



MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE

PORT MARINE CIRCULAR
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Shipping Community

CREW CHANGE AND SHORE LEAVE FOR CARGO SHIPS IN THE PORT OF SINGAPORE AND APPLICATION FOR VACCINATION

Requirements for crew change and shore leave

1. This circular supersedes Port Marine Circular (PMC) No. 19 of 2022.
2. In view of the improving global COVID-19 situation, low impact of imported cases on our healthcare capacity, and the absence of signs of threatening variants, Singapore will stand down the remaining COVID-19 border measures.
3. From **13 February 2023**, all non-fully vaccinated travellers entering Singapore will no longer be required to show proof of a negative Pre-Departure Test. Non-fully vaccinated short term visitors will no longer be required to purchase COVID-19 travel insurance. Applications are to be made directly to the ICA CREW system via digitalPORT@SG™. More information can be found at ICA's website (www.ica.gov.sg/enter-transit-depart).

Crew vaccination application

4. All individuals aged 18 years and above (including short-term visitors) may receive vaccination and boosters under the Private Vaccination Programme (PVP). As this is a private arrangement, the vaccinations will be at the individual's own cost. To book an appointment or for any enquiries, please contact the clinics directly listed at <https://www.vaccine.gov.sg/locations/pvp>.
5. Any queries relating to this circular should be directed to pms@mpa.gov.sg.

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