



Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, international guidelines have been published to reduce the risk of COVID-19 spreading on board our ships during the cruise boarding and disembarkation phases and to provide additional precautionary measures to respond to any cases of COVID-19 among guests.

Based on these recommendations:

Persons who require dialysis, suffer from severe respiratory insufficiency, need oxygen therapy and who are unable to wear surgical masks **will not be permitted to board**.

Persons over the age of 65 or those of any age suffering from pre-existing severe medical conditions such as: coronary heart disease, atrial fibrillation, heart failure, high blood pressure, type 2 diabetes, chronic lung disease, chronic liver disease, chronic kidney failure, autoimmune diseases, obesity or ongoing cancer treatment **should consult their doctor before booking, and on the understanding that the points indicated in no. 3 do not prevent users from booking and boarding**.

All guest **aged 2 and above embarking in an Italian port** will be subject to **a body temperature check and an antigen test** at the terminal to confirm they are COVID-19-negative before embarkation.

IMPORTANT: those who live in one of the risk areas or have been in close contact (less than 2 metres away for more than 15 minutes) **with people living in one of the risk areas**, in the 14 days prior to embarkation, must go to the terminal for embarkation at least 5 hours before the ship's scheduled departure time so that **they can take the RT-PCR molecular swab test**. The test is required for embarkation and will be mandatory for guests over the age of 2. To view the list of hotspots (first page) or the countries from which boarding is not permitted (second page), [CLICK HERE](#).

All the guest embarking in Marseille and Barcelona will undergo the RT-PCR test at the terminal prior embarkation.

Costa Cruises reminds you that:

- Anyone entering Italy from foreign countries or overseas (excluding San Marino and the Vatican City) **must complete the Passenger Locator Form before entering Italy**, by logging into the [website](#) (choose "Italy" as the destination country).
- Anyone entering Spain must complete the FCS form by connecting to the website <https://www.spth.gob.es/> (available in English, French, Spanish and German). **Condition not required for transit**.

Is always recommendable to check official Government websites to verify entry requirement for each country.

Furthermore, as additional preventive measures:

- guests **on a 7-day cruise will undergo a diagnostic antigenic swab test mid-cruise**. This procedure will be mandatory for guests over 6 years of age. The costs of the test will be borne entirely by Costa.
- at the time of boarding, on board and during shore excursions, passengers, even if vaccinated, must act in compliance with the procedures stipulated for social distancing, the use of surgical masks (or superior type) and the safety protocols implemented by Costa Cruises.

By reading this document, the customer accepts responsibility for any omissions when revealing existing or previous health conditions.