

Guidance

COVID-19: Specified countries and areas with implications for returning travellers or visitors arriving in the UK

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Category 1: Travellers should self-isolate, even if asymptomatic, and call NHS 111 to inform of recent travel.

Category 2: Travellers do not need to undertake any special measures, but if they develop symptoms they should self-isolate and call NHS 111.

The guidance for Italy, Iran, Daegu or Cheongdo (Republic of Korea), Laos, Myanmar, Cambodia and Vietnam applies to individuals who returned from these specific areas on or after 19 February 2020.

Category 1 countries/areas

Category 2 countries/areas

Wuhan city and Hubei Province (China)

Cambodia

Iran

China*

Daegu or Cheongdo (Republic of Korea)

Hong Kong

Any Italian town under containment measures

Italy: north*

Japan

Laos

Macau

Malaysia

Myanmar

Republic of Korea*

Singapore

Taiwan

Thailand

Vietnam

*Except areas of the country specifically referred to in Category 1.