

# Update 7: Egypt - Tightens COVID-19 Restrictions During Festival Holidays to Contain COVID-19 Pandemic

- Egypt announced earlier night-time curfew and halted public transport from May 24 until May 29 during Eid holiday to curb the spread of COVID-19 pandemic
- Night-time curfew will be imposed from 5 pm (EET) to 6 am (EET)
- After Eid, curfew will last from 8 pm (EET) to 6 am (EET), as it was before Ramadan
- All shops, malls, restaurants, entertainment facilities, beaches, and public parks will be closed during this period
- Restrictions on movements will remain in place for at least two weeks afterwards
- Egypt has so far reported 12,229 confirmed COVID-19 cases, including 630 deaths
- Authorities are expected to gradually reopen sports clubs, restaurants, and place of worship from mid-June
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of Health (<http://www.mohp.gov.eg/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Egypt

## Source(s)

<https://www.usnews.com/news/world/articles/2020-05-17/egypt-tightens-coronavirus-restrictions-for-eid-holiday>  
<https://www.middleeastmonitor.com/20200517-egypt-tightens-coronavirus-restrictions-for-eid-holiday/>

## Targets Affected:

Egypt

### Guidance

#### *Actions to consider:*

- Consider implementing suggested actions related to '[Lockdown/Emergency/Extension of Lockdown/Other Restrictions](#)' under the '[COVID-19: Actions to Consider](#)' section below / next page

## Related Alerts

May 15, 2020

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Update 6: Egypt - Announces Three-Stage 'Coexistence Plan' Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

April 30, 2020

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Update 5: Egypt - Extends State of Emergency for Three Months to Fight COVID-19 Pandemic

April 29, 2020

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Update 4: Egypt - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 260 in COVID-19 Cases, Totaling 5,042

April 24, 2020

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Update 3: Egypt - Extends Partial COVID-19 Lockdown During Festival Month with Few Relaxations in Place

April 17, 2020

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Update 2: Egypt - Plans to Extend Night-Time Curfew Next Week to Curb COVID-19 Pandemic Amid Festival Celebrations

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Update 1: Egypt - Extends Lockdown Until April 21, 2020 to Contain COVID-19 Pandemic

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# Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
Immediate	<b>Certain</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	<b>Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
Medium	<b>Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being ready to take proactive actions if and when situation deteriorates further. Examples of Medium level alert events may include unplanned C-level exits, suppliers caught in bribery cases, economy slipping into recession.
Low	<b>Possible in the long-term (after 6 months)</b> - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
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