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Canada Could Reopen Border To Vaccinated Travellers This Summer:

In public remarks Monday, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau gave the clearest indication yet about what plans the federal government has in mind to reopen Canada's border. The two key takeaways from his comments, as reported by the CBC, are that Canada's borders will reopen first to vaccinated travellers, and that, rather than the gates being flung wide open all at once, restarting travel into the country will take place in phases.



Air Canada Posts Sweeping Expansion Of Flights To Domestic, Int'l Destinations:

Air Canada has resumed both domestic and international passenger flights to a growing number of destinations that had been suspended due to the COVID-19 pandemic, as well as restored flights to previously cancelled locations. Air Canada is expected to add more flights as the summer progresses, marking progress in a return to travel even as restrictions remain in place.

Vaccinated Visitors To The Front Of The Line For July 1 Target In N.L. Reopening Plan:

In less than two weeks, Newfoundland and Labrador will begin lifting its long-term COVID-19 restrictions toward reopening to the rest of the country on Canada Day, the provincial government announced Wednesday. In the government's newly released plan, entitled "Together. Again," recreational travel from within Canada will be allowed "as early as July 1" as long as COVID-19 case counts and hospitalizations remain low, and "about" 75 per cent of residents age 12 and up have received at least one dose of vaccine.



Fully Vaccinated Manitobans Will Be Exempt From Self-Isolation After Travelling:

Manitobans will now be able to travel without having to self-isolate for two weeks if they've been fully vaccinated. An immunization card will be provided to individuals two weeks after they've received both doses of a COVID-19 vaccine, Premier Brian Pallister announced Tuesday. People are only considered fully vaccinated once they have waited two weeks after their second shot because that's how long it takes for the vaccine's antibodies to build up.



Oh, Canada Collection:

While we can't travel right now, we remain hopeful that by this summer & fall we'll be out enjoying our own wonderful country. From British Columbia's dazzling mountain lakes, to Ontario's charming wine country, to Atlantic Canada's fun-loving seacoast. At Maritme Travel we have experienced, knowledgeable travel advisors located in magical places from coast to coast. Here are some of their top, local picks for unforgettable vacation experiences in our own back yard- for when the time is right.



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](#)