

EARLY ENDEMIC PHASE GUIDELINES FOR OPEN AIR STALLS AND MARKETS

This document provides the measures under which open air stalls and markets are permitted to operate during Brunei's early endemic phase within the National COVID-19 Recovery Framework.

COVID-19 Control Measures in Endemic Phase

- **Use of the Bruhealth App:**
 - a. All premises must register for a Bruhealth QR code.
 - b. The owner of premises is to ensure all individuals entering the premises scan their Bruhealth app once entering (this includes all employees/staff/volunteers).
 - c. The owner of premises to ensure only individuals with green and yellow Bruhealth codes are allowed to enter.
- **Complete vaccination:**
 - a. The owner of premises is to ensure all employees/staff/volunteers eligible to be vaccinated (no medical contraindications) are fully vaccinated.
- **Mask wearing:**
 - a. All individuals aged 2 years or older should wear a mask over their nose and mouth in indoor public places, on public transport, in crowded outdoor settings, and for activities with close contact with others who are not fully vaccinated.
 - b. Masks can be taken off when:
 - i. In hotel rooms or accommodation with members of the household.
 - ii. In an enclosed individual workspace.
 - iii. During strenuous activity during Sports and recreational activities.
 - iv. Own vehicle and involve household members.
 - v. Indoor or outdoor public areas and places without any other individuals.
 - vi. When eating and drinking in a public place without any other individual (other than in a restaurant or food premises).
- **Hand hygiene and cough and sneezing etiquette:**
 - a. If individuals have been in a public place, or after blowing their nose, coughing, or sneezing, they are advised to wash their hands frequently with soap and water, but if not readily available, use a hand sanitiser that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry.
- **Physical distancing measures are in place:**
 - a. At least 1.5m apart between individuals when possible.
- **Ventilation of premises:**
 - a. The owner of indoor premises to ensure premises have adequate ventilation.
- **Self-health monitoring and ART testing:**
 - a. Individuals are advised to monitor health daily for symptoms.
 - b. It is recommended that vaccinated people do an ART as a matter of routine once every 2 weeks. And test before attending gatherings or visiting others in their home.

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.

Proof of negative ART

This will be required for individuals who are unvaccinated or partially vaccinated to ENTER PUBLIC PREMISES. Proof must be in the form of an ART conducted under observation by the relevant authority or store owner or can be in the form of a certificate issued by an ART certification centre that is registered with the Ministry of Health. These certificates will be issued with a validity period that expires in 2 (two) days. Children under the age of 12, when together with a party of fully vaccinated adults will be granted the same exemptions that apply to fully vaccinated individuals during the endemic phase only.

Measures for open air stalls and markets

Updates to the measures and requirements for open air stalls and markets are as follows:

Owners/Employees	Customers
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Only employees that have completed two (2) doses of vaccine with GREEN and YELLOW BruHealth colour codes are allowed to work.• Owner is encouraged to carry out regular ART testing on all employees in line with the ART Guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health.• Any employee that is not feeling well is advised not to come to work.• Employees are required to wear face masks at all times.• Premises must register for a BruHealth QR code that is printed and placed at the entrance area.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Scan QR code using the BruHealth app. Only individuals with GREEN and YELLOW BruHealth colour codes will be allowed to enter the premises.• Both vaccinated and unvaccinated individuals (including children under the age of 12) are allowed to enter with social distancing measures in place.• Face masks are required at all times.• Individuals who are not feeling well are advised not to enter the premises.• Practice personal hygiene at all times such as washing hands regularly or using hand sanitiser.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li data-bbox="329 237 857 407">• Number of customers allowed to enter at any one time is limited to 75% (excluding employees in the venue/premise) of the normal premise capacity but not more than 300 people (whichever is lower).<li data-bbox="329 451 857 548">• Perform body temperature checks before entering the premise and provide hand sanitisers.<li data-bbox="329 596 857 653">• Adhere to guidelines on cleaning and sanitation of premises.	