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## News Flash

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### Ottawa In No Rush To Reopen

**Border:** Business groups and some politicians in both Canada and the U.S. may be leading that charge, but recent polling suggests most Canadians are happy to keep things the way they are – at least for now. Monday, according to the Canadian Press reports via CTV, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau maintained that any relaxing of travel restrictions will be done “carefully and with Canadians’ safety in mind.”



### Ontario Extends Ban On

**Interprovincial Travel Until June 16:** The Ontario government has announced that it has extended its ban on interprovincial travel until June 16 as part of its emergency measures implemented to slow the spread of COVID-19. The ban, which applies to non-essential travel, affects Ontario's land boundaries with Manitoba and Quebec. In an email on Saturday, Stephen Warner, spokesperson for Ontario's solicitor-general's ministry, confirmed the extension, saying the order will

remain in place until June 16 and it is being imposed in 14-day increments.



### Canada Urged to Relax Entry Rules

**for Fully Vaccinated Travelers:** A Canadian advisory body said Justin Trudeau's government should relax its stringent border rules for vaccinated travelers and drop a requirement that international air passengers quarantine in a hotel when they arrive. In a report released Thursday, the Covid-19 Testing and Screening Expert Advisory Panel said it's time for Canada to adopt different entry rules for travelers who've been vaccinated.

### New Brunswick Extends Travel

**Rebate Program To All Of Atlantic Canada This Summer:** The province of New Brunswick has decided to extend its travel incentive program to include all of Atlantic Canada, when the reopening of provincial borders allows. In a release Tuesday, the province said all Atlantic Canadians visiting New Brunswick will be able to claim a rebate under the Explore NB Travel Incentive program. The incentive program provides a 20 per cent rebate on eligible expenses of up to \$1,000. Those expenses can be made while making an overnight stay in New Brunswick between May 27 and Oct. 31. Applications will be open from July 5 to Nov. 30.

### Canada - Travelling Between

**Provinces/Territories:** These provinces and territories have further travel restrictions:

- British Columbia
- Manitoba
- New Brunswick
- Newfoundland and Labrador
- Northwest Territories
- Nova Scotia
- Nunavut
- Ontario
- Prince Edward Island
- Quebec
- Yukon

These provinces and territories have **no** further restrictions:

- Alberta
- Saskatchewan



### Maritime Travel – TravelSmart:

**COVID-19 Health and Safety Resource Center:** Maritime Travel has compiled a one-stop resource for travel managers and travellers, offering accurate and up-to-date information on policies pertaining to all forms of travel. This online portal will consist of categories such as:

- [General Information \(COVID-19\)](#)
- [Government Regulations](#)
- [Air Travel Regulations](#)
- [Hotel Updates](#)
- [Car & Ground Transportation](#)