**Los Cabos Tourism Board**

**COVID-19 Reactive Statement**

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**Containment protocols in place at the SJD International Airport**

The Los Cabos Tourism Board has been proactively working with national and local health authorities to ensure the safety of all travelers who are currently visiting the destination. We want to reassure all visitors that everyone’s health and safety is our top priority, and we have implemented enhanced procedures to control the spread of COVID-19 at the SJD International Airport:

REACTIVE

* Baja California Sur has installed sanitary filters at all points of entry to conduct passenger wellness checks including the following:
  + 1 before the x-ray filters in the Terminal 1
  + 1 filter in the FBO right before customs
  + These filters will have both medical personnel and state police present.
  + Starting on April 20th, 2020, the international terminal (Terminal 2) at the Los Cabos International Airport is temporarily closed due to lowered activity. All air traffic activities will be coordinated from terminal one. This new measure does not restrict any flight activty to the airport, which is expected to return to normal operations on July 15th, 2020.
* There are thermal cameras and travel background checks on all arriving passengers that will be done in coordination with other state airports, ports and land entry points.
* There are containment measures in place should a passenger register an abnormally high temperature and exhibit potential symptoms of the virus.
* Background checks for all passengers to confirm where they have traveled in the past 14 days.

Other filters throughout Baja California Sur:

As part of the epidemiological surveillance actions, the following additional sanitary filters have been installed in all ports (Pichilingue and Santa Rosalía); four international airports (San Jose del Cabo, La Paz, Loreto and Cabo San Lucas); roads entering the state (the Tanspeninsular highway near San Ignacio). At these filters, medical personnel will review the body temperature of those who arrive and if a suspicious case is found, they will be brought to healthcare specialists to be attended to further, in strict adherence to the WHO action protocols.

Thereare confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Los Cabos. All confirmed cases have been in quarantine and are under close medical supervision to avoid the spread of the virus. Real-time updates of COVID-19 in Baja California Sur can be found here: <https://coronavirus.bcs.gob.mx/english/>.