



Travelling well



Advice for Baillie Lodges New Zealand-based lodge: Huka Lodge

Advice for Baillie Lodges guests

It's wonderful to be able to travel again after a pause due to the pandemic and we're looking forward to welcoming you to stay at Huka Lodge. We have put together the following information as a guide for preparing to travel safely and as advice for action in case you or your companion tests positive to Covid-19 during a stay at Huka Lodge.

Please note it's each of our individual responsibility to stay up to date with current regulations and to act with the safety and wellbeing of fellow guests and the broader community in mind. Please see useful links below.

If you are travelling to New Zealand from overseas, information from the New Zealand Government on preparing to travel to New Zealand can be found [here](#). In good news, as at June 21, 2022, the New Zealand Government has announced the following updates regarding Covid-19:

- You do not need proof of a negative COVID-19 test to enter New Zealand.
- Most travellers need to be vaccinated and take two Rapid Antigen Tests (RATs) after arriving in New Zealand.

For **travel within New Zealand**, a 'traffic light' system of requirements for travelling in the pandemic has been established and the whole of New Zealand currently at the cautionary 'orange light' with details available [here](#). Masks are still required to be worn on flights, and it's recommended to continue to wear a mask in populated or busy areas including on public transport or in the airport.

Preparing to travel

Please note, it is highly recommended to have an up-to-date travel insurance policy which covers Covid-19 when travelling to or around New Zealand. Please ensure you have ready access to your electronic copy (on your phone) or paper of your current complete vaccination certificate. Please note there are separate regulations relating to children and for those with medical exemptions.

It's helpful please to also bring a personal supply of Rapid Antigen Test (RATs) for your trip in case you are feeling unwell. In the interests of all travellers, we would appreciate it if you would complete a self-administered Rapid Antigen Test 24 hours prior to leaving home. If you are unwell please advise the Baillie Lodges reservations team asap. We recommend not travelling if you are unwell.

Testing positive during your stay at Baillie Lodges

If you test positive to Covid-19 during your stay you will need to complete a **mandatory seven-day isolation** period and comply with the regulations issued by the New Zealand Ministry of Health, [here](#). The Huka Lodge reservations team will assist you in securing your isolation accommodation and making any other travel arrangements as needed OR you can liaise with your travel agent for assistance.

Meals may be delivered to your suite and please liaise with the lodge team for housekeeping requirements as any washing can be bagged and left outside your door for collection.

Your travel insurance policy will be needed to cover any extra nights' accommodation at Huka Lodge. We can provide invoices for accommodation to assist with the claim. Please note Huka Lodge will not cover the cost of any other non-medical or medical costs associated with Covid-19, however the lodge team can assist with accessing medical assistance should it be needed.