

Nations with lockdowns

Countries that have imposed restrictions due to surges in Covid-19 infections



Total cases



Total deaths



Duration of lockdown



Restriction details

FRANCE

4.89m

97,005

Four weeks from April 3

Nationwide travel restrictions limit people's movements to within 10km of their homes. Schools and non-essential shops are shut, and there is a night curfew.

BELGIUM

902,964

23,302

Four weeks from March 27

Closure of schools, cafes and restaurants, non-essential shops open only by appointment, night-time curfew, non-essential travel prohibited, "outdoor bubbles" of four people.

THE NETHERLANDS

1.32m

16,801

Extended until April 20

Closure of schools, cafes and restaurants, night curfew, secondary school students now have lessons at school at least one day a week, and from April 26, university students will be able to attend at least one day of classes a week.

JAPAN

489,395

9,251

April 5 - May 5

The prefectures of Osaka, Hyogo and Miyagi are under infection control measures which require restaurants and bars to close by 8pm or face fines of up to 200,000 yen (\$2,442). Event attendance is capped at 5,000 people or half the capacity of a venue, whichever is lower, while telework is encouraged.

THE PHILIPPINES

812,760

13,817

April 5 - 11

Capital Manila and the provinces of Bulacan, Cavite, Laguna and Rizal are under an enhanced community quarantine, with a ban on church services and other mass gatherings, 6pm - 5am curfew, restaurants restricted to deliveries and takeouts, non-essential businesses shut.

PAPUA NEW GUINEA

7,406

67

A month from March 22

Schools, clubs and pubs are closed, only essential travel permitted, mandatory face masks in public places.

BANGLADESH

644,439

9,318

Seven days from April 5

Suspension of all domestic flights, rail and waterway services; malls, restaurants, community centres, beaches closed. Only grocery stores, vegetable and fish markets, and pharmacies will remain open. Banks to open for just 2.5 hours on weekdays.

CHILE

1.03m

23,677

Not available

Border closure for a month from April 5 to both residents and non-residents, a ban on purchase or delivery of non-essential items, each person is given only two short-term permits a week to leave the house to buy essentials and exercise outdoors.

SLOVENIA

220,698

4,089

April 1 to April 11

Remote teaching in schools, mandatory wearing of face masks outdoors, except during sports, restrictions on movement and meeting people outside of immediate households, night curfew and closure of non-essential stores.

INDIA

12.68m

165,547

A month from April 5

India's Maharashtra state is on a month-long lockdown with malls, cinemas, bars, restaurants and places of worship shut. Work from home for private offices, night curfew from 8pm to 7am.

NOTE: Figures correct as at 9.30pm yesterday

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