

Please see PAL updates regarding the following:

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**1. TRAVEL BAN AND ENTRY RESTRICTIONS TO THE PHILIPPINES FROM 30 DECEMBER 2020 TO 31 JANUARY 2021**

The Philippines has added 2 more countries and extended the travel ban until **January 31, 2021** amid the new COVID-19 strain.

Here's everything you need to know about the entry restrictions to the Philippines from December 30, 2020 to January 31, 2021.





**Travelers departing from or who have been to these countries in the past 14 days before scheduled arrival are NOT ALLOWED to enter the Philippines from December 30, 2020 – January 31, 2021**

• United Kingdom	• Ireland	• France	• United Arab Emirates
• United States	• The Netherlands	• Iceland	<i>(effective January 18, 2021)</i>
• South Africa	• Singapore	• South Korea	• Hungary
• Switzerland	• Lebanon	• Jordan	<i>(effective January 18, 2021)</i>
• Italy	• Japan	• Brazil	
• Denmark	• Finland	• Austria	
• Israel	• Norway	• China	
• Portugal	• Canada	• Pakistan	
• India	• Germany	• Jamaica	
• Hong Kong, SAR	• Sweden	• Luxembourg	
• Spain	• Australia	• Oman	

Travelers from countries not on the list and arriving in the Philippines shall undergo existing arrival and quarantine protocols set by the PH IATF-EID

*as of January 15, 2021*




**The following travelers are exempted from this entry restriction**

- ✓ Filipino Nationals
- ✓ Unaccompanied Minor Filipino Nationals under repatriation programs of the government
- ✓ Local or Accredited Non-Filipino Diplomats and International Organizations such as WHO or UN
- ✓ Non-Filipino Dignitaries
- ✓ Medical and emergency cases, including medical escorts, with valid entry visa

*Diplomats and Dignitaries shall undergo arrival and quarantine protocols prescribed under IATF-EID Resolution No. 92.*

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**Modified arrival and quarantine procedures**  
For Filipino nationals and eligible unaccompanied minor (UM) Filipino nationals

- Register to the e-CIF as early as 3 days before departure  
For OFWs and UMs: [e-cif.redcross.org.ph](https://e-cif.redcross.org.ph)  
For non-OFWs and eligible non-Filipinos arriving Jan 11, 2021 onwards: <https://bit.ly/MNLPALeCIF>
- Undergo RT-PCR Test\* upon arrival
- For passengers originating from the listed countries:  
Undergo 14-day mandatory quarantine at a government-designated facility, subject to availability, OR a DOT-accredited hotel for stringent quarantine of your choice and at your own expense  
For passengers transiting through the listed countries:  
Undergo hotel quarantine until negative RT-PCR test results are obtained and complete your 14-day quarantine at home

\* In compliance with PH DOH regulations, non-OFWs and eligible non-Filipinos must be swabbed twice for two specimen samples, but shall only pay for the cost of one RT-PCR Test. Unaccompanied minors shall be turned over to OWWA and DSWD.

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## 2. REQUIREMENT FOR PROOF OF NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST RESULT OR RECOVERY FROM COVID-19 FOR ALL AIRLINE PASSENGERS ARRIVING INTO THE UNITED STATES

Effective January 26, 2021, All travelers aged 2 and older who are departing from any foreign country must present (1) a negative pre-departure test result for SARS-CoV-2, or (2) a written or electronic documentation of recovery from COVID-19 after previous SARS-CoV-2 infection in the form of a positive viral test result and a letter from a licensed health care provider or public health official stating that the passenger has been cleared for travel (Documentation of recovery). The Negative pre-departure test must be a viral test that was conducted on a specimen collected during the 3 calendar days preceding the flight's departure from a foreign country.

For more details, please check this link: [https://www.cdc.gov/quarantine/pdf/global-airline-testing-order\\_2021-01-2\\_R3-signed-encrypted-p.pdf](https://www.cdc.gov/quarantine/pdf/global-airline-testing-order_2021-01-2_R3-signed-encrypted-p.pdf)

### 3. PAL FLIGHTS TO/FROM PUERTO PRINCESA

We are pleased to advise that PAL flies to Puerto Princesa (PPS) 11x weekly to/from Manila, and 2x weekly to/from Cebu.

**For Manila to Puerto Princesa flights:**

- Puerto Princesa City-bound passengers are allowed to take PR2785 on a Wednesday only.
- Provincial –bound passengers are allowed to take any flight.

**For Cebu to Puerto Princesa flights:**

- Provincial –bound passengers are allowed to take any flight.

Please note that moratoriums are sometimes imposed by the Local Government Units (LGUs). Passengers are therefore advised to contact respective LGUs for clarifications.

For more information on travel requirements, please visit: <https://www.philippineairlines.com/en/covid-19/travelingwithintheph>.



**FLIGHTS BETWEEN  
CEBU AND PUERTO PRINCESA**

*Cebu to Puerto Princesa	PR2347 1:50PM	Tuesday and Friday
Puerto Princesa to Cebu	PR2348 3:45PM	



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 PAL Puerto Princesa Hotline (048) 716-5188 | Visit PAL Ticket Office or contact your Travel Agent.

\*Provincial –bound passengers are allowed to take any flight.



**FLIGHTS BETWEEN  
MANILA AND PUERTO PRINCESA**

*Manila to Puerto Princesa	PR2781 10: 00AM	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday
	PR2785 1: 25PM	Daily
Puerto Princesa to Manila	PR2782 12: 10PM	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday
	PR2786 3: 25PM	Daily



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Thank you.