



Federal COVID-19 Travel Restrictions

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Travel to United States

All air passengers traveling to the United States, including U.S. citizens, are **required** to have a negative COVID-19 test result or documentation of recovery from COVID-19 before they board a flight to the United States.

You will need to get tested no more than 3 (three) days before you travel by air into the United States (U.S.) and show your negative result to the airline before you board your flight or be prepared to show documentation of recovery (proof of a recent positive viral test and a letter from your healthcare provider or a public health official stating that you were cleared to travel).

Masks are required on planes, buses, trains, and other forms of public transportation traveling into, within, or out of the United States and in U.S. transportation hubs such as airports and bus or rail stations.

Travel into Canada

Federal quarantine applies for travellers entering Canada. If you can enter Canada and **you have no symptoms**, you must **quarantine** for a minimum of 14 days.

Travellers flying – this includes a mandatory three night pre-paid booking at a Government-authorized hotel at your own cost.

Travellers driving – may proceed directly to your suitable place of quarantine.

You are not excluded from quarantine, even if you have:

- tested negative for COVID-19
- been vaccinated for COVID-19
- recovered from COVID-19

Towards the end of your quarantine, you will be required to take another CoVID-19 test. You will be required to stay in your place of quarantine until you receive a negative test result.

If you begin to show symptoms during your quarantine, are exposed to another traveller with symptoms, or test positive for COVID-19, you must begin an additional 14 days of isolation.

With symptoms: Mandatory isolation

Foreign nationals with symptoms will **not be allowed to enter Canada**.

Only Canadian citizens, permanent residents, persons registered under the *Indian Act*, and protected persons (refugee status) may enter Canada with symptoms. You will **not** be able to board a flight and enter Canada by air if you have symptoms.

You must go directly to the place where you will isolate and stay there for 14 days. This is mandatory and starts from the date you arrive in Canada.

During the 14-day period from the time you enter Canada, you are required to answer any relevant questions asked by a Government of Canada employee.