

# Update 30: Philadelphia, United States of America - Eases COVID-19 Restrictions Starting March 1, 2021

- Philadelphia will partially lift restrictions on events and gatherings starting from March 1, 2021, to align with state health official's recommendations
- Under the new eased restrictions, the indoor venues in Philadelphia with less than 2,000 seats can bump capacity to 10%
- Venues with 2,000-10,000 seats can host 5% capacity. No more than 500 people are allowed at an indoor gathering, while outdoor venues are capped at 2,500 people
- Beginning Monday outdoor diners will be allowed to have up to 6 people from mixed households per table ,the previous restriction was four people from the same home
- Movie theaters in Philadelphia can welcome groups no larger than four and can resume food and drink sales
- Retail store capacity will rise to 20 people per 1,000 square feet
- Senior Centers, which have been closed since March, will open on Monday. Farley said visitors must wear and N-95 mask or double mask with a paper and cloth mask
- As of now, the country has reported 29,202,824 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 524,669 deaths, 1.8% of the total reported cases and 19,632,523 recoveries, 67.2% of the total reported cases
- When compared to the overall population of the country, confirmed COVID-19 cases and fatality rate stands at 8.06% and 0.14%, respectively
- 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://whyy.org/articles/philly-eases-restrictions-for-restaurants-retail-and-sports-venues/>  
<https://www.fox29.com/news/philadelphia-to-relax-restriction-on-events-and-gatherings-on-monday>  
<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/us/>

## Targets Affected:

[Philadelphia - 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 '[Business Recovery/Lifting Restrictions](#)' under the '[COVID-19: Actions to Consider](#)' section below / next page

**Related Alerts**

**Feb. 20, 2021**

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Update 29: United States of America - Extends Travel Restrictions at Land Borders with Canada and Mexico Through March 21, 2021 to Contain the Spread of COVID-19

**Feb. 1, 2021**

**Medium**

Update 28: United States of America - Imposes New Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases; Total COVID-19 Cases Top 26 Million

**Jan. 29, 2021**

**Medium**

Update 27: United States of America - Economy Contracts by 3.5% YoY in 2020 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic; Reports First Case of Infection with South Africa COVID-19 Variant

**Jan. 27, 2021**

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Update 26: United States of America - Reports First Case of New COVID-19 Brazilian Variant; Multiple States Ease COVID-19 Restrictions Despite New Variant Concerns

**Jan. 25, 2021**

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Update 25: United States of America - Extends Non-US International Travel Restrictions; Total COVID-19 Cases Top 25 Million

**Jan. 22, 2021**

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Update 24: United States of America - Imposes New Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases; COVID-19 Deaths Top 400,000

**Jan. 14, 2021**

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Update 23: United States of America - Surpasses 10 Million COVID-19 Vaccinations Nationwide; Extends Border Closure for Non-Essential Services with Canada Until February 21, 2021

**Jan. 13, 2021**

**Medium**

Update 22: United States of America - Plans to Implement Negative COVID-19 Test Requirement on Arrival Starting January 26, 2021

**Jan. 12, 2021**

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Update 21: United States of America - Extends Border Closure for Non-Essential Services with Mexico Until February 21, 2021; Records Over 200,000 New COVID-19 Cases for Seven Straight Days

**Jan. 7, 2021**

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Update 20: United States of America - Total COVID-19 Cases Top 21 Million with Record Hospitalizations

**Dec. 22, 2020**

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Update 19: United States of America - Total COVID-19 Cases Top 18 Million; Congress Passes US\$900 B Relief Package

**Dec. 14, 2020**

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Update 18: United States of America - Extends Border Closure for Non-Essential Services with Canada and Mexico Until January 21, 2021

**Dec. 11, 2020**

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Update 17: United States of America - Increasing Unemployment Claims Adds Further Challenges Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

**Dec. 10, 2020**

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Update 16: United States of America - Daily Reported COVID-19 Deaths Top 3,000 for First Time

**Nov. 30, 2020**

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Update 15: California, United States of America - More Counties Announce New Restrictions Amid Rise in COVID-19 Cases

**Nov. 27, 2020**

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Update 14: United States of America - COVID-19 Cases, Hospitalizations and Deaths Rise Amid Thanksgiving Holiday

**Nov. 19, 2020**

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Update 13: United States of America - Extends Border Closure for Non-Essential Services with Canada and Mexico Until December 21, 2020

**Nov. 18, 2020**

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Update 12: United States of America - Multiple States Tightens Restrictions Amid Rise in COVID-19 Infections

**Nov. 6, 2020**

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Update 11: United States of America - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 121,054 New COVID-19 Cases; Raising National Total to 9,919,522

**Nov. 3, 2020**

Low

Update 10: United States of America - Reports Economic Recovery in Q3 2020 as GDP Increases by 33.1% Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

**Oct. 20, 2020**

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

**Sept. 17, 2020**

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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**

Medium

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

**June 27, 2020**

High

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**

Medium

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

**June 2, 2020**

High

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

**May 3, 2020**

High

United States of America - Ease Restrictions in Over 30 States Amid COVID-19 Pandemic from May 4, 2020; Citizens Step-out Despite Social-Distancing Measures

# 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.
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.