



Guidelines for MICE Events & Gatherings **IN THE MALTESE ISLANDS**

Your Planning Partner

Know what to expect and plan ahead - We have gathered the info you need about Covid-19 measures, rules and regulations.

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Due to the rapidly changing circumstances, the protocols listed here may change at any time . Whilst we try to update the info as quickly as possible, we suggest you to [contact us](#) before going ahead with your plans.

AIRPORT & FLIGHTS



Flight Schedule

Click [here](#) for the latest Flight Schedule.

Before you go

Passengers travelling to Malta are required to be in possession of:

- A completed **Passenger Locator and Health Declaration Form, AND**
- For passengers aged 12 and over: A valid **vaccination certificate** which is recognised by the Superintendent of Public Health.



Travelers arriving in Malta without a vaccination certificate are subject to mandatory quarantine.

MORE DETAILS [HERE](#).



At the Airport

Safety measures have been put in place for all passengers and employees at the airport. Click [here](#) to view all the safety measures at the airport.

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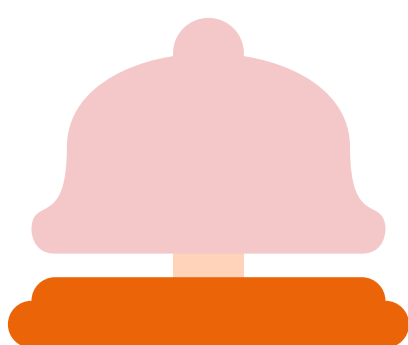


ACCOMMODATION



Rosselli- AX Privilege

RECEPTION



Reception staff & porters practicing **physical distancing, regular hand sanitising & wearing masks.**

Sanitising wipes for guest luggage for use by guests & porters.

Contactless Payment Methods available.

Temperature control on entrance with isolation of those with temperature more than 37.2 Celsius/ 98.96 Farenheit.

Alcohol dispenser made available.

Central Key Card Deposit Box for collection & disinfection of room keys.

ROOMS

Hand Sanitiser either available as a bathroom amenity or for sale in minibar.

Guest room **decluttered** of unnecessary items.

Enhanced **disinfection** of high contact surfaces.





Kempinski Hotel San Lawrenz

ACCOMMODATION

PUBLIC AREAS



- Documented, **hourly anti-viral disinfection** of high hand-contact areas.
- No air flow dryers or revolving cloth towels. **Disposable paper towels** only.
- **Elevator social distancing** enforced (2m distance per person). Only people in same party should use elevator together, otherwise one person at a time.

DINING

- **Buffet services** can be offered based on the principle of no customer manipulation and intervention. Buffet service shall be fully assisted, i.e. staff will handle plates and food from behind full acrylic/ glass screens.
- Hotel catering outlets follow the same protocols of restaurants.



MAINTENANCE



Establishments need to produce maintenance and testing documents relating to microbiological & chemical water analysis and provide records of maintenance and operation procedures for dishwashing, laundry equipment and air conditioner maintenance.



Image: Taste History

RESTAURANTS

SERVICE



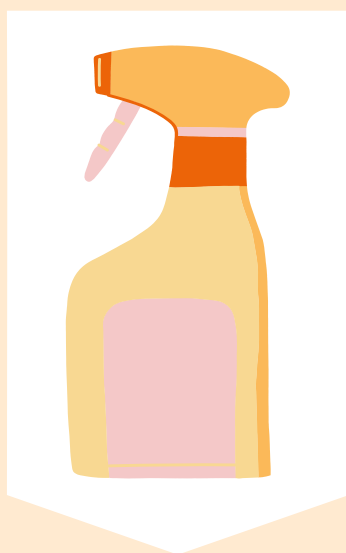
Extended service time to avoid guest crowding.
No self-service dispensers or counters.
Contact details of 1 person per group is kept for 4 weeks and stored by date and time of visit.
 Staff to wear **masks or visors**.

ON THE TABLE



Use of **disposable** condiments and **single use** items instead of bottles and containers.
Minimal material on tables for effective disinfection.
 Tables & chairs to be **disinfected** after each use.
Menus are replaced with single use ones and/or QR codes.

HYGIENE



All dishes, silverware, and glassware used in every table sitting need to be **washed and disinfected** including items that have not been used.
Tablecloths & napkins are changed after every sitting.

General hygiene and safety protocols are the same as those for accommodation. For the full list click [here](#).



Restaurants are open until
midnight



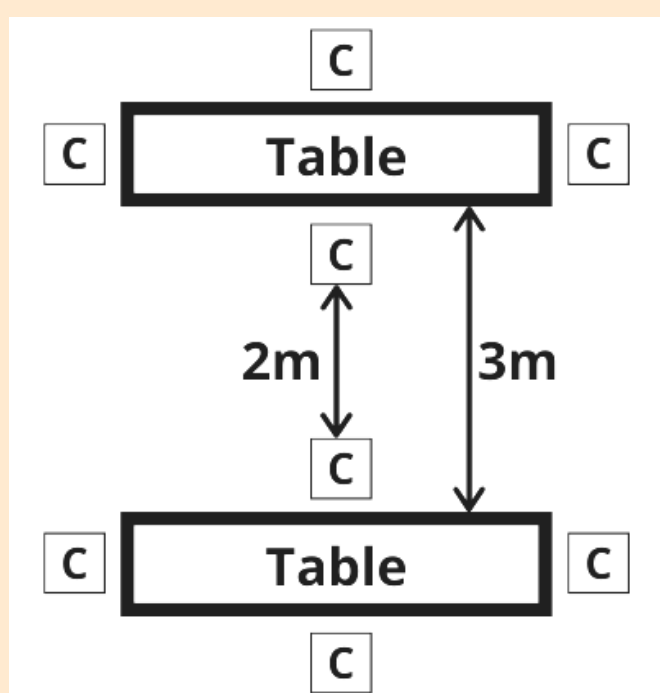
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Maximum persons
per table



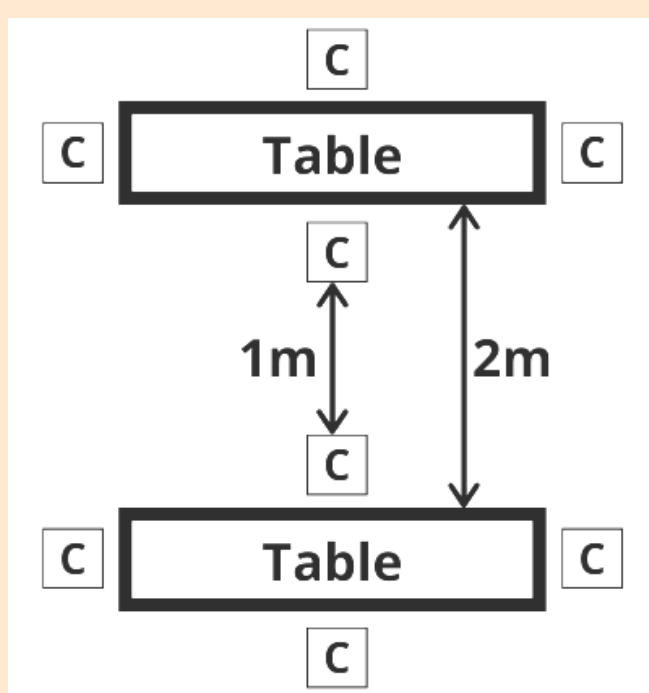
DISTANCE BETWEEN TABLES

INDOORS



1 client per 4sqm

OUTDOORS



Different protocols apply for restaurants allowing only
vaccinated persons. [Info here](#).

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those for accommodation. For the full list click [here](#).



OPEN

Bars and Clubs are open and following restaurant protocols.



Stand-up events are allowed
Refer to
Events & Gatherings
section





Image: Malta Bus Coop

TRANSPORTATION



TAXIS

- Keep all **windows open** wherever possible.
- **Sit in the back**, preferably behind the passenger seat to create physical distance.
- Drivers are encouraged to consider adding a **partition** behind the front seats.
- If possible **pay online or with a contactless card**.
- Drivers are encouraged to **clean and disinfect** the car regularly.



COACHES & MINIBUSES

Coaches and vans operate at up to **65% of their maximum capacity**.



BUSES

- **Maximum limit** of passengers on the bus has been reduced.
- **Be guided** by the stickers on the floor of the bus.

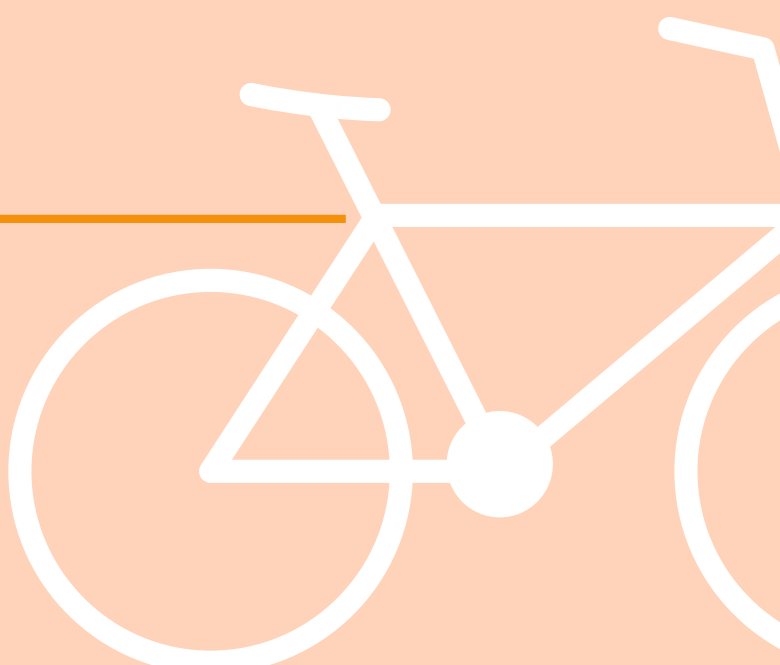




Image: HERA Cruises

TRANSPORTATION

Make use of
sanitisers
on board.

Air conditioning systems
in vehicles can be switched on,
avoiding the recirculated air option for
the vehicle's ventilation.

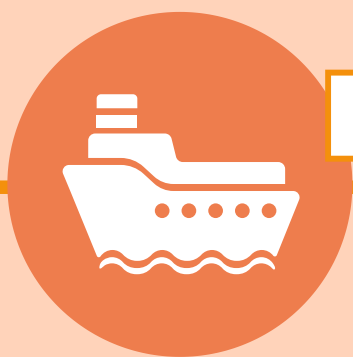
Face masks
are required on all
public transport.

When waiting to board
wear a mask
and observe the
social distance of 2 metres
from other persons.

COMMERCIAL PASSENGER VESSELS



- Vessels licensed to carry up to 6 persons may carry such amount. Other commercial vessels should carry **65%** of their certified capacity.
- Vessels should observe the **mass events & gatherings regulations**.



FERRIES

- Ferries are carrying up to 65% of their maximum capacity.
- Observe the social distance of 2m from other persons and wear a face mask at ferry terminals/ landing sites and throughout the journey.





Image: Petite Events

EVENTS & GATHERINGS

THE FOLLOWING **CONTROLLED ORGANISED EVENTS** ARE ALLOWED:

1. Events including: cultural, artistic, dance, theatre, music performances, etc
2. Corporate events - conferences, awards nights, AGMs etc
3. Fairs, markets, and exhibitions
4. Weddings and other celebrations
5. Spectators at Sports events

CAPPINGS

Seated Events

Event Capping	500	For 300 participants
Physical Distancing	2m	pre-Covid
Persons on a table	8	No limit

Stand-up Events

Event Capping	100
Location	Outside/ Inside
Physical Distancing	1 pax/ 2 sqm



All events are open only to persons holding a **vaccine certificate**.

The organiser is required to apply for **approval** to organise an event and submit a risk assessment found **here**.



[Click here for details on protocols.](#)

GENERAL PROTOCOLS & SUGGESTIONS

GATHERINGS OF NO MORE THAN 6 Persons

FACE MASKS ARE REQUIRED EVERYWHERE

Face Mask is not obligatory for **fully** vaccinated persons in **groups of two, outdoors only**. Other exceptions apply.

[Details here.](#)

When organising an event,
ENGAGE A LICENSED DMC
to help you, get in touch with
us and ensure arrangements
are in line with **LATEST
PROTOCOLS.**