



TRANSITION PHASE GUIDE LINES FOR DRIVING SCHOOLS

This document provides the measures where driving schools under the purview of Ministry of Transport and Infocommunications are permitted to carry out activities during Brunei's transition phase within the National COVID-19 Recovery Framework. Our approach is based on ensuring compliance to core measures listed under COVID-19 Control Measures, the utilization of *Antigen Rapid Test (ART)* for early screening of the disease, and differentiated restrictions for vaccinated and unvaccinated.

TRANSITION PHASE

May commence at 70% vaccination coverage.

Minimize serious illnesses, hospitalisations and deaths.

Measures that may be implemented:

- *Vaccination:* Maximize vaccination including boosters;
- *Monitoring:* Reporting to shift from daily case numbers to weekly average and focus on serious illness and death.
- *De-escalation:* Phased re-opening of workplaces, businesses and schools with the possible on-going low-level restrictions, adjusted to minimize severe cases.
- *Detection:* *Contact tracing* and quarantine measures to focus on the prevention of large clusters.
- *Access Restrictions:* Differentiated restrictions for vaccinated and unvaccinated residents; and
- *Travel Green List:* Establish a Travel Green List with reduced restrictions on inbound and outbound travel for vaccinated individuals.



COVID-19 CONTROL MEASURES

- **Use of BruHealth App:**
 - **Register BruHealth:** All premises must register for a BruHealth QR code.
 - **Scanning the BruHealth Code:** The owner of premises is to ensure all individuals entering the premises scan their BruHealth app once entering (this includes all employees/staff/volunteers).
 - **BruHealth Code Color:** The owner of premises to ensure only individuals with green and yellow BruHealth codes are allowed to enter.

- **Complete Vaccination:**

The owner of premises is to ensure all employees/staff/volunteers eligible to be vaccinated (no medical contraindications) are fully vaccinated.

- **Social distancing measures are in place:**

At least 1.5m apart between individuals when possible.

- **Ventilation of Premises:**

The owner of indoor premises to ensure premises have adequate ventilation.

FULLY VACCINATED INDIVIDUALS

An individual is considered to be fully vaccinated if he/ she has received the appropriate regimen of WHO Emergency Use Listing (WHO EUL) vaccines or BDMCA-approved vaccines. Vaccination status in an individual's BruHealth, International Certificate of Vaccination or Prophylaxis book (Yellow Book), or other acceptable vaccination records may be shown to the management of a premise or organiser of the event as proof of vaccination.



MEASURES FOR THE OPENING OF DRIVING SCHOOLS

Capacity Measures

- Training slots and driving tests are allowed to operate within a capacity limit of 30%-50% of the full capacity.
- Theory classes and Highway Code tests are to be conducted online.

Training and Driving Test Protocols

- Only fully vaccinated individuals are allowed to enter the premises. Proof of vaccination must be shown.
- Only individuals with negative ART results are allowed to undergo training and driving tests.
- All individuals must wear a face mask.
- All individuals are required to scan the premise QR Code using BruHealth App.
- Only individuals with green and yellow BruHealth codes are allowed to enter. Identity card must be presented.
- Individuals with symptoms and high risk are not allowed to enter.
- Practice social distancing at all times.
- Avoid any physical contact.
- Body temperature check should be done and use hand sanitizer before entering the premise.
- Always comply with the Ministry of Health Brunei Darussalam guidelines.

Sanitization and Hygiene Management Protocols

- Keep yourself clean all the time.
- Provides disinfectant tissues and fluids for assessors, coaches, students and candidates.
- Open the vehicle's windows during training and driving tests.
- Training/ test vehicles must be rested for 15 minutes before the next training/ testing and to open the vehicle's doors for airflow.
- Training/ test vehicles must be cleaned and disinfected before and after use especially on the frequently touched parts such as steering wheels, chairs, gears, handbrakes and door handles.