

JAKARÉ LIVEABOARD

ANTI COVID-19 PROTOCOL

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Purpose

The purpose of this protocol is to define and preserve On and Outside the Boat a secure zone where the Guests will feel Safe and be able to enjoy Serenely their cruise.

General

We have gathered information from International Health Organisations and authorities like WHO, DAN (Divers Alert Network), PADI, Green Fins and National and Local Organisations like JANGKAR and other Local Authorities and have developed this protocol based on the following key principles:

- ✓ Strict control during embarking.
- ✓ De-contamination and Cleaning of all spaces and equipment on board.
- ✓ Adherence of adequate sanitary measures on board.
- ✓ Specific protocols developed for activities like diving/snorkelling.
- ✓ On Shore Activities respecting strict sanitary measure.

All our crew members adhere to the latest guidance and hygiene protocols (see the Crew Section below), they are well trained on preventive hygiene measure and on handling situations that may occur.

The 5 Key Principles

Strict Control during Embarkation

The following measure will be strictly implemented:

- ✓ All guest to present a Covid-19 Rapid test or PCR test during the boarding protocol. The validity of the test is 7 days.
- \checkmark All guests will undergo a temperature check when boarding the first day.
- ✓ All guest to declare relevant Health conditions and previous history related to Covid-19.
- ✓ Boarding is denied if the test results are positive, having been in contact with Covid-19 case less than 14 days, temperature >38 deg C / 100.4 Deg F or symptoms detected.

De-contamination and Cleaning of all spaces on board

- ✓ Jakare will be cleaned and disinfected before and during each trip, in particular common/shared area like tables, door handles, hand railings etc but also the furniture in private cabins.
- ✓ The private cabins will be only cleaned/disinfected between trips.
- ✓ The common spaces (like tables) will be cleaned/disinfected every day or specifically on demand.
- ✓ The diving and snorkelling equipment will be cleaned/des-infected between each cruise. As for the cleaning of the equipment during cruises, please refer below.

Adherence of basic sanitary measures on board

We do recommend the following protocol to maintain a good hygiene and minimise risk of contamination on board.

✓ Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Wash Basins are available in common area and every cabin with disinfectant soap. Alternatively, but not preferably use hand sanitiser. Effective Hand Sanitizer will be available in every cabin and main common area of the boat.



Washing hand when boarding at the beginning of a trip or when coming back from shore activity is mandatory.

- ✓ Minimise contact with other guests and crew not within your family/friend group, avoid hand shaking, no touching and respect physical distancing when possible.
- ✓ When sneezing or coughing, cover your mouth and nose with bent elbow or tissue and immediately dispose of the tissue in an appropriate place.
- ✓ Self-monitor your health condition. Immediately report any fever, cough, or difficulty breathing to the Cruise Director. Face masks and then isolation limit transmission of the virus to others if you are sick or showing symptoms.
- ✓ Wear Mask in common spaces (as applicable).
- ✓ Meal Service shall be provided in a safe and hygienic manner. Buffet type services shall be minimized.

Specific protocols developed for activities like diving/snorkelling

For both activities, the bases of the protocol are the following:

- \checkmark the boat provides fresh water for cleaning / des infecting the equipment and
- ✓ the guest takes care of their own equipment as much as possible.

Snorkelling / Diving activity

- ✓ The guest shall handle their own Snorkelling equipment and wetsuits, either privately owned or assigned at the beginning of the cruise, except otherwise indicated below.
- ✓ Equipment shall be stored in the dedicated guest box in the front deck.
- ✓ Rinsing: mask and wetsuits shall be rinsed by the guests. Fins and snorkel do not required rinsing.
- ✓ Guests shall preferably use defogging products to defog their mask, the use of saliva is discouraged.
- ✓ Drop off and pick-up procedures with the speedboat may be adjusted to keep social distancing (if appropriate).

Specific Diving Activity

✓ The Crew shall be assisting the Guests and handling the heavy diving equipment on board Jakare and the speedboats namely changing the tanks and loading/unloading. The Crew shall adhere with a strict hygiene protocol as indicated below.

Shore visit respecting strict sanitary measure

- ✓ Shore visit shall be restricted to minimise the risk of contamination: visit of local villages and contact with local populations shall be avoided.
- ✓ During Shore visits, within Jakare Guest, or with other guests, or with park rangers or Local Authority Personnel, strict hygiene procedure shall be enforced, like wearing face mask, respect social distancing, follow snoozing protocol and wash hand in dedicated area outside the boat (as applicable) and when returning to the boat.

The Crew Section

The Jakare has informed the Crew on the potential risk of Covid-19 and our Crew has been trained according to our Protocol developed. Here below are the main points.

Basic Sanitary measures



- ✓ The Crew shall wear Face Mask on board Jakare and shall wash hands regularly in dedicated Crew Hand Washing Facilities.
- ✓ The Crew shall minimise contact with fellow crew members from other boats and follow adequate health and hygiene measures if happen.
- ✓ To prevent crew infection between cruises, the Crew shall stay on board as much as possible and shall seek permission of the Captain and/or Cruise Director to go on shore. The Crew shall adhere to strict health and hygiene guidance while on land.

Snorkeling and Diving

- ✓ The Crew shall avoid touching guest's diving or snorkelling equipment wherever possible, excluding dive tanks.
- ✓ The Crew handling materials and equipment and dive tanks shall practice hand washing and disinfection of high-touch areas including dive tanks and fill stations. It is important that all those carrying out refilling operations follow correct hygiene procedures by washing hands.
- ✓ Particular care is required when using alcohol-based disinfectants, including hydroalcoholic hand solutions. A small percentage of alcohol, a highly volatile and flammable substance even at relatively low temperatures, can cause fire or explosion. Avoid direct or indirect contact with equipment, cylinders and filling hoses used for oxygen-enriched air. Wherever possible, it is preferable to use simple soap and water to clean hands.

Specific important requirement for divers

- ✓ Divers who have been tested positive with COVID-19 but have remained completely asymptomatic should wait a minimum of 31 days before resuming any scuba diving activity.
- ✓ Divers who have had symptomatic COVID-19, need to be a minimum of 2-3 months symptom-free before they can scuba dive.
- ✓ Divers that had previously been infected with COVID-19 and been hospitalized with pulmonary symptoms need to undergo a complete pulmonary function testing, as well as a cardiac evaluation, and bring a medical statement clearing them for future scuba diving activities.



Posters





