IMPORTANT TRAVEL UPDATES
for Travellers to Kenya
effective 8th October 2021 - until further notice

Before Travel to Kenya
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Updated: September 2022
BEFORE TRAVEL TO KENYA

✓ Platforms, Vaccinations & Testing requirements

• From 01 September 2022 travellers are no longer required to;
  • Upload PCR Test Certificates / Vaccination Certificates to the Global Haven platform, Verification of requirements will be done via a hard copy or electronic copy
  • Fill in the passenger locator form on the Jitenge Platform unless they are suffering from flu like symptoms
  • Travellers below 12 Years of age are exempt from Vaccination & Testing requirements

Note: All travellers need to adhere to the COVID-19 requirements outlined by their country or airline
MANDATORY TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS

1. Online E-Visa Application
2. Vaccination Certificate
3. PCR Covid-19 Test (if unvaccinated)
4. Online Travellers Health Surveillance Form

✓ Online E-Visa Application

• Online visa applications ahead of travel are mandatory for all travellers (adults and children) from applicable countries. Visas are no longer available on arrival.
• Travellers should visit the www.evisa.go.ke portal to apply for an eVisa when planning their travel.

✓ Vaccination Certificate

• Passengers arriving in Kenya through any point of entry must have a Covid-19 vaccination certificate unless exempt from the requirement.
• Travellers below 12 Years of age are exempt from Vaccination requirements

✓ PCR Covid-19 Test

• Fully vaccinated travellers are exempt from PCR testing.
• Travellers below 12 Years of age are exempt from Testing requirements
• However, each airline has its own rules and regulations concerning ‘Fit-to-Fly’ Covid-19 Certificate issuing and travellers should consult their airline ahead of travel.
Online “Travellers Health Surveillance Form” for International Travellers

- All travellers entering Kenya may be **required to complete a “Travellers Health Surveillance” form on arrival.** The **Travellers Health Surveillance Form**, as completed by arriving international visitors to Kenya, monitors movement into the country. *(note it does not geo-track a travellers’ location).*

- The form requests a flight seat number so this can be completed, **after online check-in** when a seat number has been issued. As a result, you will be encouraged by airline staff not to change your seat during your journey.

- **On arrival,** passengers can also complete the form online if they have access to the internet.

- When completed/submitted online, a QR code is then sent to the email appearing on the form, which the passenger will be obliged to show to the Port Health Official in Arrivals.

- The **“Travellers Health Surveillance form”** can be accessed via the link [https://ears.health.go.ke/airline_registration/](https://ears.health.go.ke/airline_registration/)
On arrival, if travellers are NOT exhibiting typical Covid-19 symptoms:
~ temperature above 37.5°C (99.5°F)
~ persistent cough
~ difficulty in breathing
~ flu-like symptoms
they will be exempt from quarantine.

All arriving passengers on international flights must show:
✓ Traveller Health Surveillance QR code the traveller receives once he/she completed the online Traveller Health Surveillance Form and was issued with a QR code to present to Port Officials.
✓ E-Visa confirmation documentation – where required.

Unvaccinated travellers:
✓ Evidence of a negative PCR test result
✓ will be subject to rapid antigen testing on arrival at a cost of USD30. Any positive results will require a further PCR Test at a cost of USD50 and will be required to self isolate.
Kenya itself as a country no longer requires departing passengers to take a Covid-19 PCR test.

Passengers travelling out of Kenya will require a Covid-19 vaccination certificate.

However, kindly note:

- Each airline has its own rules and regulations concerning ‘Fit-to-Fly’ Covid-19 Certificate issuing and travellers should consult their airline ahead of travel.

- All passengers departing Kenya must ensure they know and abide by the Covid-19 requirements at their destination and/or transit points.
Covid-19 PCR Testing is available across all Saruni properties

For departing travellers, please be aware that this process only applies for onward transit countries or final destinations that require a negative Covid-19 PCR Test Certificate.

- An in-camp testing service is available at Saruni Samburu, Saruni Mara & Saruni Wild and costs US$140 per person. This avoids guests having to cut a safari short by a night in order to conduct the tests in Nairobi.
- Guests staying at Saruni Rhino only and requiring a test can arrange to have it done at nearby Saruni Samburu.
- Testing is done by authorised TTI laboratories and is usually done between 24-48 hours before departure from Kenya to ensure results are returned in time.
- However, the traveller or the agent on behalf of their client should check the requirements of the traveller’s onward destinations/returning countries for how many hours/days beforehand the test should be taken to remain valid on arrival/return. They should advise us of this requirement at the time of requesting the Covid testing as part of the safari itinerary.
### Before Travel to Kenya
- ✔️ Online E-Visa Application
- ✔️ Covid-19 Vaccination certificate
- ✔️ PCR Covid-19 Test (for unvaccinated travellers)
- ✔️ Online Travellers Health Surveillance Form

### On Arrival into Kenya
TO PRESENT TO OFFICIALS ON ARRIVAL:
- ✔️ Covid-19 Vaccination Certificate
- ✔️ Covid-19 PCR test (for unvaccinated travellers)
- ✔️ Traveller Health Surveillance QR code
- ✔️ E-Visa confirmation documentation – where required

### Before Departing from Kenya
- ✔️ PCR Covid-19 Testing based on Airline or Transit Country / Final Destination Country-specific entry requirements

### Departing from Kenya
- ✔️ Passengers travelling out of Kenya will require a Covid-19 vaccination certificate.
- ✔️ Airline or Transit Country / Final Destination Country-specific entry documentation requirements
We hope you have found all these updates and developments useful.

Should you have any further questions, please don’t hesitate to contact our Reservations Team on reservationsteam@saruni.com or by calling: +254 (0)202 180 497.

Thank you, as always, for your support.

The Saruni team