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## COVID-19: Travel Safe – Ethical Adventures

**Safety measures Ethical Adventures implements for all touring and vehicle based experiential offerings for YOUR safety and for that of present and future travellers on tour and in the communities and regions visited.**

**The following measures will be in effect until federal and local government regulatory and health offices have declared the COVID-19 health crises at an end. As the situation changes the following procedures will be updated.**

Guest health and safety are the foremost priority of ethical adventures throughout our operations. By ensuring that ALL possible and reasonable steps are in place to combat the spread and impacts of COVID-19 we endeavour to provide safe, rewarding and healthy touring experience.

As respective governments around Australia and the World begin to build “the road back” to a somewhat normal way of life there is a responsibility of every business and community member to take steps to assist this safe transition with continued vigilance. During this period there also remains the very real possibility that a resurgence of COVID-19 may occur in previously ‘safe areas and activities’ before the local medical and oversight body is aware.

With this in mind ethical adventures has adopted a stringent set of measures to be applied to its land based touring operations outlined below. These measures also act as a condition of participation for guests looking to tour with ethical adventures. Adherence to the measures where applied to guests is mandatory.

### Health & Hygiene Conditions

#### Travelling with Ethical Adventures

##### Pre-departure

1. Pre-departure briefings on safety and hygiene will be conducted for all participants to ensure everyone is aware of what the health and hygiene processes are on tour so they can then be consistently followed.
2. All participants will be required to complete a brief statement that testifies to their current health – (Table 1, attached).

3. All participants will be temperature tested using an electronic ear thermometer with single use tabs prior to boarding the bus. This will be conducted by your guide for the day who will be wearing latex gloves and facemask. Any person who shows unusually (by 1 degree or more from standard) elevated temperature will NOT be permitted to participate in the activity and will instead receive a full refund. THIS IS NON NEGOTIABLE.

### On tour

4. All members of a touring group travelling within a vehicle will be required to wear an N95 grade face mask for the entire travel time within the vehicle. Masks will be able to be removed once exiting the bus and maintaining social distance recommendations.
5. When moving around outside vehicles all participants will be mindful of the 1.5 m recommended spacing between each other with persons travelling together such as families being exempt from this stipulation.
6. Participants will NOT change seats during the course of the experience but rather maintain the same seat throughout.
7. Families and groups travelling together are exempt from interpersonal distance requirements when travelling within the vehicle or outside of the vehicle.
8. When re-entering a vehicle all participants will use hand sanitiser before boarding to maintain vehicle hygiene integrity.
9. When visiting locations all effort will be made to avoid large gatherings of people and interacting with surfaces of high potential for contact spreading of COVID-19 such as hand rails and tables if not able to cleans first with disinfectant.
10. All ethical adventures staff are subject to the above conditions and requirements.

### Food Safety

1. All meals and refreshments will be individually prepared and packaged hygienically following strict food safety requirements. These will be distributed at the appropriate time during the course of the day in single use containers.
2. Water refills will be conducted by your guide who will maintain sterilisation before and after handling your bottle though the use of hand sanitiser.

### Vehicle Cleaning

Vehicles will undergo comprehensive disinfection following each experience is complete. This will comprise of:

- a) Fogging of the interior with COVID-19 grade disinfectant to target hard to get to spots.
- b) Hand wiping with sanitizer of ALL interior surfaces
- c) Sweeping and mopping floors with high grade cleaning and disinfection product.

### NOTE

- a. Luggage and personal affects will be kept to the minimum in the vehicles as per experience recommendation.
- b. Hand sanitizer and face masks will be provided for all experiences by ethical adventures

Each participant must acknowledge that they have read, understood and agree to the requirements of this document as it pertains to health and hygiene actions. This can be done online before the departure by sending this form via email to ethical adventures or on the day verbally and recorded by your guide via video. Failure to agree to these conditions will void the right to undertake the experience. No refund will be supplied if a participant refuses to agree to these conditions on the day of said activity.

**Table 1. Table of participation**

I **agree / disagree** to undertake all actions / requirement / conditions set out above regarding health and hygiene whilst participating in an ethical adventures experience.

I further testify that I **AM / AM NOT** to the best of my knowledge currently a carrier for COVID-19 and have no reason to believe that I may be a carrier and am healthy in this regard.

Date:

Please mark 'X' for answers

Name	Agree	Do Not Agree	I AM	AM NOT