



**THE
SMOOTH JAZZ
CRUISE**

**PREPARING FOR THE SMOOTH JAZZ CRUISE '22
TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS;
PRE-CRUISE UNDERTAKINGS**

BIG PICTURE OVERVIEW: LOOKING GOOD!

OUR GOAL IS TO MAKE THE SMOOTH JAZZ CRUISE ONE OF THE SAFEST PLACES YOU CAN BE

- The boarding procedures will produce a “bubble” which insulates us.
- All Guests must show Proof of Vaccination and a Negative COVID-19 Test.
- Celebrity Cruises’ staff and crew will be vaccinated, tested and masked.
- Recently, we sailed on a Celebrity Cruise and the boarding process went well.
- Just last weekend, we visited and toured our Terminal and the Celebrity Summit.
- Jazz Cruises is taking steps to make compliance with the boarding requirements to be as easy as possible.

CELEBRITY CRUISES IS RESPONDING WELL TO THE HEALTH AND SAFETY REQUIREMENTS NEEDED FOR SAFE SAILING.

- Fully vaccinated cruise ships have dramatically reduced risks.
- No fully vaccinated ships have been quarantined or have required special attention.



CRUISE INFORMATION

- **Embarkation Day:** Monday, January 24/31, 2022 or February 7, 2022
- **Celebrity Summit:** (Revolution Upgrade Completed)
- **Embarkation/Disembarkation:** Miami
- **Departure Location:** Terminal G at Port of Miami
- **Ports of Call:** “Back to Sea” - Costa Maya, Cozumel & Nassau. SJC ‘22.1/’22.2 - Aruba & Curacao
- **Online Check-In:** Started on December 10/17/24, 2021 (45 days before sailing) / Ends three (3) days before sailing
- **Luggage Tags:** Available for printing on December 25, 2021, January 1/8, 2022 (30 days before sailing)
- **Travel Requirements:** Valid Passport; COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card; Pre-Arrival COVID-19 Test; Celebrity Xpress Pass
- **Onboard Health & Safety Requirements:** All Celebrity Cruises Staff will be fully vaccinated and masked. Guests are not required to wear masks but may elect to do so.
- **Disembarkation Day:** Monday, January 31, 2022 or February 7/14, 2022



THE SMOOTH JAZZ CRUISE EXPERIENCE

GREAT NEWS: Once onboard, The Smooth Jazz Cruise will look and feel like our past programs:

- Passengers/Performers Not Required to Wear Masks or Social Distance.
- All Performance Venues available at full capacity.
- Guest who wish to do so may wear masks all the time or in particular settings.

MODIFICATIONS: There will be some modifications to services.

- Celebrity Crew to be vaccinated and masked, as required.
- Limited “self-serving” options in Ocean View Café.
- Housekeeping rules and procedures adapted for COVID-19 Protocols.

BOARDING THE SHIP REQUIREMENTS:

- Valid Passport
- Proof of Vaccination Required
- Pre-Cruise COVID-19 PCR or Antigen Testing
- Celebrity Xpress Pass



VALID PASSPORT/VISAS

SAME REQUIREMENT AS IN PAST YEARS:

- **Valid Passport**: Guest to have a valid passport, in hand, with a recommended expiration date no sooner than July 31 and August 7/14, 2022 (6 months after the end of our sailing). No photocopies or smart phone presentations.
- **VISAs**: Guests are required to secure visas in the event that their country of origin is not recognized fully by our ports-of-call, Aruba & Curacao.



COVID-19 VACCINATION RECORD CARD

- **US Citizens:** Must present one of the following:
 - Original COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card. Photos or photocopies are not accepted.
 - Digital COVID-19 Certificate. A few states are now issuing Digital COVID-19 Certificates. If you qualify for such a certificate, please sure that the digital representation includes Full Legal Name (matching travel documents), DOB, brand of vaccine and dose dates.
- **Non-US Citizens:** Must present proof of vaccination from their nation of origin such as Vaccination Passport or proof from their government site or app. If you are concerned as to whether your “proof” qualifies, send us a copy and we will submit it to Celebrity Cruises for approval.
- **Must be Fully Vaccinated:** (various combinations have been approved). Guests must have received the final vaccine dose at least 14 days before sailing.
- **Booster Shots:** Booster shots are not required at this time but are strongly advised.



NEGATIVE COVID-19 TEST

- **Negative COVID–19 Test.** To board, guests must present a Negative PCR or Antigen COVID-19 TEST. The test must be dated “Back to Sea” January 22/23/24, 2022; for SJC ‘22.1 January 29/30/31, 2022; and for SJC ‘22 February 5/6/7, 2022.
- **Testing Procedures.** Three forms of testing are acceptable, each requiring a monitor:
 - PCR – RT-PCR Diagnostic Panel Test
 - Antigen – Rapid Point-of-Care (ID NOW) Test
 - Antigen – Rapid Point-of Care (BinaxNow) Test
- **Testing Before Arriving in Miami.**
 - **Many Locations.** Most national pharmacies and urgent care facilities offer testing. Numerous “free” testing sites.
 - **Highly Recommended – Home Test.** In terms of convenience, cost and immediacy of results, we highly recommend taking the monitored Home Test with a Telehealth Provider. No appointments required, just link onto the testing site and follow directions. Currently, the Abbott/BinaxNOW/COVID-19 Ag Card Home Test is the only Home Test Celebrity Cruises recognizes. To order : [emed.com/products/covid-at-home-test kit](https://www.emed.com/products/covid-at-home-test-kit)
- **Testing in Miami.**
 - **Miami Locations.** There are several locations in Miami that provide the antigen test (with results as quickly as 20 minutes), including the Miami International Airport.
 - **Jazz Cruises’ Test Center.** Jazz Cruises is sponsoring a Test Center for “Back to Sea” at the Hilton Miami Airport Blue Lagoon from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm on January 23, 2022; for SJC ‘22.1 at Hyatt Regency Hotel from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm on January 30, 2022; and, for SJC ‘22.2 at Miami Marriott Biscayne Bay from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm on February 6, 2022. There, antigen tests will be administered by Spotlight Medical. The cost of the tests will be paid by Jazz Cruises.
 - **At Terminal Testing.** On each Embarkation Day, January 24/31 and February 7, 2022, testing will be administered by Covid Testing LLC, in association with Celebrity Cruises, from 7:30 am – 2:00 pm immediately in front of our Terminal G. The cost is \$105/antigen test or \$205/PCR test.



CELEBRITY CRUISES XPRESS PASS

- **Online Check-In Procedure**. From December 10, 2021, through January 21, 2022 (“Back to Sea”), December 17, 2021, through January 28, 2022 (SJC ‘22.1); or December 24, 2021, through February 4, 2022 (SJC ‘22.2), you may complete the Online Check-In Process and secure your Celebrity Cruises Xpress Pass online. The link for the Online Check-In is <https://www.celebritycruises.com/account>.
- **Advantages to Online Check-In**. Celebrity Cruises has a new online registration system. Securing your Celebrity Cruises Xpress Pass online saves time at the Terminal, provides access to Boarding Time schedule, and, starting thirty (30) days prior to Embarkation, allows you to print the luggage tags Celebrity Cruises prefers to use.
- **Online Check-In Tips**.
 - Not necessary to download the Celebrity Cruises’ APP (click “x” out); If you elect to use the APP, please know that uploading your COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card, though requested, is not mandatory and providing your Card, does not fulfill your obligation to present the Card for boarding.
 - Uploading a photo is not necessary (click “x” out); Photos are taken in the Terminal
 - For assistance with your Online Check-In, contact Celebrity Cruises (1.888.751.7804)
- **Terminal Check In Procedure**. Otherwise, you will be required to secure your Celebrity Cruises Xpress Pass at the terminal.
- **Xpress Pass Printout**. To ensure fast and efficient processing, we urge guests to have a paper printout of your Celebrity Cruises Xpress Pass easily available at the Terminal.



BOARDING TIMES

- [Terminal Arrival Time](#). During the Online Check-In Process, which started 45 days prior to sailing, you will be required to select a Terminal Arrival Time (available to select in half hour windows).
- [Terminal Arrival Time Rules](#). You must arrive during your window. If you arrive early, you will be required to wait outside of the Terminal until your selected time (or when Terminal capacity permits). If you are late, then you will be in the first available lag time.
- [Be Conservative When Selecting a Terminal Arrival Time](#). Please note, it is important for guests to factor in ample time for baggage claim at the airport, travel to the ship, parking, etc. when selecting this time.
- [Goal for Check-In Procedure](#). If everyone abides by the procedures and arrives at their designated Terminal Arrival Times with the proper documents in hand, the Check-In and Boarding Procedure should take place with ease.



LUGGAGE

- **No Limitations on Luggage**. There are no limitations on the number of suitcases or other luggage that you may wish to bring on the ship.
- **Use of Celebrity Luggage Tags**. To facilitate the efficient loading and distribution of luggage to your stateroom, Celebrity Cruises insists we use the luggage tags generated upon completion of the Online Check-In Process. (Note: Luggage Tags for printing are available between thirty (30) and three (3) days before Embarkation.
- **Paper Tags**. Though not very attractive, the Celebrity Cruises' luggage tags have information that expedites the process (name, stateroom number and "zone" on the ship where your luggage is to be delivered before arriving at your stateroom).
- **Accuracy of Tags**. Please ensure that the pre-populated information printed on the luggage tag is accurate. The #1 cause of delayed or "lost" luggage is faulty information on the luggage tags placed by the guest.
- **Attaching the Luggage Tags**. The time to affix the luggage tags is when you transfer your luggage to the porter or transport you take to the cruise terminal.
- **Plastic Celebrity Luggage Tag Protectors**. Plastic Luggage Tag "protectors", crafted just for Celebrity Cruises may be purchased online. <https://amzn.to/3DQZLy4>
- **Carry On Wine Policy**. Guests may bring two (2) bottles of wine per stateroom. If consumed in any restaurant, bar or dining venue there will be a \$25 corkage fee.



CHECK-IN PROCEDURE

- **Arrival at Terminal.** Upon arriving at Terminal G, Port of Miami:
 - You must wear a mask for the terminal portion of the check-in process.
 - You will transfer your luggage to the porter. Be sure to hold on to your “personal” bag and required documents, you will be greeted by Celebrity Cruise staff who will remind you to have your Xpress Pass, Passport, Proof of Vaccination and Negative COVID-19 Test result handy.
 - Then you will be greeted by Celebrity Cruise staff who will do a quick check of your credentials and confirm that you are entering in the correct Terminal Arrival Time.
 - Suite Guests will then enter through the door marked *The Retreat* and all other guests will proceed through the main entrance where their credentials will be screened for entry.
 - Guests will take the escalator to the main level to complete their check-in with one of the many agents then available.
- **Boarding the Ship.** After completing the check-in procedure, you may proceed to board the ship:
 - **Cruise Identification Card.** Unlike in past years when you received your Cruise Identification Card (which serves as your room key, special show entry and charge card), before boarding the ship, your card will be in an envelope in the slot on your stateroom door.
 - **Muster Drill.** The Muster Drill has been streamlined. No longer will you gather at your Muster Station for an assembly presentation. Instead, sometime from arrival until 3:00 pm, each guest may either (a) view the video of the procedure in your stateroom and then report to your Muster Station for a quick check-in or (b) go directly to the Muster Station and be instructed by personnel on hand. Guests must do so Reporting to your Muster Station is required and the ship cannot depart until you do so. Your Muster Station is called out in your Xpress Pass and on your Cruise Identification Card.
- **Lunch.** The Ocean View Café and Mast Grill Restaurants will be open for lunch starting at 11:30 am
 - **Concierge Class and AquaClass Guests.** Lunch will be served in The Cosmopolitan Restaurant (Deck 4) from Noon – 2 pm.
 - **Suite Guests.** Lunch will be served in Luminae (Deck 4) from Noon – 2 pm.

CANCELLATIONS / BOARDING DENIED

- **Cancellations.** The opportunity to cancel a reservation and receive a full refund has expired months ago. If a guest wishes to cancel a reservation now, upon receipt of written instructions to do so, their stateroom will be entered into the Jazz Cruises' Resale Program. Jazz Cruises will endeavor to sell the stateroom and, if able to do so, the net proceeds of such sale shall be paid to the cancelling guest.
- **Cancellations – With Travel Insurance.** Though cancelling a cruise due to concerns about a Pandemic does not qualify for benefits, AIG Travel (our recommended travel insurance provider) treats COVID-19 in the same way as it treats any unexpected illness. If you contract COVID-19 or test positive for the illness, you could be eligible for Trip Interruption, Trip Delay, Medical Expenses and Emergency Medical Evacuation coverage. Like all covered illnesses, a confirmed diagnosis and proof of illness from a physician will be required.
- **Purchase of Travel Insurance.** Travel Insurance may be purchased up to 48 hours before sailing.
- **Denied Boarding.** It is the obligation of the guest to have completed the requirements for boarding and have the proof that such requirements were met. This includes the following: valid passport, Proof of Vaccination and Negative COVID-19 Test Result. If boarding is denied for failure to complete these requirements, or for any other reason whatsoever, guest has no recourse against either Jazz Cruises or Celebrity Cruises. Denial of boarding due to a positive COVID-19 Test Result may result in an insurance claim for the guest, as described above.



TESTING POSITIVE ONBOARD

- **Infection Control Officer**. Celebrity Summit's response to any guest testing positive during the cruise will be under the responsibility of the Infection Control Officer.
- **Symptoms/Testing Positive**. While onboard, if a guest exhibits COVID-19 symptoms or tests positive, the guest is transported to the ship's medical facility, physically examined and a second PCR test is administered. If that test is positive the guest is isolated in the Red Zone until disembarkation back to Miami.
- **While in Isolation**. While in isolation the guest will be checked on regularly and no less than 3 times a day by designated staff assigned to assist guest and the ship provides the following during isolation:
 - Complimentary streaming wifi & movies
 - Guest can order unlimited drinks through room service, and they can also use the minibar
 - Guest can order breakfast, lunch or dinner in any specialty restaurant including the Luminae and BLU
- **Stateroom Companions**. If COVID-19 positive guest is sharing a stateroom with others, they will be required to visit the medical facility to have a PCR test administered. Those testing positive will be isolated in the RED Zone area as well and can elect to isolate with their cabinmate. If they test negative, that cabinmate is placed on a 24-hour quarantine in their stateroom. They will be tested again in 24 hours and after 24 hours if tested again and they test negative again, then the guest is allowed to exit the cabin with mask mandate for their remaining time onboard.
- **Disembarkation Mid-Cruise**. A guest is disembarked from the ship mid cruise/early only if their case is severe and they need to be hospitalized. Otherwise, they will remain onboard until we reach Miami again.
- **Return to Miami**. Once the ship returns to Miami at the end of the cruise, all guests are disembarked and the COVID-19 positive guests debark last. Upon debarking a Celebrity Care team member will accompany and assist the COVID-19 positive guest from the time they depart the ship until they arrive home. The care team member can/will secure private flights, hotel and transportation along the way until guest reaches home. If medical assistance is required, care team member will get the guest to a medical facility and stay with guest until they arrive home. All uninsured costs paid by Celebrity Cruises.

TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS

For more detail regarding each of the Travel Requirements described below, go to <https://yourjazzcruises.com/travel-requirements/>



TRAVEL REQUIREMENTS FOR EACH GUEST SAILING ON A '22 JAZZ CRUISES PROGRAM



1 PROOF OF VACCINATION

All guests must be fully vaccinated and be able to provide original confirming documentation. For US Citizens, this means your COVID-19 VACCINATION RECORD CARD. (Note: Some states have issued other forms of proof. If you intend to provide proof other than the Card, please let us know in advance so that we can have Celebrity Cruises approve that substitute.) Non-US Citizens must present the official documentation of their country of origin (the country that has issued the guest's passport). Regardless of what proof you will be presenting, photocopies or electronic representations will not be acceptable.



2 NEGATIVE COVID-19 TESTING RESULT

Each guest must present documentation reflecting a Negative COVID-19 Test dated no earlier than the Saturday before each sailing. Photocopies of this test are acceptable and are preferred to electronic representations.



3 PASSPORT OR OTHER QUALIFYING IDENTIFICATION

Non-US citizens must produce a valid passport. US Citizens are strongly encouraged to secure a passport that expires no sooner than 6 months after the last day of the cruise. US Citizens may board the ship with a government issued photo ID and a certified birth certificate.



4 CELEBRITY CRUISES' ONLINE CHECK-IN PRINTED XPRESS PASS

All guests must complete Celebrity Cruises' Online Check-In process starting 45 days prior to embarkation and ending 48 hours prior to embarkation. Here, too, a printed copy of the Xpress Pass is encouraged.



THE SMOOTH JAZZ CRUISE '23

The reservation process for The Smooth Jazz Cruise '23.1 & '23.2 is in full swing. The final wave of Pre-Sale Reservations will be filled by Christmas, after which both The Smooth Jazz Cruise '23.1 and '23.2 will be in the “open booking” phase.

Anyone may reserve any available stateroom on a first come/first served basis.

