

## **TIMELINE FOR RESUMPTION OF PUBLIC ACTIVITIES DURING GRADUAL EXIT FROM EXISTING RESTRICTIONS FOR COVID-19 IN SRI LANKA**

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A general timeline in which resumption of activities can take place is given below. All resumed functions would have to strictly follow the new normal behaviours. General Measures would apply to all functions listed. **The timeline is given based on the current low level of COVID-19 transmission in the country.** The timeline is subject to review as appropriate based on disease transmission pattern. In the event of an area becoming higher risk, the timeline will be adjusted for that area.

The timeline below is coded as follows;

	<b>Black – No operations</b>
	<b>Red – Higher restrictions (service providers and/or the recipients to be restricted to less than 50% of capacity with strong adherence to DREAM)</b>
	<b>Blue – Restricted (service providers and/or the recipients to be restricted to less than 75% of capacity with strong adherence to DREAM)</b>
	<b>White – Normal operations with strong adherence to DREAM</b>

This timeline presented from 8<sup>th</sup> June 2020 in Table 1.

Table 2 gives a further description of these activities.

**Table 1: Timeline for gradual resumption of activities in lower risk areas**

Public activity / service category		June 8 - 14	June 15 - 21	June 22 - 28	June 29 – July 5	July 6 - 12	July 13 - 19	July 20 - 27	July 27 – August 2	August 3 - 9	August 10 - 16	August 17 - 23	August 24 - 30	August 31 – September 6	
		To be practiced throughout													
<b>General Measures</b>	Physical Distancing D														
	Respiratory Etiquette RE														
	Hand Washing A														
	Face Masks M														
<b>Transport (should NOT exceed the maximum seating capacity)</b>	Public														
	Private taxi services														
	Service delivery														
<b>Government offices</b>															
<b>Private sector offices and other (formal)</b>	Supermarkets														
	Shopping Malls														
	Financial institutions (banks, finance companies, pawning centres etc)														
	Clothing/textile shops														
	Agriculture based														
<b>Private/ Other</b>	Grocery														
	Open market/fairs														
	Economic centres														
	Bakery														
	Street vendors														
	Filling stations														
	Construction sites														

Timeline for resumption of public activities – Ministry of Health & Indigenous Medical Services

Public activity / service category		June 8 - 14	June 15 - 21	June 22 - 28	June 29 – July 5	July 6 - 12	July 13 - 19	July 20 - 27	July 27 – August 2	August 3 - 9	August 10 - 16	August 17 - 23	August 24 - 30	August 31 – September 6
	Barber and Beauty Salons	■	■	■	■									
	Furniture, Electrical, Hardware stores													
	Laundry													
	Tailors and dressmakers													
	Communication/ photocopy shops	■	■	■	■									
<b>Law enforcement</b>	Courts	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Prison	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Health sector</b>	Government Hospitals													
	Private Hospitals													
	General practitioners													
	Pharmacy													
	Laboratory													
<b>Education</b>	Day cares	■	■	■	■									
	Preschools	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Schools	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Higher education centres including universities	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Tuition classes	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Social functions</b>	Weddings	■	■	■	■					■	■	■	■	■
	Funerals	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Parties indoor	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Parties outdoor	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Public gatherings	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■

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	Places of worship	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Boarding houses	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Recreation</b>	Gymnasiums, indoor sports halls													
	Walkways													
	Cinemas, theatres	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Children’s parks	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Carnivals, musical shows, beach parties	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Swimming pools/beach													
<b>Entertainment</b>	Restaurant (dining in)	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Restaurant (take away/delivery)													
	Pubs, and bars	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Wine / liquor shops	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Casino, night club	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Betting centres	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Spas	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Day rooms and home stays	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
	Hotels, rest houses and guest houses	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	■

**Table 2: Detailed timeline**

Public activity / service category		Instructions for re-opening
<b>Government offices</b>		Can function at less than 50% staff capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
<b>Private sector offices and other (formal)</b>	Supermarkets	1.5m <sup>2</sup> of available walking space can be considered as adequate for 1 person. less than 75% of the total number customers can be allowed at the moment, adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Shopping Malls	1.5m <sup>2</sup> of available walking space can be considered as adequate for 1 person inside the individual shops. less than 75% of the total number customers can be allowed at the moment, adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020. Gatherings are not allowed.
	Financial institutions (banks, finance companies, pawning centres etc)	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given.
	Clothing/textile shops	1.5m <sup>2</sup> of available walking space should be considered as adequate for 1 person. Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Agriculture based	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
<b>Private/ Other</b>	Grocery	Can function at less than 75% capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Open market/fairs	Can function at less than 75% capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Economic centres	Can function at less than 75% capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Bakery	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Street vendors	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Filling stations	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Construction sites	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Barber and Beauty Salons	Can function at less than 75% capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Furniture, Electrical, Hardware stores	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Laundry	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given

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Public activity / service category		Instructions for re-opening
	Tailors and dressmakers	Can function at full capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Communication/ photocopy shops	1.5m <sup>2</sup> of available walking space can be considered as adequate for 1 person. Can function at less than 75% of the total capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
<b>Law enforcement</b>	Courts	Can function at less than 75% of the capacity depending with adjustment to the internal procedures
	Prison	Visitors to be restricted up to less than 50%. Can increase up to less than 75% from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
<b>Education</b>	Day cares	Can function at less than 75% capacity adhering to the instructions given. Can be fully functional from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Preschools	Currently closed. Can function at less than 50% of capacity from 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 onwards adhering to the instructions given. Suggest alternative day mechanism.
	Schools	Currently closed. Can function at less than 50% of capacity from 29 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 onwards adhering to the instructions given once declared ready by Ministry of Education
	Higher education centres including universities	Currently closed. Can function at less than 50% of capacity from 15 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 onwards adhering to the instructions given
	Tuition classes	Currently closed. Can function at less than 50% of capacity from 29 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 onwards adhering to the instructions given
<b>Social functions</b>	Weddings	Can be held with less than 50% of the seating capacity of the hall up to a maximum of 100 guests till 2 <sup>nd</sup> August 2020.
	Funerals	Taking all possible precautions to minimize the number attending less than 50% of the capacity of the premises adhering to the instructions given
	Parties indoor	Not allowed till 5 <sup>th</sup> July. Can be held at less than 50% capacity from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020.
	Parties outdoor	Not allowed till 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2020. Can be conducted with maximum 50 persons with physical distancing and participants should be known
	Public gatherings	Not allowed till 14 <sup>th</sup> June 2020. Can be conducted at less than 50% of the seating capacity of premises up to a maximum 30 participants from 15 <sup>th</sup> June onwards. The organizers of gathering are responsible for maintaining an attendance with the relevant contact details in order to trace the participants if needed.

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Public activity / service category		Instructions for re-opening
	Places of worship	Not opened to the public till 14 <sup>th</sup> June 2020. No collective activities or gatherings (except for weddings) as per the instructions given. After 15 <sup>th</sup> June number of devotees at a given time should be restricted to less than 50% of the capacity of the premises, with a maximum of 50 people at any given time and strictly adhering to the instructions given.
	Boarding houses	Can function at less than 50% of the capacity adhering to the instructions given
<b>Recreation</b>	Gymnasiums, indoor sports halls	Can be opened adhering to the instructions given
	Walkways	Can be opened adhering to the instructions given
	Cinemas, theatres	Not allowed till 5 <sup>th</sup> July 2020. Can be opened at less than 50% capacity from 6 <sup>th</sup> July 2020 adhering to the instructions given
	Children's parks	Can be opened at less than 50% capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Carnivals, musical shows, beach parties	Not allowed till 2 <sup>nd</sup> August 2020. Can be conducted at less than 50% capacity afterwards adhering to the instructions given
	Swimming pools/beach	Can be opened adhering to the instructions given
<b>Entertainment</b>	Restaurant (dining in)	Can be opened at less than 75% of the capacity of the premises adhering to the instructions given
	Restaurant (take away/delivery)	Can be opened adhering to the instructions given
	Pubs, and bars	Can be opened at less than 50% capacity of the premises adhering to the instructions given
	Wine / liquor shops	Can be opened at less than 50% capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Casino, night club	Not permitted to open
	Betting centres	Can function at less than 50% of the capacity adhering to the instructions given
	Spas	Not permitted to open
	Day rooms and home stays	Not permitted to open
	Hotels, rest houses and guest houses	Can function at less than 50% of the capacity adhering to the instructions given