



CORONAVIRUS IN SLOVENIA: UPDATE

Dear students,

As per the Government of Republic of Slovenia, the country has been hit with the second wave of Coronavirus.

This is to update you with new restrictions to limit the spread of coronavirus:

1. **30-day epidemic** is prolonged for the entire Slovenia until 17 December 2020.
2. **Gatherings of more than six people is prohibited**

Persons who are not relatives or from the same households are not allowed to socialise at all. Gatherings of more than six persons are prohibited.

All events, public gatherings, weddings (with exceptions allowed) and religious ceremonies are temporarily suspended.

3. **Restrictions of movement**

Movement is restricted between 9.00 p.m. and 6.00 a.m., except the following cases:

- averting imminent danger to health, life or property,
- travel to and from work and the performance of urgent work-related tasks,
- access to and provision of emergency services.

4. **Travel between statistical regions**

It is not allowed to travel between statistical regions; however, there are a few exceptions related to work, emergency situations and services, family assistance and farm work. One should thus stay within own statistical region (Podravska region).

Exceptions to cross municipality borders are listed [here](#). To move to other municipality, one is obliged to write a self-statement, demonstrating reasons for crossing borders of municipalities. The sample of the statement is to be found on the bottom of the page (link above).

5. **Mandatory use of masks in all indoor and outdoor public places & sport**

It is also advised to use masks when taking a walk, however, sport activities may be executed without masks, considering appropriate distance from people.

6. Closure of bars and restaurants

All food and beverage service-providers are closed, however, it is allowed to take-away or order food online. Many restaurants provide delivery service.

7. Closure of non-essential shops, kindergartens and schools and hotels

Only grocery, cosmetic, agriculture and pet shops, as well as pharmacies remain open. Selected banks and post offices operate normally.

8. Public transportation suspended

All public transport is suspended, with the exception of taxis.

9. The border regime

Persons who arrive from a red-listed country are still able to end quarantine prematurely if they get tested, but they need to quarantine for at least five days. To avoid quarantining one has to demonstrate a negative test on arrival that was not done more than 48 hours ago. Read updates about border-crossing policy [here](#).

International office continues to be available for further assistance and information at goran.gumze@almamater.si and nusa.veber@almamater.si.

Best regards & stay healthy,

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