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Thailand

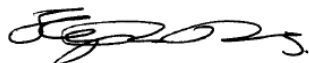
This change applies to Geographical Disease Risk Index (GDRI).

Please amend the following sections of this entry:

Thailand

<i>Malaria</i>	<p>Yes</p> <p>All year in areas along the borders – refer to map. There is also risk in inland areas of Surat Thani province.</p> <p>Visitors to all other areas including the cities of Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Chiang Rai, Pattaya, Phuket and the islands of Ko Samui and Ko Chang and the River Quai bridge area, accept</p> <p>All year in areas along the borders and in inland areas of Surat Thani province – refer to the map.</p> <p>From October 2021, there has been an outbreak of malaria in the Ranong, Songkhla and Trat provinces, including the island of Ko Chang. A risk should also be applied to these areas. (Note: an updated map is not available, therefore these areas are not shown in red on the map below).</p> <p>Visitors to all other areas including the cities of Bangkok, Chiang Mai, Chiang Rai, Pattaya, Phuket, the island of Ko Samui and the River Quai bridge area, accept</p>
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	B
<i>Previous Malaria Risk</i>	Yes all year whole country until May 2012
<i>Trypanosoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	No
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No

<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes Chikungunya Virus, Dengue Virus and Zika Virus
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