



All Travel Agents Sultanate of Oman.

Date: 29th November 2021.

Dear Trade Partner,

Sub: <u>Guidelines for Travel to India, as per Ministry of Health and Family Welfare,</u> <u>Government of India.</u>

Please be advised the latest guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, for all International Passengers arriving into India with effect from 1st December 2021 (00.00 Hrs. IST). Below are the important points:

- 1) All Passengers travelling to any point in India should:
 - a) Submit **Self-Declaration Form (SDF)** on the online Air Suvidha portal (<u>www.newdelhiairport.in/airsuvidha/apho-registration</u>) before the scheduled travel.
 - b) Upload a **negative COVID-19 RT-PCR report*** in the Air Suvidha Portal. This test should have been conducted within 72 hours prior to undertaking the journey.

* Children under 5 years of age are exempted from both pre- and post-arrival testing. However, if found symptomatic for COVID-19 on arrival or during home quarantine period, they shall undergo testing and treated as per laid down protocol.

- c) Each passenger shall also submit a declaration with respect to authenticity of the report and will be liable for criminal prosecution, if found otherwise.
- d) Passengers originating or transiting from 'at-risk countries' should undergo post arrival testing, quarantine if tested negative, stringent isolation protocols if tested positive, etc. as mentioned in the guidelines issued by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. The details of 'at risk countries' is available on the website of Ministry of Health & family welfare (mohfw.gov.in).

2) All passengers MUST carry Two (2) physical printouts of self-declaration form (SDF) and negative COVID-19 RT-PCR report and present at the time of check-in at Muscat Airport. Screenshots are not acceptable.

- 3) All Passengers should also give an undertaking on the portal or otherwise to Ministry of Civil Aviation, Government of India that they would abide by the decision of the appropriate government authority to undergo home quarantine/self-health monitoring, as warranted.
- 4) All passengers are advised to download **Aarogya Sethu App** on their mobile devices.
- 5) All Passengers travelling to **Tamil Nadu** should carry auto generated TN e-Pass (<u>http://tnepass.tneag.org</u>).
- 6) All Passengers travelling to Kerala must register on the COVID-19 Jagratha Portal prior to commencement of journey through <u>https://covid19jagratha.kerala.nic.in/</u>.

Guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, are attached for reference.

Please disseminate this information to all concerned for compliance. We sincerely appreciate the support of our partners at all times.

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