially vaccinated or unvaccinated domestic No self-isolation upon entering Manitoba for fully vaccinated domestic travellers. Partially vaccinated or unvaccinated domestic travellers must complete a 14-day self-isolation. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully vaccinated domestic travellers are exempt from selftravellers are required to self-isolate. Travel to and from northern Manitoba is restricted, with exceptions isolation for those who are fully vaccinated, those who are travelling directly to cottages, provincial parks, campgrounds or hunting and Manitoba 3, 4 No self-isolation upon entering Manitoba for fully vaccinated foreign fishing lodges, and other specific exceptions. nationals provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully Fully vaccinated foreign nationals can travel to Manitoba provided vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering Manitoba, but must follow strict public health measures that include that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully avoiding crowded settings. vaccinated

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No other travel restrictions for domestic travellers entering Quebec 5 No self-isolation upon entering Quebec for fully vaccinated foreign nationals provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully <u>Fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals can travel to Quebec provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering Quebec, but must follow strict public health measures that include avoiding crowded settings. No self isolation required for fully vaccinated domestic travellers entering New Brunswick. Unvaccinated or partially vaccinated domestic travellers, including New Brunswick residents, are required to self-isolate for 14 days, or until receiving a negative result from testing on day 10. All Canadian residents entering New Brunswick, including New Brunswick residents re-entering the province, must <a href="mailto:pre-register">pre-register</a> c have a multi-use pass, with restrictions for those who are not fully vaccinated. No self-isolation upon entering New Brunswick for $\underline{\text{fully}}$ New Brunswick 6 vaccinated foreign nationals provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. As of December 4, foreign nationals are required to get tested on days 5 and 10. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of <u>Fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals can travel to New Brunswick provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u> and have <u>pre-registered</u>. Entry will continue to be prohibited age of fully vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering New Brunswick, but must follow strict public health for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated. measures that include avoiding crowded settings. Domestic travellers entering Nova Scotia from all provinces and territories must follow self-isolation protocol dependent on vaccination status: 2 doses at least 14 days before arrival = no self-isolation; 1 or 0 doses = 7-day self-isolation and 2 negative tests. Children under 12 travelling domestically are No travel restrictions for domestic travellers entering Nova Scotia from all provinces and territories, but they must complete the Safe Check-in Form and refer to the self-isolation required to follow same isolation protocol as the least vaccinated adult they are travelling with. protocol dependent on vaccine status Nova Scotia 7, 8 No self-isolation upon entering Nova Scotia for <u>fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. 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If both tests are negative, or a day 4 negative PCR test is Residents of Prince Edward Island are advised to avoid nonreceived from a Health PEI testing clinic, that individual can leave isolation. essential out-of-province travel. Unvaccinated or partially vaccinated PEI residents and Canadian visitors entering Prince Edward Island from any province or territory are required to complete a <u>declaration form</u> and self-isolate for 8 days, with testing at point Prince Edward Island <sup>9, 10</sup> All Canadian residents can travel to Prince Edward Island with restrictions for those who do not have a PEI Pass. A PEI Pass will only be issued to individuals who have received their second dose of an approved vaccine at least 14 days prior. of entry and on day 8. <u>Fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals can enter Prince Edward Island provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully vaccinated travellers must <u>Fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals who have a <u>PEI Pass</u> can travel to Prince Edward Island provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u>. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated. follow strict public health measures that include avoiding crowded settings As of January 22, all fully vaccinated travellers entering Newfoundland & Labrador are required to self-isolate. They must take 1 COVID-19 rapid test a day for 5 days, starting the day of arrival (tests are provided free of charge). Self-isolation ends if the first 2 tests, taken at least 24 hours apart, are negative. Travellers must take the remaining 3 tests over 3 days after leaving isolation. Children between ages 5 and 11 who are not fully vaccinated travelling with fully vaccinated parents or guardians must also take 1 COVID-19 rapid test a day for 5 days. Full self-isolation ends if the first 2 tests taken at least 24 hours apart are negative and modified selfisolation begins. All Canadians are permitted to enter Newfoundland and Labrador. All travellers can complete the $\underline{\text{Travel Form}}$ up to 30 The province's definition of fully vaccinated includes specific a days prior to their travel date. people with vaccines not authorized by Health Canada or the World Health Organization (WHO) but these vaccines must be followed by one dose of a COVID-19 mRNA vaccine authorized by Health Canada at least 14 days Newfoundland Fully vaccinated foreign nationals who have submitted the and Labrador 11 Travel Form up to 30 days prior to their travel date can travel to Newfoundland and Labrador provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Entry will continue to before arriving in the province. Partially vaccinated or unvaccinated travellers must self-isolate until they be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated. receive a negative PCR test on day 7 or later, and are then subject to modified self-isolation for the remainder of the 14-day period. Mixed groups of vaccinated, partially vaccinated and/or unvaccinated adult travell must follow the rules for unvaccinated travellers. Fully vaccinated foreign nationals can enter Newfoundland & Labrador

provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements.

Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully vaccinated travellers must follow strict public health measures that include avoiding crowded settings.

	Traveller self-isolation required?	Travel restrictions?
	No self-isolation required for domestic travellers entering Yukon.  No self-isolation upon entering Yukon for fully vaccinated foreign nationals	As of January 18, domestic travellers entering or returning to Yukon are recommended by the Yukon's Chief Medical Officer of Health to self-monitor for symptoms of COVID-19 and self-isolate when sick
Yukon <sup>12, 13</sup>	provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements.  Unvaccinated children under 12 years of age of fully vaccinated travellers are not required to quarantine upon entering Yukon, but must follow strict public health measures that include avoiding crowded settings.	As of January 26, travellers should avoid travel between communities, and from communities to Whitehorse, until further notice. Travellers are asked to follow these quidelines if they must travel to Yukon communities.
	The Government of Canada has <u>specific guidelines</u> for driving to or from Alaska through Canada. Read the State of Alaska's <u>health guidance for travellers during the COVID-19 pandemic</u> .	Fully vaccinated foreign nationals can travel to Yukon provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated.
Northwest Territories <sup>14, 15</sup>	No self-isolation required for fully vaccinated travellers admitted into the Northwest Territories (residents, non-resident essential workers or travellers with an exemption). Fully vaccinated travellers going to communities other than Yellowknife, Inuvik, Fort Smith, Hay River, Fort Simpson and Norman Wells require a COVID-19 test on days 1 and 8.  Mandatory 10-day self-isolation for partially vaccinated and unvaccinated admitted travellers, with the option to end self-isolation early on Day 8 with a negative COVID-19 test. Partially vaccinated children under 12 years old may be exempt from self-isolation based on when they received their most recent dose.  All travellers entering the Northwest Territories must file a self-isolation plan, regardless of vaccination status. To fill out a self-isolation plan and find further information about NWT travel restrictions, visit the Government of the Northwest Territories website.  No self-isolation upon entering the Northwest Territories for fully vaccinated foreign nationals provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements and who are admitted to enter the Northwest Territories. Unvaccinated children (and those travelling with them) will not be able to forgo the mandatory 10-day isolation requirement. All travellers entering the Northwest Territories must file a self-isolation plan, regardless of vaccination status. To fill out a self-isolation plan and find further information about NWT travel restrictions, visit the Government of the Northwest Territories website.	Leisure travel into the Northwest Territories by non-residents is currently not permitted. Exemptions are considered for compassionate reasons, family reunification, exceptional circumstances, travel from Nunavut, and remote tourism with tourism operators with plans approved by the Chief Public Health Officer.  Fully vaccinated foreign nationals may be authorized to travel to the Northwest Territories only to participate in remote tourism with an approved remote tourism operator provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Fully vaccinated foreign nationals must have an exemption from the Northwest Territories Chief Public Health Officer; exemption requests will be assessed on a case-by-case basis. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated.
	No isolation required for travellers returning to Nunavut who are fully vaccinated and who have a Nunavut proof of vaccination certificate.  Mandatory 14-day isolation for all other admitted travellers prior to boarding a plane to Nunavut except those travelling directly from Churchill, Manitoba.	As of January 24, travel to Igloolik is restricted to essential traffic only.  Non-essential travel to all communities is strongly discouraged.
Nunavut <sup>16, 17, 18</sup>	Mandatory isolation must occur in government-designated sites in Edmonton, Winnipeg, Ottawa or Yellowknife.	Entry into Nunavut requires authorization from the territory's Chief Public Health Officer. Authorization may be granted for: residents, critical workers, those travelling within the Common Travel Area of Churchill, Manitoba, and non-residents entering

Unvaccinated children travelling with fully vaccinated parents or guardians can self-isolate for 14 days in Nunavut rather than at a government-designated site outside of the territory.

No self-isolation upon entering Nunavut for <u>fully vaccinated</u> foreign nationals provided that they meet specific <u>entry and testing requirements</u> and are admitted to enter Nunavut. Unvaccinated children will not be able to forgo the mandatory 14-day self-isolation requirement.

I ravel Area of Churchili, Manitoba, and non-residents entering for family reunification, exercising Aboriginal or treaty rights, or engaging in wilderness tourism with an operator that has an approved Wilderness Tourism Operator COVID-19 Operations Plan.

Fully vaccinated foreign nationals may be authorized to travel to Nunavut provided that they meet specific entry and testing requirements. Entry will continue to be prohibited for foreign nationals who are not fully vaccinated.

Most Parks Canada places are open and welcoming visitors with adjustments to access and services. Please consult the Parks Canada website for an updated list of specific Parks Canada locations with special instructions: <a href="https://www.pc.gc.ca/en/voyage-travel/securite-safety/covid-19-info#locations">https://www.pc.gc.ca/en/voyage-travel/securite-safety/covid-19-info#locations</a>

Most provinces and territories have implemented a framework to guide reopening strategies catered to their individual circumstances. Since each province and territory is starting from a different baseline to implement the reopening of their local economy, the phases and stages are not congruent across jurisdictions. The table below outlines the current status of restrictions on tourism-related sectors as of January 26, 2022. Unless noted, persons must gather and business must operate with sufficient social distancing measures in place. Many destinations require non-medical masks to be worn and all visitors should plan on having masks ready if needed.

# **Tourism Related Measures**

	Current Phase/Stage	Hotels & Accommodation	Restaurants & Dining	Activities & Attractions	Large Gatherings/ Conferences
British Columbia	Proof of full vaccination via the BC Vaccine Card is required for people aged 12 and older to access events of all sizes, as well some services and businesses. See the full list here.  Masks are mandatory throughout British Columbia in indoor public spaces for anyone aged 5 and older.	Province-wide: People aged 12 and older must be fully vaccinated to attend indoor personal gatherings at vacation rentals, which is limited to household members plus a maximum 10 guests or one additional household.  Additional measures in Northern Health region: People aged 12 and older must be fully vaccinated to attend outdoor personal gatherings at vacation rentals, which is limited to household members plus maximum 25 people.	Province-wide: Proof of full vaccination via the BC Vaccine Card is required for people aged 12 and older to access all restaurants, cafes and pubs. Patrons are required to remain seated with a maximum 6 people per table.  Bars, nightclubs and lounges that do not offer food services are closed.  Additional measures in Northern Health region: Alcohol cannot be served between 10pm and 9am. Fast food restaurants and unlicensed cafes without table service can either offer takeout only or require people aged 12 and older to provide proof of full vaccination.	Proof of full vaccination via the BC Vaccine Card is required for people aged 12 and older to access events of all sizes, as well as some services and businesses. See the full list here.  Indoor events at venues are limited to 50% capacity. This includes concerts, movie theatres, performance spaces and sports events.	Province-wide: Proof of full vaccination via the BC Vaccine Card is required for people aged 12 and older to access events of all sizes, as well as some services and businesses. See the full list here.  People aged 12 and older must be fully vaccinated to attend indoor personal gatherings, which is limited to household members plus 10 guests or 1 additional household. There are no restrictions for outdoor personal gatherings.  All indoor organized gatherings of any size are not allowed. Outdoor organized seated gatherings can have a capacity of 5,000 or 50% capacity, whichever is greater.  Indoor events at venues are limited to 50% capacity. This includes conferences and meeting spaces. Fairs, festivals and trade shows must have a COVID-19 safety plan in place.  Additional measures in Northern Health region: Outdoor personal gatherings can have household occupants plus maximum 25 people if all attendees aged 12 and older are fully vaccinated.  All organized events must have a safety plan in place. Organizers must collect and keep the contact info of all attendees for 30 days.
Alberta <sup>22</sup>	People aged 12 and older are required to show proof of full vaccination (with the second dose received at least 2 weeks earlier) or a privately-paid-for negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours or a medical exemption to access non-essential businesses and events that implement the Restrictions  Exemption Program. Businesses that do not implement this program have additional restrictions.  Masks are mandatory in all indoor public spaces and on public transit.	Accommodations are exempt from the Restrictions Exemption Program. However, people must be with household members only or 2 close contacts for those living alone. Amenities at accommodation establishments are limited to 33% maximum capacity.	All licenced establishments, including restaurants, bars and nightclubs that implement the Restrictions Exemption Program are limited to maximum 10 people per table, with no mingling between tables. Liquor service ends at 11pm and establishments must close at 12:30am. To access, people are required to show proof of full vaccination or a privately- paid-for negative COVID- 19 test taken within 72 hours or a medical exemption.  For establishments that do not implement the Restrictions Exemption Program, indoor dining is not permitted; outdoor dining is permitted for 1 household with up to 6 people per table or 2 close contacts for those living alone. Liquor sales must end at 10pm and consumption by 11pm.	Retail businesses are exempt from the Restrictions Exemption Program. However, capacity is restricted to 33% maximum capacity and people must be with household members only or 2 close contacts if they live alone.  All entertainment businesses and entities, including casinos, cinemas, theatres, museums and galleries that implement the Restrictions Exemption Program are limited to maximum 50% capacity if the venue sears more than 1,000 people and 500 people if the venue sears between 500 and 1,000 people. Venues under 500 people have no capacity restrictions. To access, people are required to show proof of full vaccination or a privately-paid-for negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours or a medical exemption.  Businesses and entities that do not implement the Restrictions Exemption Program are restricted to 33% maximum capacity and people must be with household members only or 2 close contacts if they live alone.	Indoor private social gatherings are limited to maximum 10 people 18 and older. There are no limits on people 17 and under if accompanied by their parent or guardian; if attending gatherings by themselves, people 17 and under will count towards the maximum limit of 10 people.  Outdoor private social gatherings are limited to maximum 20 people, with 2-metre physical distancing between households at all times.  Outdoor public gatherings: Events and facilities that are fully outdoors (excluding washrooms) have no capacity restrictions but people must maintain 2-metre physical distancing between households or 2 close contacts for those living alone.

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Saskatchewan <sup>23</sup>	Proof of <u>full</u> <u>vaccination</u> or a privately-paid-for negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours is required for people aged 12 and older to access some businesses and event venues. See the full list <u>here</u> .  Masks are mandatory throughout Saskatchewan in indoor public spaces.	Accommodations can resume regular operations.	Proof of full vaccination or a privately-paid-for negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours is required at point of entry for people aged 12 and older to access seated dining in restaurants, bars, nightclubs and other licenced establishments. This also includes fast-food restaurants, liquor manufacturers conducting retail liquor sales and liquor stores that hold a liquor restaurant or tavern permit.  Proof of vaccination will not be required for food pickup or at food courts.	Proof of <u>full vaccination</u> or a privately-paid-for negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours is required at point of entry for people aged 12 and older to access event and entertainment venues, including casinos, movie theatres, concert and live-music venues, museums, and indoor facilities hosting ticketed sporting events. See the full list here.	Proof of <u>full vaccination</u> or a privately-paid-for negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours is required for people aged 12 and older to access event venues, including conference centres, meeting rooms and banquet facilities.  There are no limits on gatherings at private residences.
Manitoba <sup>24</sup>	All regions in Manitoba are in the orange (restricted) response level.  People aged 12 and older must show proof of vaccination to attend certain businesses and events. See the full list here.  Masks are mandatory throughout Manitoba in indoor public spaces and on public transit for anyone aged 5 and older.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	People aged 12 and older must show proof of vaccination for indoor and outdoor dining at all restaurants, bars and other licenced establishments.  Proof of vaccination is required for dine-in at food courts.  All restaurants, bars, breweries and breweries can operate at 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower. Patrons are required to remain seated with a maximum 10 people per table. Liquor service must end at 10pm.	People aged 12 and older must show proof of vaccination to attend certain businesses and events. See the full list here.  Retail can open with capacity restrictions in place to allow for 2-metre physical distancing. In the Southern Health region, retail is limited to 50% capacity.  Sports events, performing arts events, concert halls, seasonal events, museums, galleries, movie theatres and casinos can operate at 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.	People aged 12 and older must show proof of vaccination to attend certain businesses and events. See the full list here  Private indoor gatherings are limited to household members plus 10 other people when all people aged 12 and older are fully vaccinated. If any unvaccinated or partially vaccinated people are present, indoor gatherings at private residences are limited to household members plus 5 other people.  Private outdoor gatherings are limited to household members plus 5 other people when all people aged 12 and older are fully vaccinated. If any unvaccinated or partially vaccinated people are present, outdoor gatherings at private residences are limited to household members plus 10 other people.  Public indoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower, when all people aged 12 and older are fully vaccinated. If any unvaccinated or partially vaccinated people are present, public indoor gatherings are limited to 25 people or 25% capacity, whichever is lower.  Public outdoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.  Public outdoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.  Public outdoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.  Public outdoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.  Public outdoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.  Public outdoor gatherings are limited to 50% capacity or 250 people, whichever is lower.

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Ontario <sup>25, 26, 27</sup>	Ontario is in a Modified Step 2 of the Roadmap to Reopen. Proof of identification and of being fully vaccinated against COVID-19 is required for people aged 12 and older to access certain businesses and settings. Limited exemptions apply. Find additional details here.  As of January 4, Ontario requires the use of the enhanced vaccine certificate with QR code for individuals and the Verify Ontario app for businesses in settings where proof of vaccination is required. The QR code can be used digitally or by printing a paper copy.  People must wear a mask or face covering that covers their mouth, nose and chin, with limited exceptions. Mask requirements are in place for indoor areas of businesses or organizations that are open, indoor organized public events, some outdoor public events or settings, and within 2 metres of any individuals not part of their household.	As of January 5: Accommodations are open with public health and safety measures in place. Indoor recreational facilities at hotels and similar establishments are closed.  Short-term rentals are only open to those in need of housing.  Other restrictions may apply.	As of January 5: Restaurants, bars and other food or drink establishments, including those with dance floors (such as nightclubs), are closed for indoor dining. Outdoor dining can have up to 10 people per table and patrons must remain seated.  Establishments can open for in-person service from 5am to 11pm only; takeout, drive-through and delivery are permitted at any time.  Liquor can only be sold or served until 10pm and no consumption of liquor is permitted after 11pm.  Food courts in shopping malls are closed.  Other restrictions may apply.	As of January 5:  All retailers and shopping malls are limited to 50% capacity.  Indoor areas are closed for concert venues, theatres, cinemas, museums, galleries, zoos, science centres, landmarks, historic sites, botanical gardens and similar attractions, amusement parks, waterparks, tour and guide services including boat tours, fairs, rural exhibitions and festivals. Outdoor areas of these venues can operate with restrictions.  Casinos and other gaming establishments are closed.  Saunas and steam rooms are closed.  Outdoor drive-in or drive-through venues can operate with restrictions.  Other restrictions may apply.	As of January 5: Indoor social gatherings can have up to 5 people. Outdoor social gatherings can have up to 10 people.  Indoor organized public events can have up to 5 people. Outdoor organized public events have no limits and masks must be worn when distancing cannot be maintained.  Indoor areas of meeting spaces, event spaces, conference centres and convention centres are closed, with limited exceptions. Outdoor areas of these venues are open and can have up to 10 people per table and patrons must remain seated.  Other restrictions may apply.
Quebec <sup>28, 29</sup>	A vaccine passport is required by Quebec residents aged 13 and older to access many events, services and businesses. See the full list here. People who reside outside Quebec must show printed proof of vaccination, combined with identification.  Masks are mandatory throughout Quebec in indoor public spaces and on public transit for anyone aged 10 and older.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	As of December 31: All restaurant dining rooms are closed; only take-out, drive-thru and delivery are allowed. All bars, breweries and taverns are closed.	Quebec residents aged 13 and older must show their vaccine passport to access many activities and attractions, including museums, zoos, aquariums, casinos, cinemas and ski hills. See the full list here. People who reside outside Quebec must show printed proof of vaccination, combined with identification.  As of January 19: All stores and boutiques may now open on Sundays. Retail is limited to 50% capacity.  Indoor activities at amusement parks, water parks, aquariums, entertainment centres and similar establishments are closed. Outdoor activities at these establishments are limited to 250 people.  Casinos, cinemas, performance spaces and spas are closed and indoor pubic events are suspended. Sporting events are closed to spectators.	Quebec residents aged 13 and older must show their vaccine passport to access meetings, conventions, festivals and other events. See the full list here. People who reside outside Quebec must show printed proof of vaccination, combined with identification.  As of December 31:  Private gatherings are limited to the occupants of the same residence; a single person can join a family bubble. Private outdoor gatherings can have up to 20 people or 3 households.  Organized activities in outdoor public settings can have up to 50 people.  Non-essential public activities such as such as conventions, conferences and seminars are suspended.
New Brunswick 30, 31, 32	As of January 14, New Brunswick is in Level 3 of its 3-level Winter Plan.  Masks are mandatory throughout New Brunswick in indoor public spaces, on public transit and in outdoor public spaces when physical distancing cannot be maintained.	Accommodations can resume regular operations.	As of January 14: All restaurant dining rooms are closed; only take-out, drive-thru and delivery are allowed.	As of January 14: Retail businesses can operate at maximum 50% capacity with physical distancing of 2 metres in place.  All entertainment venues are closed. This includes venues such as cinemas, performing arts centres, professional sports arenas and casinos.  Organized sports and all other organized activities are not permitted with people outside a single-household bubble.  Outdoor exercise or activities like skiing, skating or snowmobiling are permitted, as long as Public Health measures are followed and you are within your single-household bubble.  Lodges and other facilities that support outdoor sport must not exceed 50% capacity and must not permit food or drink to be consumed indoors.	As of January 14: Private gatherings are limited to a single-household bubble. Public gatherings in all venues are not permitted.

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Nova Scotia <sup>33</sup>	Proof of full vaccination is required for people aged 12 and older to access certain businesses and settings. See the full list here.  Masks are mandatory throughout Nova Scotia in indoor public spaces and on public transit for anyone aged 5 and older.  People must physically distance 2 metres in indoor and outdoor spaces, except among those in the same household or a consistent social group of up to 10 people.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.  While accommodations are not subject to proof of full vaccination, some businesses may introduce their own vaccination requirements for guests.	Proof of full vaccination is required for people aged 12 and older to access full service at restaurants, food establishments and other licenced establishments, both indoors and outdoors.  Restaurants and licenced establishments can operate indoor and outdoor seated service at 50% capacity. A maximum of 10 people can dine per table and physical distancing of 2 metres must be maintained between tables. Dine-in service must stop at 11pm and close by midnight.  Take-out and drive-through do not require proof of vaccination and may operate past midnight.	Proof of <u>full vaccination</u> is required for people aged 12 and older to participate in most events and activities that bring groups of people together. See the full list <u>here</u> .  Retail businesses, museums, and recreation and leisure facilities can operate at 50% capacity. Cinemas are limited to 50 people or 25% capacity, whichever is less, with masks required at all times. Casinos can operate at 50% capacity.  Proof of vaccination is not required for retail stores. Note that some businesses not subject to proof of vaccination may introduce their own vaccination requirements for customers.	Proof of full vaccination is required for people aged 12 and older to participate in most indoor and outdoor public events and activities that bring groups of people together. See the full list here.  Indoor and outdoor informal gatherings can have maximum 10 people from the same household or consistent social group.  Special events, sporting events in-person performances and festivals are not permitted.  Events such as meetings held by recognized businesses are limited to maximum 50 people or 25% capacity, whichever is less.
Prince Edward Island <sup>34, 35, 36</sup>	The PEI Vax Pass policy is in effect. People aged 12 and older must show proof of full vaccination (2 doses + 14 days) along with photo ID to access certain businesses and settings. See the list of where the PEI Vax Pass is and is not required.  Masks are mandatory in indoor public spaces for anyone aged 5 and older.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	As of January 19: All in-room dining at restaurants and other licence establishments is not permitte only take-out, drive-thru and delivery are allowed.  Proof of vaccination is not required for take-out and drive thru.	Theatres, cinemas, entertainment centres and casinos are closed.	As of January 19: Personal gatherings are limited to a single household plus up to 2 support people if required. People who live on their own can join another household.  Organized gatherings are not permitted.
Newfoundland and Labrador <sup>37,</sup> 38, 39	As of January 4, Newfoundland and Labrador is in Alert Level 4.  Proof of full vaccination via the NLVaxPass and valid ID is required for people aged 12 and older to access certain businesses and settings. People aged 19 and older must present one photo ID or two pieces of non-photo ID (both must include their name and at least one must have their date of birth). See a list here.  Masks are mandatory in indoor public spaces and on public transit throughout Newfoundland and Labrador for anyone aged 5 and older.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	Proof of full vaccination via th NLVaxPass and valid ID is required for people aged 12 and older to access indoor seating at restaurants, cafes bars and other licenced establishments. People ager 19 and older must present or photo ID or two pieces of nor photo ID (both must include their name and at least one must have their date of birth)  As of January 4: Restaurants are limited to maximum 50% capacity, with physical distancing, and maximum 6 people per table Buffets are prohibited.  Bars and lounges are closed	NLVaxPass and valid ID is required for people aged 12 and older to access cinemas, performance spaces, arenas and indoor entertainment facilities. People aged 19 and older must present one photo ID or two pieces of non-photo ID (both must include their name and at least one must have their date of birth). See a list here.  As of January 4:  Retail stores may operate with distancing measures in place. Performance spaces and cinemas are closed. Recreation facilities and arenas can have maximum 50 people or 25%	Proof of full vaccination via the NLVaxPass and valid ID is required for people aged 12 and older to attend any gathering hosted at a recognized business or organization, or other venue used to host gatherings. People aged 19 and older must present one photo ID or two pieces of non-photo ID (both must include their name and at least one must have their date of birth).  As of January 4: Informal private indoor and outdoor gatherings are limited to a household's Tight 10.
Yukon <sup>40, 41, 42</sup>	Yukon is guided by Forging Ahead, The Yukon's Continuing Response to COVID- 19.  Masks are mandatory throughout the Yukon for anyone aged 5 and older in all indoor public spaces, schools, vehicles with people from more than 1 household and outdoor settings where 2-metre physical distancing cannot be maintained.  Proof of full vaccination is required for people aged 12 years and four months and older to access some settings.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	As of January 14: Proof of full vaccination is required for people aged 12 years and four months and older to access table service restaurants and other licence establishments, up to a maximum of 6 people per tabl Tables must be 2 metres apa no bar or counter service; no moving between tables; no dancing. Seated and dine-ir service must stop at 10pm but take-out and off-sales servic can be offered past 10 pm.	at dependent of the strongly recommended to have operational plans in place to limit close contact between people.  Ide. Entertainment venues such as cinemas, theatres and museums are limited to 25 people or 50% capacity, whichever is less.	Proof of full vaccination is required for people aged 12 years and four months and older to access some settings.  As of January 14: Indoor personal gatherings are limited to 10 people from a maximum of 2 households if people aged 12 years and older are vaccinated; household members only if any eligible people are unvaccinated.  Unvaccinated people who live alone can join 1 consistent household as long as there are no more than 10 people.  Outdoor personal gatherings are limited to 25 people from a maximum of 3 households regardless of vaccination status.  Indoor organized gatherings, including conferences, can have maximum 25 people or 50% capacity, whichever is less. Masks must be worn.  Outdoor organized gatherings can have maximum 50 people.

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Northwest Territories <sup>43, 44, 45</sup>	Northwest Territories is in the Indoor Gatherings phase of its reopening plan, Emerging Wisely 2021: Step by Step Together.  People can request a voluntary Proof of Vaccine Credential from the Government of the Northwest Territories.  Masks are mandatory throughout the Northwest Territories in indoor public spaces.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	Restaurants, bars and lounges can have up to 25 people indoors and up to 50 people outdoors, with 2-metre physical distancing in place. The Chief Public Health Officer must approve numbers higher than this, with one condition that people over the age of 12 show proof of full vaccination to access these places.  As of January 4:  Bars, lounges and similar establishments are limited to 6 people per table, with no mingling of guests.	Businesses and enterprises can have up to 25 people indoors and up to 50 people outdoors, with 2-metre physical distancing in place. The Chief Public Health Officer must approve numbers higher than this, with one condition that people over the age of 12 show proof of full vaccination to access to these places.	As of January 4: Indoor private gatherings may have up to 10 people with a maximum of 5 non-household members, regardless of vaccination status.  Public gatherings can have up to 25 people indoors and up to 50 people outdoors, with 2-metre physical distancing in place. The Chief Public Health Officer must approve public gatherings larger than this, with one condition that all participants over the age of 12 show proof of full vaccination to participate.
Nunavut <sup>46, 47, 48</sup>	Masks are mandatory across Nunavut.	Accommodations are open with control/safety measures in place.	As of January 17 Nunavut- wide: Restaurants are restricted to takeout only. Bars are closed.	As of January 25 in Igloolik: Essential businesses and services are open. Libraries, museums, galleries, theatres, and arenas are closed.  As of January 17 in the rest of Nunavut: Essential businesses and services are open. Libraries, museums and galleries can have up to 25 people or 25% capacity, whichever is less; no group tours. Arenas can have up to 25 spectators. Theatres are closed.	As of January 25 in Igloolik: Indoor gatherings are not allowed. Outdoor gatherings can have up to 5 people.  As of January 17 in the rest of Nunavut: Gatherings in homes can have 1 household plus 5 additional people. Indoor public gatherings in community halls, conference spaces, and within government and Inuit organization facilities can have up to 25 people or 25% capacity, whichever is less. Outdoor gatherings can have up to 25 people.

# 2. METHODOLOGICAL NOTES

I. Travel-Related Measures: In conjunction with provincial and territorial partners, Destination Canada has sourced information directly from provincial and territorial government websites; additional insights are provided by provincial and territorial partners where relevant or where information from official sources is incomplete. The intention for this section is to provide the latest available information as of the date of the report. Given the evolving nature of these measures and phased opening strategies, readers are encouraged to seek information from official government sources for the most current information.

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