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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 constantly under revision in response advice from government regulatory and health officials.

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

These measures also act as a condition of participation for guests looking to tour with ethical adventures. Adherence to the measures is mandatory for participation in the experience.

Health & Hygiene Conditions

Travelling with Ethical Adventures

Pre-departure

1. All participants will be required to acknowledge that they are fit and healthy for the purposes at the commencement of the experience. This will be asked prior to departure on the day of departure. Verbal confirmation only.
2. All participants will be offered an N95 face mask when first being met by ethical adventures staff for the experience.
3. Pre-departure briefings on the safety and hygiene processes throughout the experience will be conducted for all participants prior to departure.
4. Any person who presents as unwell (symptoms consistent with COVID-19) will be refused entry to the experience. There will be NO refund for those refused at the point of departure.
5. Persons cancelling within 24hours of departure for a single day or less experience but NOT within 1 hours of the experience will receive a full refund if their reason for doing so is health related. Cancellations within 1 hour of departure incurs full loss of payment.

On Tour

6. All members of a touring group travelling within a vehicle will have access to N95 grade face mask for the entire travel time within the vehicle.
7. Zip loc plastic bags will be available to store individuals face mask if required.
8. When moving around outside vehicles all participants will be mindful of the 1.5 m recommended spacing between others not on the same experience as them.
9. Participants will NOT change seats during the course of the experience but rather maintain the same seat throughout.
10. All participants to face forward whilst traveling in the vehicles.
11. All guest must cough or sneeze in a way to reduce aerosols being created.
12. Families and groups travelling together are exempt from interpersonal distance requirements when travelling within the vehicle or outside of the vehicle.
13. When re-entering a vehicle all participants will use hand sanitiser before boarding to maintain vehicle hygiene integrity.
14. Hand sanitiser to be located at multiple locations in the bus to allow for frequent application.
15. When visiting locations all effort will be made to avoid other non-associated gatherings of people and interacting with surfaces of high potential for contact spreading of COVID-19 such as hand rails and tables.
16. All surfaces to be used for eating or sitting to be cleaned with COVID safe disinfectant.
17. All ethical adventures staff are subject to the above conditions and requirements.

Food Safety

1. All meals and refreshments will be prepared with single use gloves and distributed at the appropriate time during the course of the day individually. Often this will involve single use containers.
2. Water refills will be conducted by your guide who will maintain sterilisation before and after handling your bottle.

Vehicle Cleaning

Vehicles will undergo comprehensive disinfection (with hospital grade disinfectant) following each experience is complete. This will comprise of:

- a) Hand wiping with sanitizer of ALL interior surfaces
- b) Sweeping and mopping floors with high grade cleaning and disinfection product.

All vehicles will also be subject to regular 'fogging' of the interior according to specifications to allow for further efficacy of the cleaning regime.

Presenting as sick during an experience

Anyone presenting as sick during the experience will be ferried back to Darwin by the most appropriate means available. Ethical Adventures will arrange this if required however any additional costs associated with this is not included in the price of your

experience and will be at your expense solely. Ethical Adventures highly recommends travel insurance that will cover such eventualities.

NOTE

- a. Luggage and personal affects will be kept to the minimum in the vehicles as per experience recommendation and kept with the guest or on their designated seat at all times.
- 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 ticking the appropriate box found within the registration process or on the day verbally. 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 or if they fail the health requirements for the experience.

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