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### Malaria

#### These changes apply to the Geographical Disease Risk Index

Please amend the Malaria entries for the countries listed below.

#### India

*Malaria:* **Yes**

All year in affected areas. Due to the complexity of the distribution the map below should be used: [Malaria Map - Current \(from January 2021\)](#). Visitors to 'Low to no risk' areas (pale pink) only, accept.

*Malaria Risk Category:* **B**

*Previous Malaria Risk:* Yes all year whole country until May 2012  
[From June 2012 until December 2020](#) – link to previous malaria map.

*Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk:* No

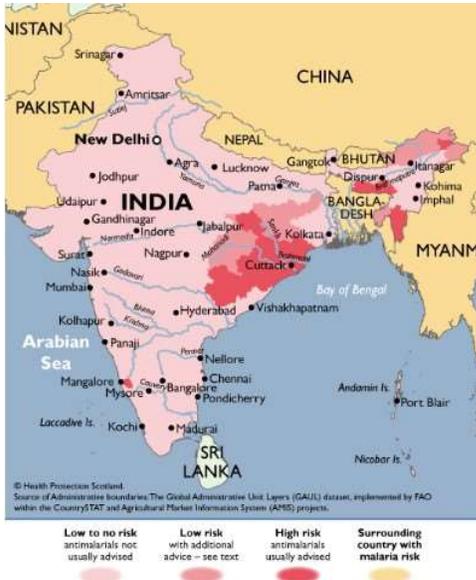
*Sub Saharan Africa:* No

*West Nile Virus Risk:* No

*Tropical Virus Risk:* **Yes** Chikungunya Virus, Dengue Virus and Zika Virus

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**Malarial Map: Current (From January 2021)**



This map shows malaria risk to be applied from January 2021. The map must always be used in conjunction with the malaria advice text. Map downloaded from <http://www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk> on 27 November 2020.

**N.B.** For change notification text only. The map below will be on a separate page and only accessible by using the link provided in the “Previous Malaria Risk” section]

**Malarial Map: Previous (From June 2012 to December 2020)**

*(This map must **NOT** be used to assess current malaria risk)*



This map shows the malaria risk to be applied from June 2012 to December 2020. Map downloaded from <http://www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk> on 01 October 2015. Adapted with permission. [Return to current India entry](#)

## South Africa

**Malaria: Yes**

There is an all year risk in some rural areas in the North East of the country including the Kruger National Park, and Limpopo Transfrontier Park, Hans Merensky Nature reserve and Nwanedi National Park.

**No risk in Sun City.**

**Malaria Risk Category: B**

**Previous Malaria Risk:** Yes all year whole country until **Feb February** 1996

Yes all year **NE areas** North East of the country until **Sept September** 2006

**Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk:** No

**Sub Saharan Africa:** Yes

**West Nile Virus Risk:** No

**Tropical Virus Risk:** Yes Chikungunya Virus

### Malarial Map



This map is only intended as a guide and is not exact. The map must always be used in conjunction with the malaria advice text. Map downloaded from <http://www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk> on 27 November 2020

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