

Local Notices to Mariners

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Subject	COVID 19 – 19 July 2021 – Locally Registered Vessels Returning from Outside of the Bailiwick

If you are fully vaccinated and 14 days have passed since your second vaccination, there will be no isolation or testing requirements if you are arriving from the Common Travel Area (except Jersey). This means you will be in the "blue channel" travel category.

If you are not fully vaccinated or if you have had both doses of vaccination but 14 days have not passed since your second dose, then country and region categories will apply as normal. More info on categories can be found at: <u>https://covid19.gov.gg/guidance/travel/countries</u>.

The Common Travel Area (CTA) includes the United Kingdom, the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the Bailiwick of Jersey, the Isle of Man and the Republic of Ireland. However additional requirements are now in place if you are arriving from Jersey.

If travelling into the Bailiwick from anywhere outside the CTA, the current country category isolation and testing requirements apply. If you have been outside the CTA in the 14 days before you arrive in the Bailiwick, then the country category applies regardless of your vaccination status.

It is important to note that Public Health will still apply overrides to country or region listings if it has any concerns. This CAN include countries/regions within the Common Travel Area.

Guernsey Harbours St Julian's Emplacement St Peter Port Guernsey www.harbours.gg Captain David Barker Harbour Master If you are returning to the Bailiwick of Guernsey and you have departed from and remained solely within the **Common Travel Area (excluding Jersey)** for the last 14 days and **all** onboard have been double vaccinated for at least 14 days you must:

- Register on the Travel Tracker and enter your journey within 2 days prior to arrival in the Bailiwick. <u>Welcome to the Travel Tracker | Guernsey Travel Tracker (gov.gg)</u>
- You must arrive into the Bailiwick via St Peter Port Swan Pontoons or Braye Harbour visitor moorings.
- When proceeding to and from the testing facility, you must wear a face covering and maintain 2M social distance from others and please bring your smart device with you to log on to the Travel Tracker.
- Present your Travel Tracker information to COVID Test Team Staff on Crown Pier to confirm your "Blue" status.
- Once confirmed you can return to your mooring.

The testing facility for private vessels will be open between 09:00-11:00 and 16:00-18:00 only. If you arrive outside of these working hours, you should proceed to an isolation pontoon and await the attendance of Harbour and/or Border Agency personnel the following morning.

Arriving from Jersey

From Monday 19 July, travellers from the Bailiwick of Jersey to the Bailiwick of Guernsey will be required to present a negative PCR test before travelling. Any travellers not able to do so will be treated as Category 4 and will be required to self-isolate for 14 days.

The requirement, from 19 July 2021, for a pre-travel test will apply to fully vaccinated adults and all children aged 5 or older who accompany fully vaccinated adults. There will be no other travel-related testing or self-isolation requirements applied to those travellers although the use of the Travel Tracker is still required.

Unvaccinated or partially vaccinated adults and the children who accompany them are already and will continue to be subject to 'Category 4' requirements testing and self-isolation requirements.

If you are returning to the Bailiwick of Guernsey from a **Category 2, 3 or 4** region you must:

• Register on the Travel Tracker and enter your journey within 2 days prior to arrival in the Bailiwick. <u>Welcome to the Travel Tracker | Guernsey Travel Tracker (gov.gg)</u>

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- You must arrive into the Bailiwick via St Peter Port or Braye Harbour.
- You will be directed to the self-isolation pontoons and advised of the requirements for undertaking your day of arrival test.
- Once you have taken a COVID test you may proceed back to your mooring and onward to your place of isolation as directed by the Guernsey Border Agency (GBA).
- When proceeding to and from the testing facility, you must wear a face covering and maintain 2M social distance from others and please bring your smart device with you to log on to the Travel Tracker.
- Details in respect of isolation requirements and passive follow up can be found at <u>Current Travel Requirements | States of Guernsey - COVID-19 (gov.gg)</u>

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