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The State Railway of Thailand (SRT) has announced the relocation - effective from 19 January, 2023, of 52 long-distance, rapid, and express train services from Bangkok's Hua Lamphong Station to the new Krung Thep Aphiwat Central Terminal. From this date onwards, tourists will need to catch their trains to other destinations throughout Thailand from the Krung Thep Aphiwat Central Terminal, while the inbound trains to Bangkok will also arrive here. This includes 14 train services to the North, 20 to the South, and 18 to the Northeast (Isan). For more information please visit <https://www.tatnews.org/2023/01/thailands-long-distance-trains-to-operate-from-new-bangkok-rail-hub-from-19-january-2023/>

Thailand continues to welcome all international tourists under the fully-reopen-to-tourism policy

TAT would like to clarify that Thailand continues to welcome all international tourists under the fully-reopen-to-tourism policy that was introduced on 1 October, 2022.

Thailand's Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Public Health, H.E. Mr. Anutin Charnvirakul, said "International travellers arriving in Thailand are not required to show proof of vaccination."

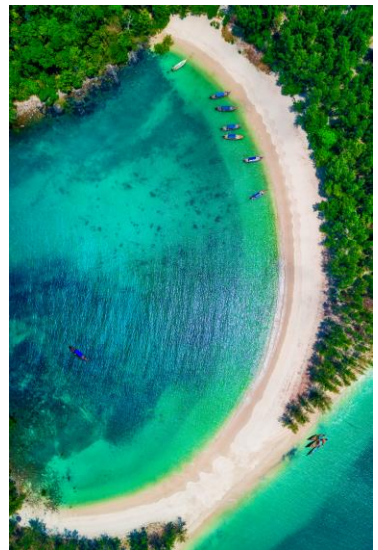
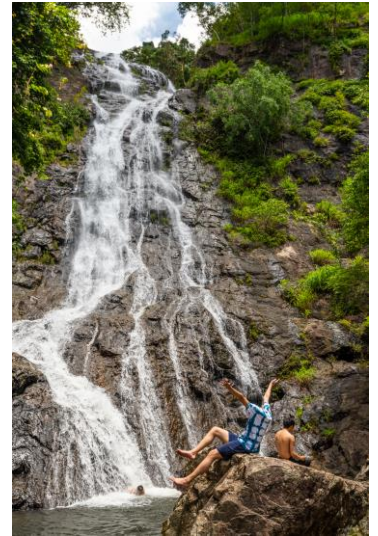
In addition, foreign tourists are not required to show ATK or RT-PCR test results.

As part of the full reopening to tourism, Thailand is also offering a longer period of stay for visitors. Effective through to 31 March, 2023, the period of stay is extended to 45 days (from 30 days) for tourists from countries/territories entitled for visa exemption, and to 30 days (from 15 days) for those eligible for a Visa on Arrival (VOA).

However, while Thailand is welcoming all visitors, a visitor source market may require incoming visitors including their own nationals returning home to have a negative PCR result.

Thus, Thailand is aiming to correspond with rules of these countries and does require COVID insurance for visitors from these countries or visitors to Thailand continuing on to these countries, in the case they test positive while in Thailand. Among such countries are China and India.

With the 'Visit Thailand Year 2023: Amazing New Chapters' campaign, tourists the world over are invited to experience the kingdom's myriad of wonderful existing and new tourism experiences, products and services.



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