

Update 31: Thailand - Cambodia Imposes Border Restrictions on Eight Thai Provinces Until August 12, 2021 Amid Surge in COVID-19 Delta Variants; Phuket Bans Travelers from Other Thai Provinces

- On July 29, 2021, Cambodia has imposed movement restrictions for eight provinces bordering Thailand, to curb the spread of the highly contagious COVID-19 Delta variant
- The new restrictions will remain in place until August 12, 2021
- The announcement was taken after several Cambodian migrant workers have returned home from Thailand, which is battling a Delta-fueled COVID-19 wave
- The clampdown in northwest Cambodia includes travel curbs to and from Thailand, and between the eight impacted provinces
- However, the import of goods will still continue from Thailand
- Cambodian migrant workers wishing to return would have to wait until the new restriction ends
- In addition, hospitals in Bangkok and neighboring provinces no longer have beds due to a rapid increase in the number of COVID-19 patients
- Thailand builds large field hospital in a cargo building at one of Bangkok's airports as the country reported record numbers of COVID-19 cases and deaths
- On July 29, 2021, the country reported 17,669 new COVID-19 cases and 165 deaths, it's the highest number since the pandemic began
- Further, Thailand's resort island, Phuket will ban travel from the rest of the country to contain the spread of COVID-19 cases
- The restriction will be effective from August 3, 2021, to August 16, 2021
- People are prohibited from traveling to Phuket with the exception of those transporting essential goods, students, and emergency medical services
- Reported COVID-19 stats for Thailand:
 1. Confirmed Cases: 578,375
 2. Deaths: 4,679 (0.8%)
 3. Recoveries: 381,170 (65.9%)
 4. Vaccine Doses Administered: 15,960,778
 5. Fully Vaccinated: 3,652,990 (5.5%)
- Supply Wisdom will continue to monitor and issue alerts for any relevant developments

Source(s)

<https://www.france24.com/en/live-news/20210729-cambodia-imposes-virus-curbs-along-thailand-border-over-delta-fears>

Targets Affected:

[Bangkok - Thailand](#)

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](#)' and '[Increase in Positive Cases/Deaths](#)' under the '[COVID-19: Actions to Consider](#)' section below / next page

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Related Alerts

July 25, 2021

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Update 30: Thailand - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 15,335 COVID-19 Cases, Raising National Total to 497,302

July 24, 2021

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Update 29: Bangkok, Thailand - Closes Public Spaces Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

July 21, 2021

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Update 28: Thailand - Extends State of Emergency for Two Months Until September 30, 2021 to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

July 20, 2021

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Update 27: Bangkok, Thailand - Orders Businesses to Close for Two Weeks Amid Rise in COVID-19 Infections

July 19, 2021

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Update 26: Thailand - Extends Lockdown in Three Provinces Until August 2, 2021 Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases; Suspends Flights in High Risk Areas Effective July 21, 2021

July 17, 2021

Medium

Update 25: Thailand - Tightens Restrictions Effective July 17, 2021 Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

July 13, 2021

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Update 24: Chon Buri, Thailand - Imposes Night Curfew Effective July 13, 2021 Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

July 10, 2021

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Update 23: Bangkok, Thailand - Imposes Night Curfew in Nine Provinces Effective July 12, 2021 to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

June 30, 2021

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Update 22: Thailand - Plans to Reopen Phuket to Vaccinated Foreign Tourists Effective July 1, 2021; Tightens Restrictions in Bangkok and Several Other Provinces Until July 27, 2021 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

June 28, 2021

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Update 21: Bangkok, Thailand - Reports First Case of Beta Variant of COVID-19

June 26, 2021

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Update 20: Bangkok, Thailand - Imposes Partial Lockdown in High Risk Locations and Closure of Labor Camps Effective June 28, 2021

June 21, 2021

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Update 19: Thailand - Eases COVID-19 Restrictions in Bangkok Effective June 21, 2021; Imposes Lockdown in Three Chon Buri Locations Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

June 17, 2021

Medium

Update 18: Bangkok, Thailand - Plans to Fully Reopen Borders for Visitors Vaccinated Against COVID-19 Effective Mid-October 2021

June 13, 2021

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Update 17: Bangkok, Thailand - Plans to Reopen Businesses Effective June 14, 2021 Due to Decline in COVID-19 Cases

June 7, 2021

Medium

Update 16: Phuket, Thailand - Plans to Reopen International Travel for COVID-19 Fully Vaccinated Tourists Starting July 1, 2021

June 2, 2021

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Update 15: Thailand - Tightens Border Measures Following Lockdown in Malaysia, Effective June 1, 2021 to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

June 1, 2021

Medium

Update 14: Bangkok, Thailand - Reports 1,356 New Cases in Last 24 Hours; Postpones Decision to Ease COVID-19 Restrictions Until June 14, 2021

May 24, 2021

High

Update 13: Thailand - Tightens Border Measures After Detection of Three New COVID-19 Cases with South African Variant

May 22, 2021

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Update 12: Bangkok, Thailand - Reports First Local Cases of Indian COVID-19 Variant

May 17, 2021

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Update 10: Bangkok, Thailand - Eases Dining Restrictions Effective May 17, 2021 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

May 17, 2021

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Update 11: Thailand - GDP Contracts by 2.6% in Q1 2021 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

May 11, 2021

High

Update 9: Thailand - Reports First Case of COVID-19 Indian Variant; Bans Entry of Travelers from Bangladesh, Pakistan and Nepal to Curb the Spread of Infections

May 8, 2021

Medium

Update 8: Bangkok, Thailand - Extends COVID-19 Restrictions Until May 17, 2021 to Contain the Spread of COVID-19 Infections

May 5, 2021

High

Update 7: Thailand - Reports First Case of Brazilian Variant of COVID-19

May 2, 2021

Medium

Update 6: Thailand - Reports Highest Daily Rise of 21 COVID-19 Deaths in Last 24 Hours Since the Pandemic

April 30, 2021

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Update 4: Thailand - Extends 14 Days Quarantine Period for International Travelers Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

April 30, 2021

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Update 5: Bangkok, Thailand - Imposes New Restrictions Starting May 1, 2021 to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

April 26, 2021

Medium

Update 3: Bangkok, Thailand - Imposes New Restrictions Starting April 26, 2021 to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

April 26, 2021

Medium

Update 2: Thailand - Temporarily Suspends All Travelers from India Amid Surge in COVID-19 Cases

April 25, 2021

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Update 1: Thailand - Imposes New Restrictions Starting April 26, 2021 to Curb the Spread of COVID-19

April 22, 2021

Medium

Thailand - Reports Record Death of Seven in Last 24 Hours Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

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.