

EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

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Coronavirus Destination Update

The Governments in the Indian sub-continent have responded rapidly to the crisis, but the task remains daunting with surge in cases with resumption of economic activities. New guidelines and protocols are being issued in destinations to gear up for the new normal.

INDIA

Starting June 8, India announced phase wise resumption of activities with Unlock 1.0 under the fifth phase of lockdown, which continues till 30 June. With gradual increase in economic activities, infections continue to rise with several states recording single-day spikes in the last week.

This week, the government issued new normal guidelines and SOPs for all tourism stakeholders, including hotels & restaurants for reopening. Please see <http://tourism.gov.in/dept-guidelines/13> for details. Movement of domestic flights, trains will continue as per previous SOPs issued. The states are empowered to regulate movement as per the developing situation.

The coronavirus case count in India now stands at 286,579 cases, with 141,029 recovered according to latest health ministry figures. 8,102 people have died due to the virus.

For the latest national updates you may visit <https://www.mygov.in/covid-19/>

We will continue to monitor the situation and keep you updated on any new developments. Your relationship managers remain available 24x7 to assist you as required.