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## New coronavirus

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## New coronavirus



The wearing of masks has been compulsory on all forms of public transport since 6 July 2020. In addition, travellers from certain regions will have to go into quarantine. Events attended by more than 1,000 people remain prohibited until at least the end of August.

**Quarantine for travellers:** [List of the states and areas with an increased risk of infection](#) (mandatory quarantine)

Infoline for people travelling to Switzerland: +41 58 464 44 88, from 6am to 11pm

**Coronavirus Infoline:** +41 58 463 00 00, 6am to 11pm

**Personal responsibility remains important:** Washing your hands regularly with soap and water and keeping your distance are still the best ways of preventing infection. Continue to observe the [rules on hygiene and social distancing](#) as the coronavirus should not be allowed to spread again.

## News

22.7.20 – Mandatory quarantine on arrival: Updated country list [↗](#)

13.7.20 – News: Salt, Sunrise and Swisscom to send text about the SwissCovid app



### Situation in Switzerland

Cases of coronavirus infections and deaths, epidemiological situation, search for antibodies, advisory body, press conferences, news



### SwissCovid app and contact tracing

SwissCovid app for mobile phones, contact tracing (breaking transmission chains)



### Measures and ordinances

Measures, easing of measures, conditions for reopening, permitted events or activities, still prohibited, criminal provisions, explanations



### Information for travellers

Recommendations for travel abroad, conditions for entry into Switzerland, mandatory quarantine for persons arriving in Switzerland



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## Isolation and quarantine

Explanations of terms, aims of isolation and quarantine, what to do in the event of symptoms and contact with infected persons



## Requirements for sets of precautionary measures

For businesses/institutions, children and schools, gastronomy sector, medical practices, public transport, sport and recommendations for employers



## Informationen für Gesundheitsfachpersonen

Neuigkeiten, Dokumente, Schutzkonzepte und -massnahmen, Umgang mit Erkrankten und ihren Kontakten, FAQs, Contact Tracing



## Protect yourself and others

Rules on hygiene and social distancing: keep your distance, wash your hands, cough/sneeze into a paper tissue/the crook of your arm, stay at home if you experience symptoms, recommendations on wearing masks and working from home



## People at especially high risk

Dangerous underlying medical conditions and how to handle them, visits to care homes





## Recommendations for everyday life

Tips to stay physically active, offerings concerning stress, loneliness or threatening behaviour, smoking, drinking, online gaming and other addictions



## International situation

Cases of coronavirus infections and deaths in neighbouring countries



## Disease, symptoms, treatment

Symptoms of disease, range of illness severity, treatment, COVID-19, new coronavirus



## Health insurance arrangements

Coverage of medical expenses, tariffs and financing



## FAQs, contacts, downloads

Frequently asked questions (FAQs), downloads in various languages, contacts and links





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Information in easy-to-read language and sign language

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