

# Information on Covid-19

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## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### — How can companies keep doing business during COVID-19?

Since May 11th, 2020, a progressive easing of lockdown restrictions comes into force throughout metropolitan France and in the French overseas territories.

**As of June 2nd, the second phase of the national easing lockdown restrictions, personal and professional travels are no longer subject to bearing a special certificate (for more information on transnational travels, please visit [welcometofrance](https://www.welcometofrance.com)).**

This second phase should bolster economic and social recovery. Therefore, it applies to all companies:

- Businesses were already able to reopen on May 11, while complying with social distancing rules.
- Numerous activities that were previously on lockdown or severely restricted will resume, either totally or partially, as of June 2: cafés, restaurants, campsites or other touristic venues, parks and gardens, museums, large zoos, theme parks and theatres.
- Activities still presenting a serious sanitary risk will remain on lockdown at least until 21 June and are namely cinemas, team and contact sports, clubs, stadiums and games rooms.

The strategy on gradually lifting restrictions set up by the Government provides support measures for companies so that the resumption of activity allows for the safety and health of employees.

A national Protocol, published by the Ministry of Labor, sets forth measures to help and support companies and associations, regardless of their size, activity and geographical location, to resume their activity while ensuring the protection of their employees' health in accordance with a set of universal rules.

**For more information, please visit:**

<https://travail-emploi.gouv.fr/actualites/l-actualite-du-ministere/article/coronavirus-questions-reponses-pour-les-entreprises-et-les-salaries>

<https://www.gouvernement.fr/info-coronavirus#partie7n5>

<https://code.travail.gouv.fr/dossiers/ministere-du-travail-notre-dossier-sur-le-coronavirus>

<https://travail-emploi.gouv.fr/actualites/presse/communiques-de-presse/article/protocole-national-de-deconfinement-pour-les-entreprises-pour-assurer-la>