



Countrywide NPIs

1. A detailed stock of the **disease situation in the country and full vaccination status of different cities** was carried out during NCOC session held on **12 November 21**. Considering better vaccination status of populace, forum decided to **“incentivize high vaccination cities through relaxations in NPIs / return to normal life”**. Accordingly, the basis of NPIs for cities have been decided as per following vaccination progress:-

Serial	Vaccination Status	% age - Fully Vaccinated Eligible Population	Qualifying Cities
a.	Excellent Vaccination Progress	50 % and above	Narowal, Jehlum, Mandi Bahauddin, Peshawar, Bhimber, Bagh, Mirpur, Skardu, Gilgit, Ghizer and Islamabad
b.	Good Vaccination Progress	40 - 50 %	Rawalpindi, Sargodha, Sialkot, Mianwali, Kallar Kahar, Hafizabad, Rahim Yar Khan, Karachi, Chitral, Charsadda, Balakot, Jehlum Valley, Rawalakot, Muzaffarabad, Neelum, Hunza and Kharmang
c.	Low Vaccination Progress	Less than 40 %	All remaining cities across country

2. **NPIs in line with fully vaccination status** are attached as **Annex A**. These will remain effective from **16 – 30 November 21** and review will be carried out at NCOC on **29 November 21**.
3. A close monitoring of disease situation is being carried out at NCOC on regular basis and necessary decisions will be taken whenever deemed appropriate to control the disease spread.
4. All concerned are requested to **issue notifications** and disseminate to all concerned at priority, please.

NPIs (EFFECTIVE FROM 16 - 30 NOVEMBER 21)

Ser	Sector	NPIs - Excellent Vaccination Progress Cities (Mandi Bahauddin, Islamabad, Bhimber, Skardu, Gilgit, Narowal, Bagh, Mirpur, Ghizer, Jehlum and Peshawar)	NPIs - Good Vaccination Progress Cities (Balakot, Neelum, Rawalpindi, Chitral, Hunza, Kharmang, Sargodha, Kallar Kahar, Jehlum Valley, Rawalakot, Mianwali, Sialkot, Hafizabad, Rahim Yar Khan, Muzaffarabad, Charsadda and Karachi)	NPIs - Low Vaccination Progress Cities (All remaining cities of Pakistan)	
a.	Gatherings	<p>No specific NPIs, all sectors may return to normal life / business activities while adherence to following:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuation of COVID protocols to include mask wearing, social distancing and hand sanitisation • Mandatory fully vaccination status for availing dining facilities, attendance to wedding events, gatherings, contact sports, shrines, office routine and Gyms etc 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor gatherings capacity increased from 300 to 500 x individuals • Outdoor gatherings allowed for maximum 1000 x individuals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor gatherings allowed with maximum limit of 300 x individuals • Outdoor gatherings allowed with maximum limit of 1000 x individuals 	
b.	Dining		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor dining (including food courts in shopping malls) occupancy increased from 50% to 70% till 11:59 pm • Outdoor dining allowed till 11:59 pm • Takeaways are allowed 24/7 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor dining (including food courts in shopping malls) allowed at 50% occupancy till 11:59 pm • Outdoor dining allowed till 11:59 pm • Takeaways are allowed 24/7 	
c.	Weddings		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor marriages capacity increased from 300 to 500 x guests • Outdoor marriages capacity increased from 500 to 1000 x guests 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indoor marriages allowed with maximum limit of 300 x guests • Outdoor marriages allowed with maximum limit of 500 x guests 	
d.	Business Timings		<p>Market / business activities will continue till 10:00 pm less essential services (Petrol Pumps, Pharmacies, Medical Facilities, Optical and Hearing Aid Centres / Clinics, Vaccination Centres, Milk / Dahi Shops and Tandoors)</p> <p>Occupancy level of Amusement Parks, Water Sports and Swimming Pools increased form 50 % to 70% of capacity. Public parks will remain open under strict COVID protocols</p> <p>Contact sports (Karate, Boxing, Martial Arts, Rugby, Water Polo, Kabaddi & Wrestling) are allowed for fully vaccinated individuals only</p> <p>Shrines are allowed to open for fully vaccinated individuals only</p> <p>Normal working hours with 100% attendance. All employees to be fully vaccinated</p> <p>Continuation of indoor Gyms for fully vaccinated individuals only</p>		
e.	Recreation				Amusement Parks, Water Sports and Swimming Pools to continue activities at 50% of capacity. Public parks will remain open under strict COVID protocols
f.	Sports				
g.	Religious				
h.	Office Routine				
i.	Gyms				
j.	Public Transport			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Occupancy level of Intracity public transport is enhanced from 70% to 100% • Occupancy level of all other public transport less intracity public transport is increased from 70% to 80% • Mask wearing will continue in all types of public transport 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Occupancy level of all types of public transport increased from 70% to 80% • Mask wearing will continue in all types of public transport
k.	Cinemas			Cinemas are allowed to open for fully vaccinated individuals only without time restriction	
l.	Railways	Occupancy level of Rail services increased from 70% to 80% . Mask wearing will continue throughout the journey			
m.	Closed Days	No closed day all over Pakistan			
n.	Extended Lockdowns	Broader lockdowns with stringent enforcement protocols based on risk assessment will continue. NCOC will regularly share heat maps with federating units for implementation of targeted SLDs / mSLDs			
o.	Mask Wearing	Compliance to compulsory mask wearing while incorporating innovative measures for enforcement			
p.	Tourism	Policy of controlled tourism for fully vaccinated individuals will continue and will be ensured by federating units			
q.	Inbound Passengers Policy	Latest inbound passengers policy will continue			
r.	Domestic Air Travel Meals	Meals / beverages will continue to be served during inflight journey for domestic airlines. However, mask wearing will continue throughout the journey			
s.	Education Sector	All types of education institutes countrywide will follow 100% attendance with focused campaign to vaccinate 12 years and above students as per obligatory vaccination regime timeline			

Note: As part of Obligatory Vaccination Regime **only fully vaccinated individuals** can avail dining facilities, attend wedding events / gatherings, visit cinemas, shrines, gyms, offices and participate in contact sports etc all over the country