

# FlyHealthy@SEA

FlyHealthy@SEA is our layered, comprehensive action plan to ensure your health and well-being while traveling. Be informed and ready with these <u>travel tips and resources</u>. Please contact your airline if you have questions about that part of your journey.

### New COVID-19 Protocols for International Travel

COVID-19 international travel protocols continue to evolve. These are some of the newest COVID-19 testing requirements to be aware of as you plan your trip. Testing before and after travel is a critical layer to slow the introduction and spread of COVID-19.

- A negative COVID-19 test is required for all <u>international passengers</u> coming into the U.S. with written documentation of a laboratory test result (paper or electronic copy) provided to the airline. This is combined with the CDC recommendation to get tested again 3-5 days after arrival and stay home for seven days post-travel. Effective as of Jan. 26, the CDC's protocols are in place during <u>international</u> <u>arrivals and passport control process at SEA</u> as well as the implementation of <u>facial recognition</u>.
- A presidential proclamation expands travel restrictions for South Africa, Brazil, Britain and 27 European countries. Due to go into effect on Jan. 30, *the proclamation* applies to noncitizens attempting to come to the U.S. from any of those countries for 14-days prior to travel.
- All travelers headed to the Netherlands must show a negative rapid test within four hours of departure. This is in addition to the already mandatory negative PCR test, which must be taken no more than 72 hours before arrival. <u>Pre-flight testing</u> is available for those flying to Amsterdam from SEA through Discovery Health MD at the South Satellite SkyClub Lounge near Gate S10 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. or four hours before departure to the Netherlands.

#### Other Resources

- Learn about other <u>COVID-19 testing and travel requirements</u>.
- Need a COVID-19 test to travel? Find local <u>COVID-19 testing options</u> at SEA Airport.
- Understand the use of *facial recognition* at SEA Airport.
- Read about *international travel and FlyHealthy@SEA*.
- Check out the <u>CDC website</u> for COVID-19 and travel.

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# In case you missed it!

We're all living a new normal at the <u>one-year mark</u> since the onset of COVID-19. Now with the rollout of the COVID-19 vaccine, we see a glimmer of light to look forward to the end of the pandemic. To understand your expectations during the COVID-19 era and the actions that restore your confidence in travel, we asked for your input throughout 2020 <u>in polls and</u> <u>surveys</u>. Most recently during the holiday travel season, you told us what you think about travel and the future. <u>Explore the opinions of SEA travelers</u>.



## Travel in a New Normal

Before you take the skies, your experience at SEA looks and feels different. These are steps the airport has taken under our FlyHealthy@SEA program:

- We <u>doubled down on cleaning at SEA</u> with frequent disinfection with medical-grade cleaning products. We even secured international accreditations for cleaning practices.
- Added over 280 hand sanitizer stations throughout the terminal for your use. <u>Download the SEA App</u> with our interactive map of hand sanitizer locations.
- <u>Breathe easy</u> knowing our air filtration and ventilation system constantly circulates fresh, outdoor air through the terminal and uses filters that capture 90 percent of COVID-19 sized particles.

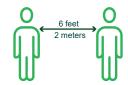
- SEA launched <u>Pre-Booked Parking</u> as an innovation for seamless, contact-free travel.
- Installed nearly 650 plastic protective barriers that buffer interactions between travelers and airport employees, and 8,000 signs for reminders and spacing to honor physical distancing.
- Eat and shop with confidence because airport restaurants and retailers are also going <u>above and</u> <u>beyond</u> to protect your health and well-being.
- Discovery Health MD opened an on-site <u>COVID-19</u> <u>testing location</u> for non-symptomatic travel testing.

# Help Stop the Spread – Passenger Actions

Passengers, employees, and the community can help stop the spread of COVID-19. We ask you to follow these guidelines to protect yourself, your fellow travelers and airport employees, including:



- Avoid non-essential travel
- Stay home when you are sick. And get better soon!
- Wear face coverings to help slow the spread of germs



- Practice physical distancing
  - Maintain your distance and stay six feet (or two meters) apart from others
  - No more than four in an elevator
  - Using every fourth step
    on escalators



- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least
   20 seconds
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth

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