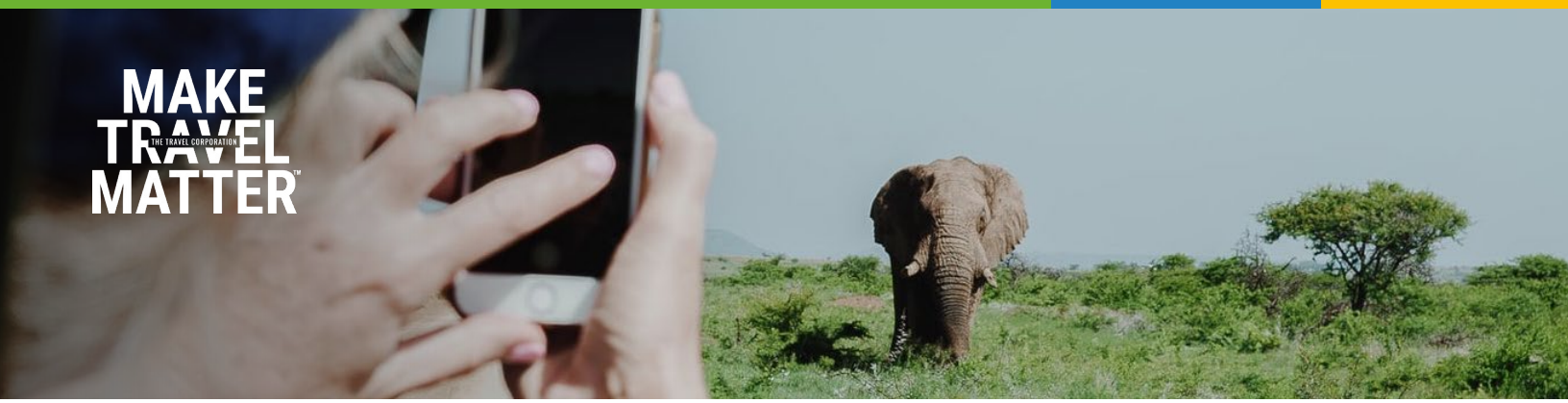

ANIMAL WELFARE

Every year millions of animals suffer in the tourism industry from wildlife rides offered or being made to perform for human entertainment. This is animal cruelty and TTC has a strict **Animal Welfare Policy** to prevent this from happening during experiences where our travelers interact with animals.

Please do not allow travelers to touch, feed, ride or take selfies with wild animals.

INSTEAD DO THIS

Encourage viewing animals from a safe distance.

Offer experiences that are allowed under our Animal Welfare Policy.

Ensure animals are respected.

All wildlife experiences across The Travel Corporation (TTC) and its portfolio of brands must adhere to our Animal Welfare Policy, which is based on the Five Domains of Animal Welfare.

NUTRITION: Animals must have access to sufficient, balanced, varied and clean food and water.

ENVIRONMENT: Animals must have a comfortable environment in order for them to thrive, this includes appropriate: temperature, substrate, space, air, odor, noise and predictability.

HEALTH: Animals must be in good health, have an absence of disease, injury, impairment and a good fitness level.

BEHAVIOUR: Animals must be provided varied, novel and engaging environmental challenges through sensory inputs, exploration, foraging, bonding, playing, retreating.

MENTAL OR AFFECTIVE STATE: By presenting positive situations in the previous four functional domains, the mental state of the animal should benefit from predominantly positive states, such as pleasure, comfort or vitality, while reducing negative states such as fear, frustration, hunger, pain or boredom.

Read the full policy **here**.

DIDYOUKNOW?
Guests are encouraged to contact us at **animalwelfare@ttc.com** if they feel a wildlife experience does not adhere to this policy and we will immediately investigate.

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