

Update 52: Ireland - Plans to Lift Lockdown Restrictions Effective May 04, 2021

- Micheal Martin announced the reopening plan for Ireland and confirmed that several restrictions will be lifted in the next few weeks
- In May 2021, lifting of restrictions with inter-county travel, hairdressers, and shops reopening all on the cards will be witnessed
- The first of the big changes that come into effect in the construction sector has gotten the go-ahead to return fully
- People who work predominantly outdoors such as window cleaners and maintenance workers can also go back to the workplace
- Inter-county travel will resume and three households or six people will be allowed to meet outdoors, including in gardens
- Hairdressers and barbers will also be allowed to reopen on this date along with galleries, museums, and cultural attractions
- Outdoor training for adults can take place with pods of no more than 15 people and religious services can also start again
- 50 mourners will be allowed to attend a funeral service and 50 guests can attend a wedding service
- Reported COVID-19 stats for Ireland:
 1. Confirmed Cases: 250,290
 2. Deaths: 4,906 (1.96%)
 3. Recoveries: 232,281 (92.8%)
 4. Vaccine Doses Administered: 1,591,888
 5. Fully Vaccinated: 445,326 (9%)
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments

Source(s)

<https://www.corkbeo.ie/news/local-news/coronavirus-ireland-restrictions-lifted-today-20515164>
<http://www.publichealth.ie/>
<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/ireland/>
<https://www.worldometers.info/world-population/ireland-population/>
<https://news.google.com/covid19/map?hl=en-IN&state=6&mid=%2Fm%2F03rt9&gl=IN&ceid=IN%3Aen>
<https://www.irishmirror.ie/news/irish-news/first-two-lockdown-changes-13-24026212>

Targets Affected:

Ireland

Category(s):

Geo-Political Risk

Event:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Incident(s)

Guidance

Actions to consider:

- Consider implementing more detailed actions related to 'Business Recovery/Lifting Restrictions' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

Related Alerts

May 2, 2021

Low

Update 51: Ireland - Hundreds Protest
over Anti-Lockdown Measures

May 1, 2021

Medium

Update 50: Ireland - Adds Five
Countries to Mandatory Quarantine List
to Contain Spread of COVID-19 Virus

April 13, 2021

Medium

Update 49: Ireland - Eases Some of the
COVID-19 Lockdown Restrictions
Effective April 12, 2021

April 10, 2021

Medium

Update 48: Ireland - Adds 16 Countries
to Mandatory Quarantine List to
Contain Spread of COVID-19 Infections

April 5, 2021

Low

Update 47: Dublin, Ireland - Anti-
Lockdown Protest

April 3, 2021

Low

Update 46: Cork, Ireland - Anti-
Lockdown Protest

April 2, 2021

Medium

Update 45: Ireland - Adds 26 Countries
to Mandatory Quarantine List to
Contain Spread of COVID-19 Virus

April 1, 2021

Medium

Update 44: Ireland - Announces
Phased Easing of COVID-19
Restrictions Starting April 2021

April 1, 2021

Medium

Update 44: Ireland - Announces
Phased Easing of COVID-19
Restrictions Starting April 2021

March 27, 2021

Medium

Update 43: Ireland - Implements
Mandatory Hotel Quarantine Measures
for Travelers Arriving from High Risk
Countries

March 21, 2021

Low

Update 42: Dublin, Ireland - Anti-
Lockdown Protest

Feb. 28, 2021

Medium

Update 41: Dublin, Ireland - Anti-
Lockdown Protest Turns Violent,
Adding Further Challenges to COVID-
19 Pandemic

Feb. 27, 2021

Medium

Update 40: Ireland - Implements
Mandatory Quarantine Measures for
Travelers Arriving from High Risk
Countries

Feb. 20, 2021

High

Update 39: Ireland - Reports Three
Cases of New COVID-19 Brazilian
Variant

Feb. 12, 2021

Medium

Update 38: Ireland - Plans to Extend
COVID-19 Measures Until April 2021

Feb. 5, 2021

Medium

Update 37: Ireland - Implements
Mandatory Quarantine Measures for
Travelers Arriving from Abroad

Feb. 3, 2021

Medium

Update 36: Ireland - Reports Highest Death record of 101 COVID-19 Cases, Raising National Total to 198,424

Jan. 26, 2021

Medium

Update 35: Ireland - Extends Lockdown Until March 5, 2021

Jan. 9, 2021

High

Update 34: Ireland - Confirms Three Cases of New COVID-19 Variant from South Africa

Jan. 7, 2021

Medium

Update 33: Ireland - Plans to Implement Negative COVID-19 Test Requirement for Arriving Air Passengers from United Kingdom and South Africa Starting January 9, 2021

Jan. 2, 2021

Medium

Update 32: Ireland - Plans to Lift Flight Service Restriction with United Kingdom Starting January 6, 2021 and Impose Stricter Testing Measures Amid Infectious COVID-19 Strain

Dec. 31, 2020

High

Update 31: Ireland - Re-Imposes Full Scale Lockdown Starting December 31, 2020 After Recording New COVID-19 Cases

Dec. 18, 2020

Medium

Update 30: Ireland - Prime Minister Confirms to Impose Stricter COVID-19 Measures by End of 2020, Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

Nov. 28, 2020

Medium

Update 29: Ireland - Plans to Ease COVID-19 Restrictions Starting December 1, 2020 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

Nov. 26, 2020

Medium

Update 28: Ireland - Plans to Ease COVID-19 Restrictions for Two Weeks Over Christmas Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

Oct. 20, 2020

High

Update 27: Ireland - Reimposes 'Level 5' COVID-19 Restrictions Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

Oct. 19, 2020

High

Update 26: Ireland - Plans to Impose Nationwide COVID-19 Restrictions Starting October 19, 2020 Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

Oct. 16, 2020

High

Update 25: Ireland - Imposes 'Level 4' COVID-19 Restrictions Until November 10, 2020 Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

Sept. 25, 2020

High

Update 24: Donegal, Ireland - Imposes 'Level 3' COVID-19 Restrictions Until October 16, 2020

Sept. 16, 2020

Medium

Update 23: Ireland - Plans to Ease Travel Restrictions to Countries in October 2020 Based on COVID-19 Infection Rate

Sept. 8, 2020

Medium

Update 22: Ireland - Reports Recession as Economy Contracts by 6.1% in Q2 2020

Aug. 23, 2020

Medium

Update 21: Ireland - Extends Lockdown in Kildare for Two Weeks Amid Increase in COVID-19 Cases

Aug. 19, 2020

Medium

Update 20: Ireland - Tightens COVID-19 Restrictions Until September 13, 2020 Amid Surge in Infections

Aug. 17, 2020

Medium

Update 19: Ireland - Raises Concern Due to Highest Daily Increase in COVID-19 Infections Since May 2020

July 25, 2020

Medium

Update 18: Ireland - Likely to Tighten Travel Restrictions for COVID-19 Hot Spots; Quarantine Lifted for Arrivals from 15 Nations

July 24, 2020

Low

Update 17: Ireland - Announces Stimulus Package of ~US\$8.6 B to Support Businesses Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

July 7, 2020

Medium

Update 16: Ireland - Extends Ban on Non-Essential International Travel Until July 20, 2020

June 26, 2020

Medium

Update 15: Ireland - Phase 3 of Easing COVID-19 Restrictions to Commence Starting June 29, 2020

June 25, 2020

Medium

Update 14: Ireland - Plans to Ease Air Travel Restrictions Starting July 2020

June 8, 2020

Medium

Update 13: Ireland - Enters Phase 2 of Easing COVID-19 Restrictions

May 28, 2020

Immediate

Update 12: Ireland - Announces New
Quarantine Restrictions for Overseas
Travelers Until June 18, 2020

May 18, 2020

High

Update 11: Ireland - Resumes Certain
Businesses to Aid Economy Amid
COVID-19 Pandemic

May 8, 2020

Immediate

Update 10: Ireland - Extends COVID-
19 Lockdown for Three Weeks;
Postpones Plans on Easing
Restrictions Amid High Infection Rate

May 2, 2020

High

Update 9: Ireland - Extends COVID-19
Lockdown Until May 18; Plans to Relax
Restrictions in Five Stages

April 22, 2020

Immediate

Update 8: Ireland - Bans Major Mass
Gatherings of Over 5,000 Until August
Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

April 11, 2020

Immediate

Update 7: Ireland - Extends Lockdown
Until May 5, 2020 to Slow COVID-19
Spread

April 8, 2020

Immediate

Update 6: Ireland - Government
Considers Extension of Lockdown
Amid Increasing COVID-19 Cases

April 4, 2020

High

Update 5: Ireland - Central Bank
Predicts GDP Slowdown by 8.3% and
Unemployment Rate of 25%

March 31, 2020

Immediate

Update 4: Ireland - Increase in COVID-19 Cases

March 25, 2020

Immediate

Update 3: Ireland - Announces New Measures in Place Until April 19, 2020 to Control Spike in COVID-19 Cases

March 17, 2020

Immediate

Update 2: Ireland - Steep Rise in Coronavirus Infection Cases

March 11, 2020

Immediate

Update 1: Ireland - Surge in Coronavirus Infection Cases

March 2, 2020

Low

Ireland - Coronavirus Infection Cases

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.