

# European Union Countries - Agree to Lift Travel Restrictions for All United States Travelers

- European Union announced its plans to lift entry restrictions for all US travelers
- Member states have reportedly agreed to lift coronavirus travel restrictions on tourists from eight countries, including the United States
- The whitelist, which permits nonessential travel from outside the bloc, will now reportedly be expanded to include Albania, North Macedonia, Serbia, Lebanon, the United States, Taiwan, Macau and Hong Kong
- EU's whitelist already includes Australia, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Rwanda, Singapore, South Korea and Thailand
- However, it will still be up to individual member states to decide whether to impose additional requirements, such as a negative COVID-19 test or mandatory quarantine period
- Additionally, some EU countries have already started welcoming American visitors
- Supply Wisdom will continue to monitor and issue alerts for any relevant developments

## Source(s)

<https://www.dw.com/en/eu-set-to-lift-entry-restrictions-for-all-us-travelers/a-57915111>

<https://abcnews.go.com/Health/wireStory/eu-members-agree-lift-travel-restrictions-us-tourists-78311366>

<https://www.hindustantimes.com/lifestyle/travel/eu-set-to-lift-non-essential-travel-curbs-for-us-residents-this-week-101623739468998.html>

## Targets Affected:

[Austria](#) - [Czech Republic](#) - [Estonia](#) - [France](#) - [Germany](#) - [Greece](#) - [Hungary](#) - [Ireland](#) - [Netherlands](#) - [Poland](#) - [Romania](#) - [Sofia](#) - [Spain](#)

## 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

# 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.