

STATE DISASTER MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

UNIT FOR OTHER RELIGIONS (UNIFOR)

UPDATED 23 JULY 2021

NATIONAL RECOVERY PLAN – PHASE 2 (SARAWAK): SOP FOR HOUSES OF WORSHIP

ACTIVITIES ARE SUBJECTED TO THE FOLLOWING:

- Priests/Monks/Caretakers have completed their 2nd Vaccination 2 weeks prior to re-opening.
- Unvaccinated members are not encouraged to attend worships
- Size of Houses of Worship and 1 Meter of Physical Distancing
- Compliance to the COVID-19 Prevention & Control Protocol (Appendix A)

NO.	ACTIVITY	PHASE 2
1	Opening of Houses of Worship	 From 6.00 am to 8.00 pm Attendance of 50% or a maximum of 50 Persons whichever is lower
2	Opening of Administrative Offices	From 8.00 am to 5.00 pm50% of total staff
3	Weddings in House of Worships	Maximum attendance of 25 Persons
4	Administrative Meetings	Maximum attendance of 12 Persons
5	Activities Not Allowed	 Seminars, Courses, Cultural Activities and any other activities not listed in this SOP



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APPENDIX A: COVID-19 PREVENTION AND CONTROL PROTOCOL

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NO.	ACTION	DESCRIPTION
A)	COVID-19 INFECTION PREVENTION MEASURES	 Display information relating to new norm practices Prepare counter for checking body temperature, usage of hand sanitiser and attendance registration Mandatory use of face mask and frequent hand cleansing with either soap and water or hand sanitisers Scheduled sanitisation of frequently touched areas in the premises
B)	CONTROL AND DETECTION	 Individuals who are unwell or having symptoms of FEVER, COUGH, SORE THROAT, FLU OR BREATHING DIFFICULTIES are NOT ALLOWED to enter the premises Senior citizens and individuals suffering from chronic diseases are NOT ENCOURAGED to enter the premises Children aged 12 years and below are NOT ALLOWED to enter the premises Maintain at least 1 meter of physical distancing at all times Ensure ample ventilation Attendance to be registered through MySejahtera or by filling in the attendance book



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C)	RESPONSIBILITIES OF MEMBERS	 Senior citizens and members with chronic illnesses are not encouraged to be present or participate in religious activity Children aged 12 years old and below are not allowed to be present Members who are unwell or having a temperature of more than 37.5 degree Celsius are not allowed to be present or participate in religious activity Members are to maintain at least 1 meter physical distancing, wear face mask at all times and frequently clean their hands with either soap and water or hand sanitisers Members are to avoid handshakes or any other form of physical contacts Members are to leave immediately after the religious activity ends
D)	RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF WORSHIP	 Prepare a counter for checking of body temperature, registration, cleaning of hands and wearing of mask Designate only one (1) entry point and one (1) exit point Ensure that members who are unwell or having a temperature of more than 37.5 degree Celsius are not allowed into the premises Ensure that all members present register their attendance through the MySejahtera application or by filling in the attendance book Ensure that all members maintain at least 1 meter of physical distancing, wear face mask at all times and frequently clean their hands either with soap and water or with hand sanitisers Ensure that members leave the House of Worship immediately after the religious activity ends Appoint at least one person to monitor the implementation and adherence to the SOP in force