

## **Changes to Align Border Measures with Domestic Protocols and Evolving Pandemic Conditions in Other Countries/ Regions**

### Review of Countries/Regions Categories

1. Based on the COVID-19 situation in **Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Bhutan, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Egypt, Fiji, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Slovakia, Switzerland, Turkey, the United Kingdom, and the United States**, they will be placed in Category II from **12 October 2021, 2359 hours**.
2. Based on the COVID-19 situation in **Estonia, Lithuania, and Slovenia**, they will be placed in Category III from **12 October 2021, 2359 hours**.
3. For the full set of prevailing border measures for the different Categories and any changes to border measures, these will be updated on the [SafeTravel website](#). Travellers are advised to visit the website to check the latest border measures for their associated country or region; and be prepared to be subjected to the prevailing border measures upon entry.

### Conditions for Category III Travellers Opting Out of Serving SHN in Dedicated SHN Facilities

4. For Singapore Citizens (SCs) and Permanent Residents (PRs), applications must be made three days prior to arrival via the [SafeTravel website](#). Travellers who are not SCs or PRs and who have travel history in Category III countries may apply to opt out as part of the entry application process for arrivals from **12 October 2021, 2359 hrs** onwards. All travellers must receive their approval to opt out and present the approval documents upon arrival in Singapore, in order to qualify for the arrangements.
5. All travellers who successfully opt out must always remain in their declared place of residence/ accommodation and must don an electronic monitoring device throughout their SHN period. Action will be taken against those who breach their SHN requirements or make false declarations. Travellers must take private transport<sup>1</sup> to their declared place of residence/accommodation, and are strictly prohibited from taking public transport, e.g. public bus/train or street-hailed taxis.

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<sup>1</sup> Travellers can use their own private transport or book taxi/private-hire vehicles, indicating "SHN" when booking. For more information, refer to <https://safetravel.ica.gov.sg/health/faq#transport>

	Summary of Country/Region Classification for Recent 14-day travel history* (for arrival from 12 October 2021, 2359 hours)			
	Category I	Category II	Category III	Category IV
<b>Countries / Regions</b>	Hong Kong, Macao, Mainland China and Taiwan	Australia, Austria, Bahrain, Belgium, Bhutan, Brunei, Bulgaria, Canada, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Fiji, France, Finland, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Saudi Arabia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, the United Kingdom, the United States, and Vatican City	Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Maldives, and Slovenia	All other Countries/Regions**
<b>Border Measure<sup>^</sup></b>	On-Arrival Test	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Pre-Departure PCR Test within 48 hours</li> <li>2. On-Arrival PCR Test</li> </ol>		
		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. 7-day Stay-Home Notice (SHN) at declared place of accommodation</li> <li>4. Day 7 SHN exit Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. 10-day SHN at dedicated SHN facility<sup>@</sup> or declared place of accommodation (if criteria fulfilled)</li> <li>4. Day 3 and 7 Antigen-Rapid Test (ART) self-swab test<sup>#</sup></li> <li>5. Day 10 SHN exit PCR test</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. 10-day SHN at dedicated SHN facility<sup>@</sup></li> </ol>

<sup>^</sup>Countries/Regions may have vaccination-differentiated border measures. Please check the [SafeTravel website](#) for details.

<sup>@</sup> The charges for 10-day SHN at dedicated SHN facility is \$1,450.

\* 14-day travel history includes countries/regions whereby the traveller transits en route to Singapore, and also the time spent in Singapore by the traveller before embarking on the overseas travel (if any).

\*\* All long-term pass holders and short-term visitors with travel or transit history to Bangladesh, India, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka are still not allowed to enter Singapore, as per MOH's press releases on 22 and 30 Apr 2021.

<sup>#</sup>Every traveller aged 3 and above (in the calendar year) who is serving SHN will have to pay \$20 (inclusive of GST) for 2 ART kits. ART swabbing is required for travellers serving SHN at dedicated SHN facilities.

Long-Term Pass Holders (LTPHs) with passes issued by the Ministry of Manpower (MOM) may have to comply with additional requirements and measures.

Travellers who are not Singapore Citizens, Permanent Residents or LTPHs, may enter Singapore for short-term visits only if they are arriving from Category I countries/regions (with travel histories in the past 14-days in these countries/regions and/or Singapore), unless if arrangements have been separately announced (e.g. Vaccinated Travel Lanes or Reciprocal Green Lanes).