



## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQ)

### ENTRY & EXIT REQUIREMENTS FOR AIR, LAND & SEA TRAVEL BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

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## PRE-DEPARTURE REQUIREMENTS

### A.1 TRAVEL PURPOSE

#### A.1.1 Am I allowed to travel into Brunei Darussalam for non-essential purpose?

##### Air Travel

Yes, travellers are allowed to enter Brunei Darussalam via air for non-essential purpose.

##### Land & Sea Travel

No, cross-border travel through land and sea are only permitted for essential travel as listed below:

- Brunei Citizens & Permanent residents who will make land & sea travel for essential travel and urgent circumstances.
- For the purpose of work or school and is also extended to commute travels for the aforementioned purposes.
- Transit travel.
- Emergency services (such as ambulances, police and military).
- Local and foreign-registered transport operators\* for the purpose of essential import and export supply of deliveries.
- Seafarers/Sea Vessel Crew who will make sea travel for the purpose of work or essential travel.

### A.2 COVID-19 VACCINATION

#### A.2.1 What is the COVID-19 vaccination requirement for travel into Brunei Darussalam?

##### Air Travel

Inbound travel to Brunei Darussalam is only permitted for fully vaccinated individuals:

- (a) To be considered fully vaccinated, individual must have completed the full course of COVID-19 vaccination under the WHO Emergency Use Listing (1 dose for Johnson & Johnson, 2 doses for all other vaccines) within the past 3 months OR obtained booster dose.
- (b) Due to varying booster coverage around the world, implementation of the above-mentioned vaccination requirement is given 6 months grace period whereby the **effective date is 1 November 2022**.
- (c) Therefore, for arrival in Brunei Darussalam until 31 October 2022, 23:59 hours, inbound travellers are permitted to enter Brunei Darussalam if they have completed the full course of COVID-19 vaccination under the WHO Emergency Use Listing.

Individuals below 18 years old do not need to fulfill the above vaccination requirement.

##### Land & Sea Travel

COVID-19 vaccination status is not required for essential travels that have been categorized for land and sea travel.

#### A.2.2 I am fully vaccinated. However, my children are unvaccinated. Will they be able to travel with me?

##### Air, Land & Sea Travel

Yes, unvaccinated children are allowed to travel with fully vaccinated individuals. They will follow Vaccinated Traveller protocols.

#### A.2.3 Are persons who are medically unfit to be vaccinated allowed to travel into Brunei Darussalam?

##### Air Travel

Brunei citizens and permanent residents are allowed to return to Brunei Darussalam regardless of their vaccination status.

Unvaccinated foreign nationals are not permitted to enter Brunei Darussalam. However, entry into Brunei Darussalam may be considered if they have certificate of medical exemption for COVID-19 vaccination.

	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	COVID-19 vaccination status is not required for essential travels that have been categorized for land and sea travel.

<b>A.2.4</b>	<b>I have fully recovered from COVID-19. When will I be allowed to travel to Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Yes, travellers who are fully recovered from COVID-19 are permitted to travel to Brunei Darussalam provided that they adhere to prevailing entry requirements for air, land & sea travel.

<b>A.2.5</b>	<b>I am vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine that is not listed in WHO Emergency Use Listing. Will I be allowed to enter Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	At the moment, only travellers who are fully vaccinated with COVID-19 vaccine listed in the WHO Emergency Use Listing are allowed to enter Brunei Darussalam via air.
	However, you may still travel to Brunei Darussalam via Unvaccinated Traveller protocols.
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	COVID-19 vaccination status is not required for essential travels that have been categorized for land and sea travel.

<b>A.3</b>	<b>COVID-19 TESTS</b>
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<b>A.3.1</b>	<b>Are inbound travellers required to undergo pre-departure COVID-19 tests?</b>
	<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	For arrival in Brunei Darussalam via air, land & sea from 15 June 2022 onwards, inbound travellers are no longer required to undergo any pre-departure COVID-19 tests.

<b>A.3.2</b>	<b>Are inbound travellers required to make payment for post-arrival COVID-19 tests before departing to Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	For arrival in Brunei Darussalam via air, land & sea from 15 June 2022 onwards:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fully vaccinated travellers are <u>no longer required</u> to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests. Therefore, fully vaccinated travellers do not need to make payment for post-arrival COVID-19 tests.</li> <li>Only unvaccinated travellers are <u>required</u> to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests: ART on Day of Arrival (Day 1) and RT-PCR test on Day 3. Before departure to Brunei Darussalam, online payment can be made for post-arrival COVID-19 tests which cost BND\$100.00 via: <a href="http://www.healthinfo.gov.bn/travel">www.healthinfo.gov.bn/travel</a></li> </ul>

<b>A.4</b>	<b>ENTRY TRAVEL PASS</b>
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<b>A.4.1</b>	<b>Am I required to obtain Entry Travel Pass (ETP) for entry into Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	Inbound travellers are no longer required to obtain Entry Travel Pass (ETP) prior to entry into Brunei Darussalam via air.
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Individuals / travel categories that require Entry Travel Pass (ETP) prior to entry into Brunei Darussalam via land & sea are listed below:
	<u>Foreign nationals</u> who will enter Brunei Darussalam for the following travel purposes and require visa/immigration pass:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Essential business travel (including official travel)</li> <li>For the purpose of work or school and is also extended to commute travels for the aforementioned purposes.</li> </ul>

- Medical treatment
- Compassionate family circumstances
- Urgent circumstances

#### A.4.2 How do I submit application for Entry Travel Pass (ETP)?

##### Land & Sea Travel

Entry Travel Pass (ETP) application for cross-border travel through land & sea must be submitted to the Prime Minister's Office (PMO) via travel portal: [www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal](http://www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal).

Application must be submitted at least 8 working days before the intended travel date. Please select the relevant online form and upload the supporting documents. Please also ensure all information given are correct and completed and all supporting documents have been submitted.

### A.5 E-HEALTH ARRIVAL DECLARATION FORM

#### A.5.1 How can I submit E-Health Arrival Declaration Form?

##### Air, Land & Sea Travel

Prior to departure to Brunei Darussalam, you may complete and submit E-Health Arrival Declaration Form via: [www.healthinfo.gov.bn/travel](http://www.healthinfo.gov.bn/travel)

### A.6 TRANSIT/TRANSFER

#### A.6.1 Are passengers allowed to transit/transfer through Brunei International Airport en-route to the final destination?

##### Air Travel

Passengers who intend to transit/transfer through Brunei International Airport en-route to their final destination are permitted. Transit/Transfer passenger are required to adhere to the following requirements:

- (i). Be fully vaccinated;
- (iii). Adhere to any other requirements enforced by the destination country.

#### A.6.2 Are transit/transfer passengers allowed to leave the airport while transiting through the Brunei International Airport?

##### Air Travel

No, transit/transfer passengers are not allowed to leave Brunei International Airport while transiting through the Brunei International Airport en-route to the destination country.

#### A.6.3 Are travellers allowed to transit through Brunei Darussalam via land & sea?

##### Land & Sea Travel

Travellers are allowed to transit through Brunei Darussalam via land & sea for essential purpose.

### A.7 VISA

#### A.7.1 Are travellers required to apply for Visa to enter Brunei Darussalam?

Any foreign nationals who are required to obtain Entry Visa for entry into Brunei Darussalam must first obtain appropriate Visa such as Employment Visa, Dependent Visa, Social Visit Visa, Professional Visit Visa and Business Visa in accordance with prevailing regulations.

PURPOSE OF ENTRY	VISA REQUIREMENT
Employment	Yes, visa is required except for Malaysia and Singapore nationality.  **Malaysia and Singapore nationals are required to have employment approval letter issued by the Department of Immigration and National Registration.
Professional/Business visit	Yes

	Yes, visa is required except for Malaysia and Singapore nationality.
<b>Eligible dependent</b>	**Malaysia and Singapore nationals are required to obtain dependent approval letter issued by the Department of Immigration and National Registration.
<b>Student</b>	Yes
<b>Social visit</b>	Visa is required if the nationality is not from visa-exempted countries

**A.7.2 How long can social visitors stay in Brunei Darussalam?**

They are allowed to stay in Brunei Darussalam according to the validity period of their pass endorsed in the passport.

**A.7.3 Can visitors apply for extension of the duration of their stay in Brunei Darussalam?**

Visitors may submit application to extend their duration of stay in Brunei Darussalam. However, this is subject to further assessment by relevant authorities. Visitor is advised to refer to the Department of Immigration and National Registration on the request for extension of stay in Brunei Darussalam.

**A.7.4 How can I apply for a Visa?**

With the continuously evolving COVID-19 situation, traveller is advised to follow updates on Counter Service Information from time to time on the Department of Immigration and National Registration website: [www.immigration.gov.bn](http://www.immigration.gov.bn)

**A.7.5 Do Malaysians and Singaporeans need a Re-entry Visa?**

Malaysia and Singapore nationals do not need Re-entry Visa. However, they are required to submit application to the Department of immigration and National Registration should they wish to extend the validity of their immigration passes (if expired) once they re-enter Brunei Darussalam.

However, any foreign nationals who are currently residing in Brunei Darussalam under employment pass, visit pass (social, professional and business), student pass, dependent pass and intend to exit the country temporarily and re-enter Brunei Darussalam, therefore they are required to secure Re-Entry Visa before intended travel date. This requirement only applies to foreigners whose nationality is required to have a Re-entry Visa.

## POST-ARRIVAL REQUIREMENTS

<b>B.1</b>	<b>COVID-19 VACCINATION</b>
<b>B.1.1</b>	<b>Am I required to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests?</b>
<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>	
<p>For arrival in Brunei Darussalam via air, land &amp; sea from 15 June 2022 onwards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fully vaccinated travellers are <u>no longer required</u> to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests. Therefore, fully vaccinated travellers do not need to make payment for post-arrival COVID-19 tests.</li> <li>Only unvaccinated travellers are <u>required</u> to undergo ART on Day of Arrival (Day 1) and RT-PCR test on Day 3. They are required to undergo mandatory self-isolation at home residence or hotel residence until receipt of negative result for RT-PCR test taken on Day 3. RT-PCR test can be taken at clinic centres that provide RT-PCR swab services, which can be found via link: <a href="https://www.pmo.gov.bn/EPG/Perjalanan.aspx">https://www.pmo.gov.bn/EPG/Perjalanan.aspx</a></li> </ul> <p>Note: For cross-border travel through land and sea, post-arrival COVID-19 tests are also not required for those who travel for the purpose of work or school and commute travels for the aforementioned purposes, transit travel and emergency services (such as ambulances, police and military).</p>	
<b>B.1.2</b>	<b>How do I make payment for post-arrival COVID-19 tests?</b>
<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>	
<p>For arrival in Brunei Darussalam via air, land &amp; sea from 15 June 2022 onwards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only unvaccinated travellers are <u>required</u> to undergo ART on Day of Arrival (Day 1) and RT-PCR test on Day 3. Online payment for post-arrival COVID-19 tests which cost BND\$100.00 can be made via: <a href="http://www.healthinfo.gov.bn/travel">www.healthinfo.gov.bn/travel</a></li> </ul>	
<b>B.1.3</b>	<b>Will ART kit be provided to travellers upon arrival or do they need to purchase ART kits before arriving at the Brunei International Airport or land/sea control post?</b>
<b>Air Travel</b>	
<p>For unvaccinated travellers who are required to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests, ART kit will be provided upon arrival at Brunei International Airport.</p>	
<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>	
<p>For unvaccinated travellers who are required to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests, ART kit will be provided by Port Health at land/sea control post.</p>	
<b>B.1.4</b>	<b>How do unvaccinated travellers receive their post-arrival RT-PCR test result?</b>
<p>Result for post-arrival COVID-19 test will be received via SMS. The result can also be found on the BruHealth App.</p>	
<b>B.1.5</b>	<b>I do not have Bru-HIMS number (Brunei Healthcare Information Management System) number and as an unvaccinated traveller, I am required to undergo RT-PCR test on Day 3 which needs Bru-HIMS number. How do I apply for Bru-HIMS?</b>
<p>If an unvaccinated traveller does not have Bru-HIMS (Brunei Darussalam Healthcare Information and Management System) number which is needed to undergo post-arrival RT-PCR test in Brunei Darussalam, registration for Bru-HIMS can be made by focal or traveller's sponsor on behalf of the traveller at a Government Health Clinic or Government Hospital in Brunei Darussalam.</p>	
<b>B.1.6</b>	<b>What should travellers do if they do not receive their post-arrival RT-PCR test via SMS result?</b>
<p>Result for post-arrival COVID-19 test will be received via SMS. The result can also be found on the BruHealth App. Should you experience any further issues, please contact Health Advice Line 148 for assistance.</p>	

**B.1.7 What should travellers do if they test positive for COVID-19?**

Should a traveller be tested positive for COVID-19, they will be required to undergo a period of isolation at home residence or hotel accommodation in compliance with existing health protocols.

**B.1.8 I am a civil servant returning to Brunei Darussalam from Government-sponsored official travel and I am required to undergo post-arrival COVID-19 tests (as an unvaccinated traveller). Am I exempted from being required to pay for post-arrival COVID-19 tests?**

Civil servants returning to Brunei Darussalam from Government-sponsored official travel are exempted from being required to pay for any post-arrival COVID-19 tests. The traveller must show valid supporting document which states that they are on Government-sponsored official travel.

**B.2****MANDATORY SELF-ISOLATION****B.2.1 Where can I serve my mandatory self-isolation (if required) after arriving in Brunei Darussalam?**

Unvaccinated travellers may serve their mandatory self-isolation at home residence or hotel accommodation.

**B.2.1 I have booked hotel accommodation to serve my mandatory self-isolation (required for unvaccinated individuals). Can I cancel my hotel booking in order to serve my mandatory self-isolation at home residence instead?**

Yes, you may cancel your booking. Please contact Hotel or Booking agency to proceed with the cancellation.

**B.3****TRANSPORTATION****B.3.1 Am I allowed to use public transportation while in Brunei Darussalam?**

Yes, you may use public transportation while in Brunei Darussalam.

However, unvaccinated travellers are not allowed to use public transportation if they are currently serving mandatory self-isolation. They may use public transportation after completing mandatory self-isolation period.

**B.4****DURING STAY IN BRUNEI DARUSSALAM****B.4.1 What health protocols do travellers need to adhere to while in Brunei Darussalam?**

During their stay in Brunei Darussalam, travellers must adhere to the prevailing public health measures, which include requirements on wearing of masks and any other COVID-19 prevention measures relevant to the activities that they participate in or places that they visit in Brunei Darussalam.

**B.4.2 I feel unwell and I may need medical assessment. Which clinics or health centers can I visit while in Brunei Darussalam?**

Inbound travellers who become unwell and require medical assessment may go to any clinics/health centres as listed below. Travelers must adhere to the following requirements when visiting clinics / health centres:-

- Show BruHealth code and provide BruHIMS number at registration desk
- Declare as traveller
- Wear a mask
- Practice social distancing
- Bring cash (in Brunei Dollars) for payment purposes
- Bring original Passport or ID

**Brunei Muara District** - Berakas Health Centre / Pengkalan Batu Health Centre

**Tutong District** - Sungai Kelugos Clinic

**Belait District** - SARI, Suri Seri Begawan Hospital

**Temburong District** - Flu Clinic, PIHM Hospital, Temburong

However, for any medical emergencies, travelers need to call 991 or go to Emergency Department in government hospitals.



## EXIT REQUIREMENTS

C.1	TRAVEL PURPOSE
C.1.1	<b>Am I allowed to exit Brunei Darussalam for non-essential purpose?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	Outbound travellers may exit Brunei Darussalam via air travel for any purpose.
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Cross-border travel through land and sea are only permitted for essential travel as listed below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(a) Brunei Citizens &amp; Permanent residents who will make land &amp; sea travel for essential travel and urgent circumstances.</li> <li>(b) For the purpose of work or school and is also extended to commute travels for the aforementioned purposes.</li> <li>(c) Transit travel.</li> <li>(d) Emergency services (such as ambulances, police and military).</li> <li>(e) Local and foreign-registered transport operators for the purpose of essential import and export supply of deliveries.</li> <li>(f) Seafarers/Sea Vessel Crew who will make sea travel for the purpose of work or essential travel.</li> </ul> <p>Non-essential travel via land and sea is still not permitted until 31 July 2022.</p>
C.2	COVID-19 VACCINATION
C.2.1	<b>What is the COVID-19 vaccination requirement for outbound travel from Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	Citizens and residents of Brunei Darussalam aged 12 years and above are permitted to exit Brunei Darussalam if they have received: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) 2 doses of COVID-19 vaccine with the second dose administered not more than 3 months before departure date, OR</li> <li>(ii) Booster dose for COVID-19 vaccine</li> </ul> <p>For individuals below 12 years, they are not required to fulfil Brunei Darussalam's vaccination requirement for outbound travel.</p>
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	COVID-19 vaccination status is not required for essential travels that have been categorized.
C.2.2	<b>I have been fully vaccinated. However, I have not obtained booster dose. Am I allowed to travel out of Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	Citizens and residents of Brunei Darussalam aged 12 years and above are permitted to exit Brunei Darussalam via air travel if they have received the second dose of COVID-19 vaccination not more than 3 months before departure.
	If the second dose of COVID-19 vaccination received more than 3 months before departure date, the traveller must obtain booster prior to exiting the country.
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	COVID-19 vaccination status is not required for essential travels that have been categorized.
C.2.3	<b>I am medically unfit to be vaccinated. Am I allowed to travel out of Brunei Darussalam ?</b>

### Air Travel

**unvaccinated travellers** may exit Brunei Darussalam via air if they have certificate of medical exemption\* for COVID-19 vaccination.

*\*Exemptions may be obtained from medical health centers on the basis of medical contraindications, or other reasons such as having recovered from COVID-19 six (6) weeks prior.*

### Land & Sea Travel

COVID-19 vaccination status is not required for essential travels that have been categorized.

## C.3

## COVID-19 TESTS

### C.3.1

### Are outbound travellers required to undergo pre-departure COVID-19 test?

#### Air, Land & Sea Travel

Please check requirements for entry into the respective Destination Country. Before exiting Brunei Darussalam, outbound traveller may undergo RT-PCR test (if required by the destination country) at the following health centers or private health clinics:

#### **Klinik Noor Rohaya (Appointment Only)**

- No 1, Simpang 293, Jalan Pasir Berakas
- +673 2390282 / +673 8240282

#### **Jerudong Park Medical Center (Appointment Only)**

- Jerudong Park Medical Center,, BG3122
- +673 2611433

#### **Panaga Health Center (Appointment Only)**

- Jalan Utara, Panaga, Seria KB2933
- +673 8876454

#### **Klinik Dr Amir (Appointment Only)**

- No 204, Ground Floor, Bangunan Mohammad Yussof, KM2, Jalan Raja Isteri Pengiran Anak Saleha, BA1712, Bandar Seri Begawan
- +673 2336801 / +673 2222500 / +673 3337850

#### **UNI Clinic (Appointment Only)**

- No 5, Simpang 490, Jalan Muara, Kg Sg Hanching, BC2115
- +673 2335403 / +673 7325403

#### **Lee Clinic and Dispensaries (Appointment Only)**

- C-1, Abdul Razak Complex, Gadong Centrepont
- +673 2428428 / +673 8128128

#### **Yong Clinic & Dispensary (Appointment Only)**

- No 27, Ground Floor Muhibbah Complex II, Jalan Gadong, BE3919
- +673 2424301

#### **Kare Medical Clinic (Appointment Only)**

- Ground Floor, Block D, Unit 1, Kiarong Complex, Lebuhraya Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah, Kiarong BE1318
- +673 2455021 / +673 7305973 (WhatsApp)

#### **C.Y.Lim Clinic (Appointment Only)**

- Block J, No. 16 Ground Floor, Abdul Razak Complex Gadong, BE3519
- +673 2449488 / +673 8913468

For ART test, outbound traveller may undergo ART (if required by the destination country) at certified ART centers recognized by Ministry of Health, Brunei Darussalam. List of certified ART centers can be found via the link:

<https://www.moh.gov.bn/Shared%20Documents/2019%20ncov/Pusat-pusat%20pesijilan%20ART%201%20December%202021.pdf>

<b>C.4</b>	<b>EXIT APPROVAL</b>
<b>C.4.1</b>	<b>Am I required to obtain Exit Approval before making outbound travel from Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	Outbound travellers are no longer required to obtain Exit Approval if they wish to exit Brunei Darussalam via air travel. However, they must adhere to Brunei Darussalam's prevailing exit requirements.
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Individuals and travel categories that require Exit Approval prior to exiting Brunei Darussalam via land & sea are:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Citizens and residents of Brunei Darussalam who will make outbound travel for essential travel and urgent circumstances as listed below: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Requirement to appear in court abroad for case mentions or trial following a court order overseas for a criminal case, or as a witness (including crimes under the Syariah or Civil Courts) with the endorsement of relevant authorities at home or abroad;</li> <li>○ Requirement for urgent medical treatment abroad with the endorsement of the Ministry of Health of Brunei Darussalam. Those intending to travel for medical purposes at their own cost must obtain an 'Overseas Certificate of Travel for Medical Purposes' issued by a government medical officer at a public health center or hospital;</li> <li>○ For reasons of studying abroad with the endorsement of the relevant parties at home or abroad. Brunei citizens and permanent residents must obtain an endorsement from the Scholarship Management Department, Ministry of Education whether studying on a government scholarship or other sources of funding;</li> <li>○ Bruneian citizens and residents of Brunei Darussalam (Yellow, Purple and Green Identity Card holders) residing outside Brunei Darussalam and commuting to work into this country by land OR anyone residing in Brunei Darussalam and commuting to work abroad by land.</li> <li>○ Compassionate family circumstances</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Local-registered Transport operators</li> <li>• For the purpose of work or school and is also extended to commute travels for the aforementioned purposes</li> <li>• Transit travel</li> <li>• Seafarers/Sea Vessel Crew who will make sea travel for the purpose of work or essential travel.</li> </ul>
<b>C4.2</b>	<b>How do I apply for Exit Approval?</b>
	<b>Air Travel</b>
	Outbound travellers are no longer required to obtain Exit Approval if they wish to exit Brunei Darussalam via air travel. However, they must adhere to Brunei Darussalam's prevailing exit requirements.
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Exit Approval application for cross-border travel through land & sea must be submitted to the Prime Minister's Office (PMO) via travel portal: <a href="http://www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal">www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal</a> .
	Application must be submitted at least 5 calendar days before the intended travel date. Please select the relevant online form and upload the supporting documents. Please also ensure all information given are correct and completed and all supporting documents have been submitted.
<b>C.5</b>	<b>E-REGISTER REGISTRATION</b>
<b>C.5.1</b>	<b>How do I complete e-Register Registration before travelling out of Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	To allow ease of communications in the event that assistance is required during emergency or crisis, Brunei Citizens and Permanent Residents are required to complete online registration via e-Register system ( <a href="http://www.mfa.gov.bn/Pages/eRegister.aspx">http://www.mfa.gov.bn/Pages/eRegister.aspx</a> ) at Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA) website before exiting Brunei Darussalam.

## OTHER REQUIREMENTS

### D.1 TRAVEL MEDICAL INSURANCE WITH COVID-19 COVERAGE

#### D.1.1 Am I required to obtain Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage prior to departure to Brunei Darussalam?

##### Air, Land & Sea Travel

Foreign nationals who will enter Brunei Darussalam for short-visit purpose, in which the duration of stay in Brunei Darussalam is less than 90 days are required to obtain Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage (minimum coverage of BND\$20,000). The insurance must be valid for the duration of their stay in Brunei Darussalam.

#### D.1.2 Am I required to obtain Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage prior to exiting Brunei Darussalam?

##### Air, Land & Sea Travel

Brunei Citizens and Permanent Residents exiting Brunei Darussalam for short-visit purpose are required to obtain Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage (minimum coverage of BND\$20,000). The insurance must be valid for the duration of their stay in the foreign country.

#### D.1.3 What is the minimum coverage required for Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage?

The minimum coverage required for Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage is BND\$20,000.

#### D.1.4 How long should the coverage period be for the Travel Medical Insurance?

The Travel Medical Insurance must be valid for the duration of stay in Brunei Darussalam.

#### D.1.5 Who are exempted from obtaining Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage before departure to/exiting Brunei Darussalam?

The following travellers are exempted from being required to obtain Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage:

- (a) Brunei Citizens and Permanent Residents returning to Brunei Darussalam.
- (b) Foreign nationals who will be entering in Brunei Darussalam for the purpose of long-term visit such as employment, studying or as eligible dependent.
- (c) Brunei Citizens and Permanent Residents who are travelling overseas for employment, studies as eligible dependents or hold a long-term visa/immigration pass in the destination country.
- (d) Permanent Residents who are traveling to their country of nationality.
- (e) Civil servants who are travelling for Government-sponsored official travel. Civil servants must show valid supporting document which states that they are on a Government-sponsored official travel.

#### D.1.6 How do I purchase Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage before departure to Brunei Darussalam?

You may purchase Travel Medical Insurance from Brunei-based or overseas insurer. List of Brunei-based insurers that offer Travel Medical Insurance products may be found on:

<https://www.pmo.gov.bn/EPG/Perjalanan.aspx>

#### D.1.7 Am I required to show proof of purchase for Travel Medical Insurance (with COVID-19 coverage) prior to departure from Brunei Darussalam?

For short-term visitors (foreign nationals) who are required to obtain Travel Insurance Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage prior to entry into Brunei Darussalam, they must have the insurance certificate as proof before travelling to Brunei Darussalam.

Insurance certificate may either be produced in digital format or hardcopy depending on respective insurance/takaful companies.

#### D.1.8 Is Group Insurance for companies accepted for entry into Brunei Darussalam?

Yes, if the Group Insurance covers Travel and Medical expenses for COVID-19 with a minimum of BND\$20,000 coverage. This will depend on the terms and conditions of coverage stated in the insurance/takaful policy.

**D.1.9 I am travelling into Brunei Darussalam with my family. Is there a Group Insurance available?**

Underwriting procedures will vary from insurance/takaful providers respectively. Please refer to your insurance/takaful provider.

Further announcements will be made if there are new products being introduced or any enhancements are made to the available product.

**D.1.10 How will I receive a copy of the insurance certificate?**

Copy of the insurance certificate may be provided in digital format or hardcopy depending on the respective insurance/takaful companies.

**D.1.11 I do not have a Bruneian Identification Card. Can I still purchase a travel medical insurance from Brunei-based insurer?**

Underwriting procedures will vary for each insurance/takaful provider. In principle travelers will need to provide proof of identity (i.e. a passport, travel document) to purchase the insurance. Please refer to your insurance/takaful providers.

**D.1.12 What does the Travel Medical Insurance with COVID-19 coverage cover?**

Coverages will vary for each insurance/takaful provider. In principle travelers will be provided with the following benefits, among others:

1. Emergency Medical and Emergency Medical Transportation Benefits;
2. Trip Cancellation Benefits – For e.g., trip is cancelled as traveler, family member or traveling companion have COVID-19 related illness or required to undergo quarantine.
3. Trip Interruption Benefits – For e.g., trip is interrupted as traveler, family member or travelling companion have COVID-19 related illness or required to undergo quarantine
4. Travel Delay Benefits – For e.g., trip is delayed as traveler, family member or travelling companion is denied boarding due to being suspected to have COVID-19 infection.

Terms, conditions and exclusions will apply. Availability of COVID-19 coverage endorsement, including specific benefits and coverage vary for each insurance/takaful provider. Products may not include all benefits or coverages described. Benefits given may also not cover the full cost of the loss. Insurance benefits are subject to maximum limits of liability, which may be subject to sub-limits and daily maximums.

Please review your insurance policy to understand what coverage is provided and what limits apply.

**D.1.13 How long will it take to process my Insurance application?**

Underwriting procedures will vary from insurance/takaful providers respectively. Please refer to your insurance/takaful provider.

**D.1.14 How can I claim from Insurance/Takaful company should I test positive for COVID-19?**

Claims procedure vary for each insurance/takaful provider. In principle, travelers will be provided with a twenty-four (24-hour) hotline to contact should such need arise. Please refer to your insurance/takaful provider for further information or any queries.

**D.1.15 How can I extend the period of my insurance coverage?**

Extending the period of coverage may require an endorsement. Underwriting procedures will vary from insurance/takaful providers respectively. Please refer to your insurance/takaful provider.

<b>D.2</b>	<b>DOCUMENTATIONS</b>
<b>D.2.1</b>	<b>What documents do I need to present for travel into/out of Brunei Darussalam?</b>
	<b>Air, Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	You must present documents as required by respective category of travel into or out of Brunei Darussalam for air, land and sea travel. Please refer to the Guidelines and Infographics for air, land & sea travel which can be found on <a href="http://www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal/Home.aspx">http://www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal/Home.aspx</a> and <a href="https://www.pmo.gov.bn/EPG/infografik.aspx">https://www.pmo.gov.bn/EPG/infografik.aspx</a>
<b>D.3</b>	<b>TRANSPORT OPERATORS</b>
<b>D.3.1</b>	<b>Are Transport Operators required to obtain Exit approval for cross-border travel through land or sea?</b>
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Local-registered transport operators are required to obtain Exit approval from Prime Minister's Office (PMO) via PMO portal: <a href="http://www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal">www.pmo.gov.bn/travelportal</a>
	Application for Exit Approval must be submitted at least 5 calendar days before the intended travel date. Exit approval can be given validity period until 31 July 2022.
<b>D.3.2</b>	<b>Are Transport Operators required to undergo scheduled ART testing?</b>
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Transport operators are no longer required to undergo scheduled ART testing. However, they are advised to do their own ART tests from time to time, and if they have symptoms or signs of infection or become a close contact to a positive case.
<b>D.4</b>	<b>OTHERS</b>
<b>D.4.1</b>	<b>Is there time limit for cross-border travel through land or sea?</b>
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Travellers/Transport Operators are no longer required to adhere to time limit for every trip.
<b>D.4.2</b>	<b>Are travellers/Transport Operators required to obtain necessary approval / permit / endorsement before proceeding to cross the border through land and sea?</b>
	<b>Land &amp; Sea Travel</b>
	Yes, Travellers/Transport Operators must first obtain necessary approval / permit / endorsement from relevant government agencies. Please check requirements and procedures that are enforced by respective Government agencies.
<b>D.4.3</b>	<b>What is Entry &amp; Exit Charge (CaP)?</b>
	<b>Land Travel</b>
	Any person who intends to leave or enter Brunei Darussalam through the land control posts (checkpoints) either via vehicle or as a pedestrian will be subjected to 'Caj Perkhidmatan' (CaP) with a charge rate of BND3.00 per person for a one-way trip. Application must be submitted to the Royal Customs and Excise Department through the Exit and Entry System (EES) that can be accessed via <a href="https://login.bdnsw.gov.bn/ees">https://login.bdnsw.gov.bn/ees</a>