

Update 9: United States of America - Extends Border Closure for Non-Essential Services with Canada and Mexico Until November 21, 2020

- The United States of America (US), Mexico, and Canada announced to extend border closure for non-essential travel until November 21, 2020
- The extension comes as the US remains one of the worst-affected countries and is reporting the second-highest number of new cases daily
- The US, Mexico, and Canada closed their shared land borders for nonessential travel in March, 2020
- Restrictions do not apply to cross-border workers like health care professionals, airline crews, and truck drivers
- As of now, the country reported 8,456,653 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 225,222 deaths (2.7% of total reported cases), and 5,503,268 recovered (65.1% of the total reported cases)
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult the United States Department of Health and Human Services (<https://www.hhs.gov/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in the United States of America

Source(s)

<https://finance.yahoo.com/news/news-alert-us-canada-mexico-160522603.html>

<https://in.reuters.com/article/us-health-coronavirus-canada-border/canada-and-u-s-border-to-stay-closed-to-non-essential-travel-until-november-21-idUSKBN2741VM>

<https://www.npr.org/sections/coronavirus-live-updates/2020/10/19/925479699/u-s-borders-with-canada-and-mexico-will-stay-closed-another-month>

Targets Affected:

[United States of America](#)

Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

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

Sept. 17, 2020

Medium

Update 8: United States of America - Extends Border Closure for Non-Essential Services with Canada Until October 21, 2020

Sept. 14, 2020

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Update 7: United States of America - Wildfire Adds Further Challenges to Ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic

Aug. 17, 2020

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Update 6: United States of America - Extends Border Closure with Canada and Mexico Until September 21, 2020

July 17, 2020

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Update 5: United States of America - Extends Border Closure with Canada and Mexico Until August 21, 2020

June 27, 2020

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Update 4: United States of America - European Union Likely to Restrict Entry of American Travelers Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

June 26, 2020

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Update 3: United States of America - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 39,818 COVID-19 Cases, Totaling ~2,394,100

June 17, 2020

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Update 2: United States of America - Extends Border Closure with Mexico and Canada Until July 21

June 2, 2020

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Update 1: United States of America - Records 743 COVID-19 Deaths in Last 24 Hours, Total Cases Rise to 1,809,109

Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
Immediate	Certain - 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	Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months) - 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	Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months) - 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	Possible in the long-term (after 6 months) - 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.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a risk element associated with it. Examples of Info level alert events may include launch of new solutions, partnerships signed, industry outlook, positive changes in government policies, announcements regarding launch of software parks/ free trade zones/special economic zones etc.