**Maritime Form Changes and Justification**

**Directions:**

* Updated link in first bullet to correct website

**Section 1:**

* Removed ‘Date Form Completed’ and ‘Time Form Completed’ to reduce burden

**Section 2:**

* Changed section header to *Vessel Information* to clarify intent
* For section clarity and consistency, moved the following fields up from section 5
* Vessel company
* Vessel name
* Voyage Number
* Number on Board (Crew and Passengers)
* Itinerary
* Next U.S. port
* Arrival Date & Time at Next U.S. Port
* For program purposes, added:
* Country of Departure
* Departure Date & Time
* Added Arrival Date & Time at Final Port
* Added sub-section called ‘Person info while onboard vessel’ to clarify content intent
* Moved ‘Cabin Number’ and ‘If crew, list job title & duties’ up from section 4 to keep relevant information together.
* Reworded & moved ‘If crew member had contact with passengers, describe extent/frequency’ up from original section 7 to keep relevant information together.
* For section clarity and consistency, moved the following fields up from section 5
* Embarkation port
* Embarkation date
* Disembarkation port
* Disembarkation date

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| **Person info while onboard vessel:** | | | | | |
| Cabin number: | If crew, list job title & duties: | | | If crew member have contact with passengers, describe extent/frequency: | |
| Embarkation port: | | Embarkation date:  \_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mm dd yyyy | Disembarkation port: | | Disembarkation date:  \_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mm dd yyyy |

**Section 3:**

* Changed section header to *Pertinent medical history of ill or deceased person* to clarify intent of section.
* Renamed ‘Relevant history: present illness, other medical problems, vaccinations, etc.’ to ‘Relevant history: present illness, other medical problems, vaccinations, overseas physician diagnosis, etc.:’ to keep relevant information together and clarify question intent.
* To maintain data consistency and clarify intent, moved the Signs, Symptoms, and Conditions down from section 2 and made the following changes:
* Fever:
* Changed ‘…**OR** history of fever…’ to ‘**…OR** history of feeling feverish/having chills…’ to streamline question.
* Changed ‘Temperature’ to ‘Current temperature’ to clarify question intent.
* Removed ‘Maximum measured temperature’ to reduce burden.
* Removed ‘History of fever (not measured) to reduce burden.
* Removed ‘Feel warm to the touch’ to reduce to reduce burden.
* Rash:
* Removed ‘Where rash started’ and options to reduce burden.
* Removed ‘Current distribution’ and options to reduce burden.
* Changed options for ‘Appearance’ from ‘Red-flat, Red-raised, Fluid/pus-filled’ to ‘Maculopapular, Vesicular/Pustular, Purpuric/Petechial, Scabbed’ to clarify question intent.
* Removed ‘Severe’ from Vomiting and Diarrhea to clarify question intent.
* Added ‘Onset Date’ to Conjunctivitis/eye redness, Coryza/runny nose, Sore throat, Difficulty breathing/shortness of breath, Swollen glands, Headache, Neck stiffness, Decreased consciousness, Recent onset of focal weakness and/or paralysis, and Unusual bleeding for program purposes.
* Changed ‘Other:’ to ‘Other Signs, Symptoms, Conditions’ to be consistent with MIDRS.
* Moved ‘Date of death’ and ‘Time of death’ for deceased persons up from Section 6 to keep relevant information together.
* Combined ‘Suspect Diagnosis’ from Section 3 and ‘Suspected cause of death before referral to a medical examiner, if body released’ from Section 6, renamed to ‘Presumptive diagnosis/cause of death’, and relocated the new field to Section 3 to keep relevant information together and reduce burden.
* Moved ‘During the past 3 weeks, has anyone (onboard ship or disembarked) has similar signs and symptoms?’ from section 2 down to section 3 to maintain data consistency within the section.

**Section 4:**

* Renamed section 4 to *Evaluation of ill or deceased person* to clarify section intent
* Moved ‘Traveler has taken (include those given on board):’ down from Section 3, changed format, added ‘antiparasitic(s)’ (option 1) and ‘related to current symptoms/illness’ (option 3) and removed ‘aspirin’ (option 2) to keep relevant information together and clarify question intent.

Traveler has taken (include those given on board):

□Antibiotic/antiviral/antiparasitic(s) in the **past week;** list with dates started: **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

□Fever-reducing medications (e.g. acetaminophen, ibuprofen) in the **past 12 hours;** list with dates started: **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

□Other (related to current symptoms/illness); list with date(s) started: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Moved Exposure History questions up from Section 7, reformatted, added ‘Arrival date’ and removed ‘Visited rural areas?’ to keep relevant information together, clarify question intent, and reduce burden.

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| Countries visited in the past 3 weeks: | State/city/village | Arrival Date | Exposure to ill persons? | Exposure to animals? | Other exposures (chemical, drug ingestion, etc)? |
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|  |  |  | □ No  □Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | □ No  □Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | □ No  □Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
|  |  |  | □ No  □Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | □ No  □Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | □ No  □Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

* Moved the following fields up from section 7:
* Consolidated the ‘Number of: Cabin mates / Bathroom mates / Work Team mates / Other contacts (intimate partners)' question for crew members and ‘Number of: Cabin mates / Other contacts (intimate partners)' for passengers into one question, ‘Number of potentially exposed contacts (e.g. cabin, work, bathroom mates)’ to reduce burden.
* ‘Are any traveling companions ill / If yes, how many’ to keep relevant information together
* If passenger is a child, does s/he attend day care/youth program on ship? / If Yes, total # of children / # with similar signs & symptoms to keep relevant information together.
* Reformatted ‘Seen in ship infirmary’ and date fields to streamline question.
* Added ‘No infirmary’ to ‘Seen in ship infirmary’ to reduce burden.
* To streamline the questions, moved the following fields down from section 3 and reformatted:
* ‘Ill or deceased person isolated after illness onset’ and date fields
* ‘Seen in health-care facility ashore’ and description field
* ‘Hospitalized?’ and date fields
* Added sub-section header of ‘Lab/Imaging Results’ to clarify intent of sub-section.
* Added ‘facility’ and ‘imaging’ to the test results column to clarify question intent:

Results (if unknown, provide name and phone number of lab/facility which performed tests/imaging):

* Changed ‘Cavitation’ and ‘No Cavitation’ to ‘Cavity’ and ‘No cavity’ respectively to utilize correct terminology.
* Moved ‘Body released to medical examiner?’, ‘Medical examiner telephone’ and ‘City/Country’ up from Section 6 and reformatted to keep relevant information together and clear:

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| **Deceased Persons:**  Body released to medical examiner?: □ No □ Yes, telephone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ City/Country:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

* Combined ‘Discharge Diagnosis’ and ‘Determined cause of death (by medical examiner or other)’ from Section 6 into new field ‘Discharge/final diagnosis/cause of death’ to reduce burden.

**Section 5:**

* Renamed section header to *General information about ill or deceased person* to clarify section intent.
* Reworded ‘Passport country/issuing state’ to ‘Passport country/citizenship’ to clarify question intent.
* Reworded ‘Passport/domestic ID document #’ to ‘ID document #’ to clarify question intent.
* Added ‘Type of ID document’ for program purposes:

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| Passport country/citizenship: | Type of ID document: | ID document #: | Alien #: |

* Removed ‘Date boarded vessel’ to reduce burden.
* Removed sub-section header ‘*For deceased person, go to section 5. Otherwise, continue below:’*

**TO BE COMPLETED BY QUARANTINE STAFF ONLY section:**

* Moved ‘If ill/deceased person also traveled via □ Land and/or □ Air conveyances, please fill out the appropriate form’ to bottom of section to prioritize the fields.
* For program purposes, changed the order and made the following changes to the ‘Ill person’ options:
* ‘Seen by EMS’ changed to ‘EMS responded’ to utilize proper terminology
* ‘Detained by ICE/CBP, location’ changed to ‘Detained by law enforcement, location:’ to utilize proper terminology.
* ‘Denied boarding’ changed to ‘Denied boarding by law enforcement’ to utilize proper terminology.
* Removed ‘Quarantine Order issued’ to reduce burden.
* Removed ‘Isolation order issued’ to reduce burden.
* ‘Presumptive Diagnosis’ field, for program purposes,:
* Reworded to ‘Response or Report’
* Changed ‘Condition not requiring public health follow-up‘ to ‘Information Report Only / No Follow-up needed’
* Changed ‘Condition of public health interest/unknown or cluster, needs follow-up’ to ‘Requires DGMQ Response & Follow-up’
* Removed ‘Disease of public health interest’
* Split the variable ‘When was the Quarantine Station notified?’ into two questions and added an ‘Unknown’ option for program purposes:

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| When was the Quarantine Station notified?  □ Before any travel was initiated  □ During travel  □ Prior to boarding conveyance  □ While traveler was on a conveyance  □ After disembarking conveyance  □ After travel completed (reached final destination for that leg of trip)  □ Unknown |
| Where was the traveler when the QS was notified?:  □ In U.S. jurisdiction (within 3 nautical miles of U.S. coast or traveling between U.S. ports)  □ Outside U.S. jurisdiction  □ Unknown |