

To all passengers during the pandemic

***Ministry of Health
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Disease Control Section***

Try safe fly

After any international travel we urge you to monitor your health. There is a small chance that during your travels you could have been exposed to infectious diseases such as avian influenza, gastroenteritis or malaria. It is very important that if you become unwell in the weeks following your travel that you and your doctor consider your recent destinations as a possible source for your illness.

In particular, if you become ill with a fever accompanied by a cough or difficulty in breathing in the next two weeks, contact a doctor or hospital immediately and tell them about your symptoms and recent travel. Wear a mask and it will minimize the spread of your infection to others.

TO THE DOCTOR

The patient presenting this information sheet has recently traveled overseas and we urge you to consider this in your clinical assessment. If you suspect that this patient has a serious infection acquired overseas, please contact Public Health Directorate-Communicable Disease Unit on 17279214. Extra information is available on the Ministry of Health website at- www.ai.health.gov.bh