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Subject – Bahrain Entry Rules

Dear Travel Trade Partner,

Passengers arriving at the Kingdom of Bahrain as their final destination:

- **1.** GCC citizens shall use their passport to enter Bahrain; national ID card is not accepted
- **2**. VOA is available to eligible passengers disembarking in Bahrain. GCC residents can get Visa on Arrival to enter Bahrain if they are arriving from UAE, Oman, Kuwait & KSA only.
- 3. Pax are not allowed to enter Bahrain unless they are:
- a. Bahraini citizens
- b. GCC citizens who do not require visas
- c. Passengers who reside in Bahrain
- d. Passengers with a valid e-visa granted prior to boarding
- e. Passengers who are eligible for visa on arrival
- f. This does not apply to airline crew
- g. Diplomats, Military personnel and their dependents, and those travelling on official government business, are exempt from all covid-19-related entry protocols, including but not limited to, pre-departure testing, arrival testing, and quarantine.
- **4**. All other passengers are permitted to transit through BIA; maximum allowable transit time in BAH is 12 hrs.



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5. Passenger categories and requirements to complete.(effective 19 Dec 2021 0001 Bahrain local time)

| Passenger Type | PCR Test ^(a) | Quarantine | Additional Information |
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| Vaccinated and Recoveredin Bahrain, GCC & countrieswith mutual recognition (Hungary, Cyprus, Greece, Israel, Seychelles & Jordan) | Negative PCR report withQR code taken within 48hrs of departure Upon arrival, 5 th & 10 th day | N/A | Need to present vaccination or immunity status through certificate in paper or official mobile app with QR code which are approved by Bahrain MOH, WHO |
| Vaccinated passenger holding a valid certificate issued by public health authorities & eligible forVOA facility | Negative PCR report with QR code taken within 48hrs of departure Upon arrival, 5 th & 10 th day | N/A | Need to present vaccination certificate in paper or official mobile app with QR code which are approved by Bahrain MOH, WHO, Check eligibility for VOA through www.evisa.gov.bh |

| Passenger Type | PCR test (a) | Quarantine | Additional Information |
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| Non-vaccinated or passengers without a vaccination certificate approved by Govt. of Bahrain | PCR test with QR Code - 48hrs before departure Upon arrival, 5th & 10th day | 10 days Precautionary quarantine at place of residence | Passengers must provideproof of a residence either owned or leased by PAX or an immediate family member before boarding |
| Transit Passengers through Kingdom of Bahrain from Non-Red list countries | N/A | N/A | Must meet all requirements of final destination |



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Note:

- i. Fully vaccinated passengers means those who have completed 2 weeks after the last dose of vaccines.
- ii. Vaccines approved by WHO are Moderna, Pfizer-BioNtech, Janssen (Johnson & Johnson), Oxford — AstraZeneca, Covishield — AstraZeneca, Sinopharm, Sinovac & Covaxin
- iii. Passengers (below 6years of age): exempted from testing & quarantine requirements
- iv. Passengers (6 to 12 years): testing requirements are applicable. Quarantine is exempted.
- v. Passengers above 12 years & fully vaccinated with approved vaccines): testing requirements are applicable. Quarantine is exempted.
- vi. All cost associated with testing must be borne by passengers.
- **6.** Passengers above 06 years are required to download BeAware app

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