



# Coronavirus COVID-19

BC Centre for Disease Control | BC Ministry of Health

## Travelling to BC During the COVID-19 Pandemic

### IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBERS

#### Form: Immediate Family Member Travel Direction

According to your answers, you are eligible to travel to Canada to visit your immediate family member. The following information provides an idea of what you need to do to plan, prepare, and safely travel to Canada. Remember, you must follow the Orders of the Provincial Health Officer when you arrive in British Columbia.

#### Before travelling:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gather proof (paper or electronic copy) that you are an immediate family member of the person you are visiting, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Marriage certificate or proof of common-law status; or</li><li>• Birth certificate</li></ul>  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gather proof (paper or electronic copy) that the immediate family member you are visiting is a Canadian citizen or permanent resident, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Canadian passport; or</li><li>• Canadian permanent resident card</li></ul>                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gather proof (paper or electronic copy) that you will be in Canada for at least 15 days, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Return airline ticket</li></ul>  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gather valid travel documents, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Visitor visa; or</li><li>• Passport valid to enter Canada</li></ul>  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <a href="#">Review the requirements for mandatory quarantine from the federal government.</a> There are several things you can and cannot do during quarantine. It is your responsibility to understand these requirements and restrictions.   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Develop a <a href="#">quarantine plan</a> to show how you will quarantine for 14 days when you arrive in Canada. This includes information on where you will stay, how you will get there, how you will obtain groceries or medications, and how you plan to access essential services and medical care. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Review the <a href="#">Orders of the Provincial Health Officer</a> to see what additional measures you will have to adhere to while in British Columbia.   |

#### At the departure airport:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Wear a mask for the duration of travel   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Follow all airline requirements and pass a health check conducted by airline officials                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Tell the airline you are exempt from travel restrictions   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Provide proof that you are an immediate family member of a Canadian citizen or permanent resident                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Provide proof that you are eligible to travel at this time (visitor visa, passport, proof of length of stay in Canada) |

#### Arriving in Canada

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Continue to wear a mask   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Provide contact information to border officials   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Be screened by a border official to assess for symptoms of COVID-19   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Provide proof and quarantine plan when requested by border officials and answer any questions they may have |

#### Quarantine Period

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Continue to wear a mask until you have reached your quarantine location.                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Quarantine for a period of 14 days.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | If you become ill with symptoms of COVID-19, seek a health assessment and follow direction of public health. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | As long as you do not develop symptoms of COVID-19 within 14 days, you may end your quarantine.              |

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If you have fever, a new cough, or are having difficulty breathing, call 8-1-1.



