

Policy: COVID-19	Implementation Date: 11/1/20	Revised Date: 2/1/22
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**Purpose:** The purpose of this policy is to outline procedures and responsibilities of guests and crew of Sailing Kuma Too LLC prior to, during, and after operating a crewed yacht charter in the Virgin Islands during the COVID-19 Pandemic.

### **Guest Requirements, Expectations, Responsibilities**

#### Pre-Arrival

- Obtain negative COVID-19 test within 5 days of travel to the USVI
- Passengers 5 years and over to complete Travel Screening Portal with personal information, health questionnaire, and recent travel history
- Portal will issue an approval email that will be required upon arrival and for entry into the USVI
- Portal: <https://usvitavelportal.com/>
- **A positive COVID test does not constitute Force Majeure cancelation; therefore Travel Insurance is highly recommended, as a refund is unable to be issued for a last minute cancelation.**

#### While Traveling

- Bring original document of Negative COVID-19 test
- Remember to have mask for travel and shore days
- Travel with disinfecting wipes to wipe down all surfaces around airplane and taxi seats
- Use hand sanitizer after touchpoints such as railings, elevator buttons, escalator handles, and/or store purchases
- Use disinfecting wipes to retrieve luggage from conveyor belt
- Wash hands frequently while traveling
- Avoid touching mouth, face, eyes and nose

#### Upon arrival to Kuma Too

- Meet with verbal greetings rather than handshakes or hugs
- Sanitizing station provided on board
- Shoes and luggage left on dock for Captain to spray with disinfectant before bringing aboard
- Once onboard, guests are encouraged to change their clothes then wash their hands with soap and water
- Disinfecting wipes are provided for electronic devices to be cleaned daily
- Masks are not required for duration of charter
- Guests are reminded to practice good hygiene habits for duration of vacation regardless of government mandates

### **Crew Requirements, Expectations, Responsibilities**

- Following industry [standard COVID-19 Best Practices](#) and [ServSafe National Restaurant](#) guidelines
- Crew is expected to wash hands regularly and before any food or drink prep or other guest hands on interaction
- Keep daily log of location and any shore visits
- Hand sanitizer carried in dinghy to be used when guests board from shore excursions
- Cabins and bathrooms sprayed with disinfectant regularly and complete daily maintenance.
- Regular sanitization of all touch points using disinfecting wipes including, but not limited to, deck hand holds, coolers, trash bins, sunscreen and bug spray bottles, and door handles

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- Sanitizing station in salon with hand sanitizer, disposable masks, disinfecting wipes
- Electronic devices cleaned daily with disinfecting wipes
- Masks are not required for duration of charter

**In the event guest or crew develops symptoms during the charter:**

- The Captain's authority referred to in the Charter Contract (Clause 8 or Clause 12) authorizes the Captain to request a COVID test of anyone exhibiting symptoms or to cancel a charter in the event that someone aboard tests positive.
- Masks will be required to be worn
- 6-foot rule implemented as able
- Charter re-routed to St. Thomas COVID-19 testing or FDA-approved at home test completed
- Walk-in COVID-19 test performed at the USVI Department of Health (at Charterer expense or billed to insurance)
- Quarantine on board until results received (by end of day)
  - Negative test: charter continues with good hygiene etiquette
  - Positive test:
    - **Charter ends immediately. No refund is issued for trip interruption due to COVID; therefore Travel Insurance is highly recommended.**
    - Guests put ashore in accommodation to quarantine (at Charterer expense)
    - Non-symptomatic guests and crew complete test the following day
- More details from [VIPCA and V.I. Department of Health](#)