

Houston welcomes a safe return to travel which includes social distancing, hand washing, face covering and other preventive measures. In Houston, many businesses are now permitted to open at a limited capacity including restaurants, bars, retail, salons, museums and attractions. For more specific information, visit the <u>State of Texas</u>, the <u>City of Houston</u> and the <u>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)</u> resource pages.

Additionally, here are some tips and further information to make your next trip to Houston a smooth and safe one.

# **Airports & Air Travel**

For the most up-to-date information on domestic and international travel restrictions, visit the <u>Texas Department of State Health Services</u> and <u>U.S. State Department</u> travel pages. For updated TSA travel guidelines, visit the <u>TSA COVID-19 information page</u>.



George Bush Intercontinental Airport (IAH) and William P. Hobby Airport (HOU) have made several enhancements to their facilities and cleaning procedures to protect travelers and employees.

Learn more about their FlySafe Houston commitment here.



MASK UP. Travelers are strongly encouraged to wear face coverings inside Houston Airports at all times.

extra clean. TSA now allows one liquid hand sanitizer container, up to 12 ounces per passenger, in carry-on bags. This container will need to be screened separately from other carry-on liquids.

# **Transportation**

Houston METRO, rideshare services and other companies are taking preventative action to protect passengers and drivers. Be sure to verify updated safety policies with individual operators.



#### **METRO**

Safety measures have been implemented to encourage social distancing on local bus routes, light rail, Park & Rides and METROLift. Learn more about the measures, including service modifications, here.

### **Uber**

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New safety measures include verification of face coverings for all riders and drivers. Learn more about Uber's COVID-19 response here.



#### LYFT

Lyft's Health Safety Program requires face masks for all riders and drivers. Learn more about their COVID-19 response here.



#### **YELLOW CAB**

Face masks are required for drivers, and plastic dividers have been added to all cabs for additional safety.



### **Hotels**

Houston's hotel and hospitality community is committed to ensuring the safety and well-being of its guests and employees. In addition to following industry-wide <u>Safe Stay guidelines</u> from the <u>American Hotel & Lodging Association</u>, many hotel brands are implementing further safeguarding initiatives. Learn more below, or explore the <u>Visit Houston hotels page</u> for additional lodging options.

- Best Western
- Choice Hotels
- Drury Hotels
- Hilton
- Hyatt
- IHG Hotels & Resorts
- Marriott
- Motel 6
- Omni Hotels & Resorts
- Red Roof
- Valencia Hotel Group
- Wyndham Hotels & Resorts



## George R. Brown Convention Center

The <u>George R. Brown Convention Center</u> has taken proactive measures in response to COVID-19. Read the GRB's <u>Special Message on COVID-19</u> and learn more about their <u>Health & Safety Plan</u>.



Houston bars and restaurants are now open for limited dine-in capacity, and many also have carry-out, curbside or delivery options available. To ensure everyone's safety as Texas continues to open and more guests are welcomed into dining rooms, the Texas Restaurant Association has created <a href="The Texas Restaurant Promise">The Texas Restaurant Promise</a>. Explore <a href="dining options">dining options</a> on the Visit Houston website, and be sure to verify hours and polices with individual establishments before your visit.

## **Attractions & More**

Houston has something for everyone and offers many attractions unique in size, space and community interaction. Get ideas for <u>things to do</u> on the Visit Houston website and make the most of your experience with <u>Marketplace passes</u>. Be sure to verify hours and information with individual businesses before your visit.







Practice responsible distancing



Wear face coverings in public



Cover coughs and sneezes



Wash hands often



Avoid touching your face

#### **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

World Health Organization
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

State of Texas Coronavirus Resources and Response Houston Health Department Harris County Public Health Visit Houston

