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Queensland to open for intrastate travel



Stage Two of Queensland's roadmap to easing restrictions has been brought forward to Monday, 1 June 2020, with tourism operations allowed to recommence and no limit on overnight travel throughout the state.

Below we link you through to all the information you need.

Roadmap to easing Queensland's restrictions

Unite against COVID-19

A step-down approach to COVID-19

CONTINUING CONDITIONS • Social distancing, 1.5 metres and hygiene • Stay at home if you're sick • Tracking, tracing, rapid response • Work at home if it works for you and your employer

EASING TO DATE	STAGE 1: <small>from 11:59pm</small> 15 MAY 2020 (2 weeks)	STAGE 2: <small>commencing from 12 noon</small> 1 JUNE 2020 (6 weeks)	STAGE 3: 10 JULY 2020
SCHOOLS PLAN	11 May Kindy, Prep Years 1, 11, 12	25 May Years 2-10	School holidays (27 Jun-12 Jul)
<p>Family, friends and community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gatherings in homes (household + 2 visitors from the same or different households, or up to 5 visitors from the same household) Household or one friend and within 50 kms of home for recreational purposes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> go for a drive have a picnic visit a national park go fishing, boating or jet-skiing <p>Retail shopping</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allowing retail shopping for non-essential items within 50 kms of home <p>Schools</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gradual return to class 11 May: Kindy, Prep and Years 1, 11 and 12 25 May: Years 2-10. 	<p>Family, friends and community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gatherings in homes (household + max 5 visitors, allowed from separate households) Gatherings of up to 10 people: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> outdoor, non-contact activity personal training pools (indoor and outdoor) public spaces and lagoons* (e.g. South Bank Parklands, Cairns, Airlie Beach etc) parks, playground equipment, skate parks and outdoor gyms libraries weddings hiking and other recreational activities in national and state parks places of worship and religious ceremonies Funerals (max 20 indoors or 30 outdoors) Recreational travel (max 150kms within your region for day trips) <p>Businesses and economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retail shopping 10 people permitted at any one time for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> dining in (with COVID SAFE Checklist): restaurants, cafes, pubs, registered and licensed clubs, RSL clubs and hotels – no bars or gaming open homes and auctions beauty therapy and nail salons (with COVID SAFE Checklist) <p>Outback*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dining in (with COVID SAFE Checklist): restaurants, cafes, pubs, registered and licensed clubs, RSL clubs and hotels (max 20 at any one time) for locals only (must show proof of residence) – no bars or gaming Recreational travel including overnight accommodation max 500 kms within the outback only if you live in the outback. 	<p>UPDATE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unlimited travel and overnight stays for all of Queensland* (including for school holidays) Dining in or seated drinks in restaurants, cafes, pubs, registered or licensed clubs, RSL Clubs, hotels and casinos (no gaming) – up to 20 patrons per room or per defined area (indoors or outdoors) for a venue (when following a COVID SAFE Industry Plan*) <p>Family, friends and community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gatherings of up to 20 people: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> homes public spaces and lagoons* (e.g. South Bank Parklands, Cairns, Airlie Beach etc) non-contact indoor and outdoor community sport* personal training gyms*, health clubs* and yoga studios* pools* (indoor and outdoor) and community sports clubs* museums*, art galleries* and historic sites* weddings parks, playground equipment, skate parks and outdoor gyms libraries* hiking, camping and other recreational activities in national and state parks places of worship* and religious and civil ceremonies Funerals (max 50) Recreational travel, camping and accommodation, including caravan parks (anywhere in Queensland) <p>Businesses and economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Retail shopping Tourism accommodation 20 people permitted at any one time for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> indoor cinemas* open homes* and auctions* outdoor amusement parks*, tourism experiences*, zoos* and arcades* concert venues*, theatres*, arenas*, auditoriums* and stadiums* beauty therapy, nail salons, tanning, tattoo parlours and spas (with COVID SAFE Checklist). 	<p>Subject to further planning and review, interstate travel will be permitted and a maximum of 100 people* will be permitted for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> gatherings in public spaces and homes restaurants, cafes, pubs, registered and licensed clubs, RSL clubs, food courts and hotels indoor cinemas places of worship and religious ceremonies museums, art galleries and historic sites pools and community sports clubs community sport gyms, health clubs and yoga studios outdoor amusement parks, zoos and arcades concert venues, theatres, arenas, auditoriums and stadiums weddings funerals saunas and bathhouses open homes and auctions casinos, gaming and gambling venues nightclubs beauty therapy, tanning, nail salons and spas, tattoo parlours and non-therapeutic massage parlours libraries hiking, camping and other recreational activities in national and state parks. <p>The public health rules to maintain:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Physical distancing 4 square metres per person when indoors Hand hygiene Respiratory hygiene Frequent environmental cleaning and disinfection <p>* More with COVID SAFE Plan approved by health authorities * Max 20 with a COVID SAFE Checklist when not complying with the COVID SAFE Industry Plan † Outback areas as defined by Local Government Area. Details on COVID19.qld.gov.au # Except Biosecurity Areas or Restricted Areas</p>
<p>COVID SAFE checks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Surveillance and epidemiological indicators suggest a move would NOT present an undue risk Testing is widespread and adequately identifies community transmission Point source outbreaks are effectively contained by public health actions. 	<p>COVID SAFE check point</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> assess impact review border review biosecurity and designated areas 	<p>COVID SAFE check point</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> assess impact review border review biosecurity and designated areas 	<p>COVID SAFE check point</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> assess impact review border review biosecurity and designated areas

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Updated roadmap

The roadmap to easing Queensland's restrictions has now been updated to reflect Stage Two commencing from Monday, 1 June 2020.

- Unlimited travel and overnight stays for Queenslanders across all of Queensland (no km limit).
- Recreational travel, camping and accommodation including caravan parks.
- Tourism experiences for 20 people - more if following the approved Industry COVID Safe Plan.
- Dining in or seated drinks in restaurants, cafes, pubs, registered or licensed clubs, RSL Clubs, hotels and casinos (no gaming) for up to 20 patrons per room or defined area.

SEE NEW ROADMAP

Resources specifically for tourism and events businesses

Tourism industry decision tree - use this simple flowchart to understand when

you can operate, with how many patrons, and what documentation you need to have in place.

Tourism and events industry frequently asked questions - including how to calculate how many patrons you can have on a boat or bus, rules for ferry operations, and sector-specific questions.

Fact sheet - COVID Safe Planning for tourism and events businesses - including understanding which Industry Association is writing which Industry Plans, what you need to do if you'd like to have more than 20 patrons, and how events need to develop COVID Safe Plans.

Draft Industry Plan - QTIC's draft Industry Plan for tourism experiences and accommodation is available on their website. Once the Chief Health Officer approves the plan it will be published on the [Queensland Government's COVID-19 website](#) (near bottom of page) and businesses who wish to have more than 20 patrons will need to adhere to the plan and complete a compliance declaration.

[MORE INFORMATION](#)

For more information

- Read the official media statement [here](#).
- **Questions:** businesses can contact the Queensland Government's dedicated hotline for questions specific to their business. Phone 134 COVID (134 268 43).
- Tourism and Events Queensland's dedicated [COVID-19 webpages for businesses and travellers](#) are reviewed every day and contain the latest information and resources as we receive them.



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