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# Travelport Launches Free COVID-19 Smartpoint Plugin

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The screenshot shows the Travelport Smartpoint application window with the COVID-19 Smartpoint Plugin (v1.0.0.8) open. The plugin interface includes a map view and detailed information for the United Kingdom (73.15% restriction score). The information provided includes:

- Area Lockdowns:** Nationwide lockdown with start 23 March 2020 to TBD.
- Quarantine Measures:**
  - National restriction trend:** As of 01 July 2020 Oxford government restriction tracker deem United Kingdom to be 73.15 on a scale between 0-100, with 0 being no restrictions and 100 full lockdown. There is no change (0.00%) from 24 June 2020 and no change (0.00%) from 17 June 2020.
  - National movement restrictions:** partially banned. Restrictive measures mandatory between 18 June 2020 to TBD. In Scotland people who are shielding can now go out to exercise. From tomorrow shielding people can take in non-contact outdoor activities (e.g. golf). They can also meet people from other households outdoors, in groups of no more than eight.
  - Non-essential shops closure:** partially closed. Restrictive measures recommended between 29 June 2020 to TBD. More shops reopen in Scotland.
  - Events stop:** banned. Restrictive measures mandatory between 08 June 2020 to TBD. Small outdoor weddings allowed in N Ireland.

Info provided by: SAFETURE

(Travelport)

**Travelport**, a technology company serving the global travel industry, launched the **COVID-19 Smartpoint Plugin**. The plugin provides travel agencies with the latest information on government restrictions, lockdowns and safety measures across the globe—all within the advisor workflow. It is available free of charge to all Travelport

customers globally, using **Travelport Smartpoint 8.2** or above and can be downloaded directly from **Travelport Marketplace**.

The new tool provides detailed information on a range of topics, including lockdown rules, entry requirements and quarantine measures for travelers. Country-level information can be displayed at the click of a button, allowing agents to advise their customers easily and instantly.

A video demonstration of how the plugin works, can be found here:

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#### Travelport COVID-19 Plugin



The information in the Travelport COVID-19 Smartpoint Plugin is provided by global travel safety intelligence provider, **Safeture**, and is updated daily.

The plugin is the latest Travelport initiative to arm travel advisors with the safety information they need and to support a safe, healthy and responsible return to travel. In recent months, Travelport has:

- Created what's touted as the travel technology industry's first **COVID-19 Resource Hub**; compiling information such travel supplier policy trackers, relevant news and guides; to-date, the company has registered more than 80,000 visits to the hub
- Contributed to the formation of various **World Travel & Tourism Council** protocols aimed at supporting a strong industry recovery
- Helped airlines to use the **Travelport Rich Content and Branding** merchandising solution to communicate safety information to travel advisors
- Worked with hotel groups to utilize descriptive space on the **GDS** screens to communicate safety information

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