

**Relaxation Arrangements for Group Gathering Restrictions  
under the “Vaccine Bubble”**

**A. Newly added exempted group gathering**

<b>Exempted group gathering</b>	<b>Mandatory requirements</b>
Group gatherings of not more than 30 persons each during tours organised by licensed travel agents and registered with the Travel Industry Council of Hong Kong	The relevant working staff accompanying and receiving the local group tours must have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine <sup>1</sup>

**B. Group gathering restrictions to be relaxed**

	<b>Types of group gatherings</b>	<b>Existing limits on persons allowed in/capacity of premises for group gatherings</b>	<b>Relaxation arrangements</b>	
			<b>Mandatory requirements</b>	<b>The limit on persons allowed in/capacity of premises for group gatherings upon relaxation</b>
1	Wedding ceremonies where no food or drink is served (except as part of religious ritual)	20 persons	All persons aged 16 or above participating in the group gathering must have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine <sup>2</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50 persons (indoor premises)</li> <li>• 100 persons (outdoor premises)</li> </ul>
2	Business meetings held in order to comply with any Ordinance or other regulatory instrument such as annual general meetings	20 persons		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50 persons (indoor premises)</li> <li>• 100 persons (outdoor premises)</li> </ul>
3	Religious gatherings where no food or drink	30% of the normal		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 50% for indoor premises</li> </ul>

<sup>1</sup> If the relevant frontline staff are unfit to receive COVID-19 vaccination because of health reasons, they must make a declaration by using the specified form available on the COVID-19 Thematic Website and produce a medical certificate to the licensee operating the tour or a person authorised by the licensee, and undergo a polymerase chain reaction-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 using combined nasal and throat swabs within 7 days prior to receiving the relevant group tours and present the negative test result to the licensee.

<sup>2</sup> The requirement that participants of the group gatherings must have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine does not apply to participants aged 15 or below. If participants aged 16 or above of the group gatherings are unfit to receive COVID-19 vaccination because of health reasons, they must make a declaration by using the specified form on the COVID-19 Thematic Website and present a medical certificate to the organiser of the group gathering or the premises operators. These two categories of participants (except those aged 5 or below) must present a negative result of a polymerase chain reaction-based nucleic acid test for COVID-19 conducted within 14 days prior to or on the day of participating in the group gathering.

	is served (except as part of religious ritual)	capacity of the premises		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 100% for outdoor premises</li></ul>
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