

# U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS COVID-19 UPDATE Information for Leisure Travelers

June 1, 2020

The Territory's State of Emergency is in effect through July 11, 2020.

Leisure Travel restrictions have been lifted effective June 1, 2020.

# **Travel Guidelines**

- Leisure visitors may travel to the Territory starting June 1, 2020
- Everyone should monitor the United States Customs and Border Protection (CBP), Transportation Security Administration (TSA), and airline websites for travel advisories and other pertinent airline screening guidelines

#### **Airports**

- The Territory's airports are open
- Travelers are advised to contact their airline regarding schedule changes or updates
- Incoming passengers are subject to health screenings and temperature checks to identify potential health risks and may be required to take the COVID-19 test
- Arriving passengers should follow directives ordered by the Governor and should monitor themselves for 14 days

#### **Accomodations Providers**

• Hotels, Bed & Breakfasts, Airbnbs, etc. are accepting leisure guests effective June 1, 2020

#### **Open Door**

- An Open Door policy is in effect as of June 1, 2020
- Facial covering required in all commercial entities; children under two or persons with acute respiratory issues are exempt
- Gatherings are limited to no more than 10 individuals
- Taxis and safari vans may accommodate half their normal capacity
- All businesses are open; except for casinos, gaming facilities and nightclubs
- Indoor/outdoor recreation facilities are open; no food or drink in movie theaters and bowling alleys
- Retail stores are open with no more than 10 persons in the establishment at any time. Grocery stores, "big-box" stores, pharmacies and fuel stations are exempt from the 10-person limit
- Bars and restaurants are open for dine-in patrons, provided that they do not exceed 50
  percent capacity or 50 customers, whichever is less. Tables and bar stools must be six feet
  apart, and dining parties are limited to six or less
- Churches and other houses of worship may conduct services providing they do not exceed a capacity of 50 individuals

## (\*Specific health and safety guidelines apply)

### **Beaches**

Public beaches are open; social distancing must be maintained

Like other destinations experiencing this unprecedented pandemic, the Territory continues to evaluate its policies.

Please stay safe and continue to monitor <u>usviupdate.com</u>.