

Group gatherings exempted from Cap. 599G*(Effective from 22 July 2021)*

1. Group gathering for the purposes of or related to transportation
2. Group gathering for performing any governmental function
3. Group gathering for performing any function of a statutory body or an advisory body of the Government
4. Group gathering at a place of work for the purposes of work
5. Group gathering for obtaining or receiving hospital or healthcare service at a healthcare facility
6. Group gathering of persons living in the same household
7. Group gathering for—
 - (a) the conduct of proceedings in a court, magistrates' court or tribunal;
 - (b) the performance of any function of a judge or judicial officer; or
 - (c) the conduct of any other business of the Judiciary
8. Group gathering necessary for the proceedings in the Legislative Council or a District Council
9. Group gathering during a funeral, or during any other occasion for mourning for or remembering a deceased who has yet to be buried or cremated (including any ritual or ceremony held in the vicinity of the place where the deceased died or suffered fatal injury to mourn for the death of the deceased)
10. Group gathering held for imparting information or skills, or handling supplies or items, that are conducive to the prevention and control of the specified disease

Exempted Group Gatherings under “Vaccine Bubble”

	Types of group gathering	General limits on persons allowed in/capacity of premises for group gatherings	Arrangements under “Vaccine Bubble”	
			Mandatory requirements	Corresponding limit on persons allowed in/capacity of premises for group gatherings
11.	Religious gathering (other than a wedding ceremony) held at a place of worship where no food or drink is served (except as part of a religious ritual)	50% of the normal capacity of the premises	Two-thirds of all participants must have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine	100% of the normal capacity of the premises (irrespective of indoor or outdoor)

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12.	Tour organised by licensed travel agent(s) and registered with the Travel Industry Council of Hong Kong	30 persons	Two-thirds of all participants must have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine All frontline staff must have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccine ¹	100 persons

¹ If the relevant 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 a proof of the negative test result to the licensee.