

Statement Border opening will take place August 1

Costa Rica's air border will reopen to international tourism on **August 1, 2020**. Tourists from countries where there is no widespread transmission of the SARS-CoV-2 virus, which is being analyzed, will be allowed to enter the country.

The reopening will take effect as of August 1 for the Juan Santamaría International Airport and for the Daniel Oduber International Airport in Liberia. Both airports are already prepared with protocols and sanitary security measures to receive passengers who use its terminals to enter and leave the country.

The Costa Rican Tourism Institute (ICT) in partnership with the private sector, designed 16 protocols for hotels, restaurants, tourist transportation, aquatic activities, tourist guides and wellness tourism, among others. These protocols are already approved and were delivered to the Presidential House repository.