

HOTEL RESILIENT CERTIFICATIONS UG

# COVID-READY CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE REPORT

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The Accommodation Business above is eligible to bear the COVID-READY Mark during the Certification validity period.



### About this Audit

The COVID-READY audit is a self-assessment of a hotel's strategy to prevent COVID-19 transmission and respond to infection cases on site. The audit outlines the steps that hotel owners, managers and staff can implement to strengthen COVID-19 contingency plans and earn the trust of safety minded travelers. The standards are based on international guidelines from the World Health Organization (WHO), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), best practices, national government regulations, pandemic and disaster management literature, scientific evidence, news media reports, and our own expertise.

The audit consists of 7 subcomponents.

- Component 1: Exposure reviews the factors that can impact the likelihood of infection in the area surrounding the hotel and within the hotel.
- *Component 2:* Protocols reviews the policies, plans and procedures that the hotel has in place to protect guests and staff from COVID-19 infection.
- Component 3: Staff Capacity reviews the capacity of staff to fulfill critical roles in COVID-19 prevention, safety and evaluation.
- Component 4: Enhanced Cleaning reviews the required and recommended strategies for creating and maintaining a safe, clean environment that will help to prevent transmission.
- Component 5: Safe Hygiene reviews the steps the hotel is taking to ensure guests and staff have the supplies and knowledge to implement safe hygiene measures.
- *Component 6:* Physical Distancing reviews the steps the hotel is undertaking to ensure a safe separation of guests and staff is maintained where needed.
- Component 7: Response Plan reviews the hotels procedures for responding to a potentially infected guest or staff member on-site.

# Description of Review Process

The COVID-READY Audit is a self-assessment by the hotel. In addition to the self-assessment, a limited review has been conducted by Hotel Resilient of some key documents submitted by The Shore at Katathani. The following documentation has been reviewed for the The Shore at Katathani COVID-READY Certification:

- 1. COVID-19 SOP
- 2. Staff Organizational Chart
- 3. Photos of Hygiene Signage
- 4. Photos of Physical Distancing
- 5. Staff Training Record

### Assessment Result

Your certification application has been reviewed and we are pleased to inform you that you have achieved Hotel Resilient COVID-READY certification based on your self-assessment and submitted materials. Your COVID-READY Certification is valid until 01/16/2021.

# **COVID-READY Score Summary**

# **Audit Score**

### COVID-READY Score 99.0% (Level A)

Your COVID-READY Score is calculated by combining the scores of the 6 Resilience Components: Protocols, Staff Capacity, Enhanced Cleaning, Safe Hygiene, Physical Distancing and Response Plan

### Rating

A - Exceptional	90 - 100 🗲
B - Good	80 - 89
C - Satisfactory	60 - 79
D - Limited	40 - 59
E - Poor	0 - 40

# Component 1 - Exposure

### Score: 3.9%

The COVID-19 Exposure score is provided for your information only. It is not used in computing your COVID-READY score and does not represent actual risk of COVID-19 in your hotel or area, but is meant to help you understand the potential threat level of COVID-19.

Very High	70 - 100
High	50 - 70
Moderate	35 - 50
Low	20 - 35
Very Low	0 - 20 🚱

# **Reviewer Comment**

The Shore at Katathani has submitted the following documentation:

- COVID-19 Plan (in Thai, reviewer machine translated into English)
- Katathani "Stay Safe" branding images identifying policies on cleaning, hygiene and physical distancing
- Summary of staff roles & responsibilities (in Thai, reviewer machine translated into English)
- Photos illustrating hygiene and physical distancing measures
- Staff training outline (in Thai, reviewer machine translated into English)
- Organizational chart (in Thai, reviewer machine translated into English)
- COVID-READY Declaration statement

Hotel Resilient has reviewed the above documentation. The documents provided, declaration and self-assessment are sufficient evidence that The Shore at Katathani meets the requirements to achieve COVID-READY Certification. We congratulate The Shore at Katathani and their committed team on a job well done!

# Component 2 - Protocols



Score: 100%

This section reviews the policies, plans and procedures that the hotel has in place to protect guests and staff from COVID-19 infection. You meet all the mandatory requirements of this component, which include:

### COVID-19 SOP General

- 1. Standard operating procedures (SOP) have been developed to prevent transmission of COVID-19 within the Hotel and manage infected guests or staff in a safe manner
- 2. The SOP follows the guidelines of local and national health authorities
- 3. The SOP is updated regularly in accordance with new information and guidelines

### Vulnerable staff

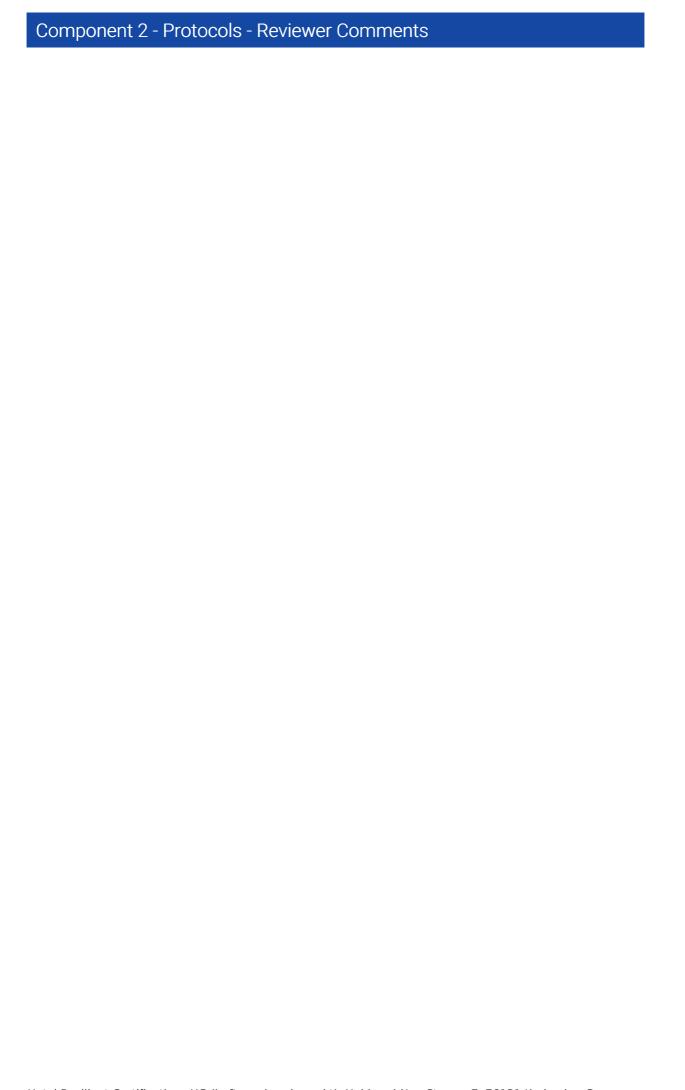
- 1. You have identified vulnerable staff, e.g., older staff and those with underlying health conditions such as weakened immune systems, diabetes, heart and lung disease
- 2. If you have vulnerable staff, you have informed them of the risks and discussed protective actions
- 3. You ensure that vulnerable staff do not work front desk positions OR maintain physical separation (e.g., plexiglass screen) of guests and front desk staff

### Screening

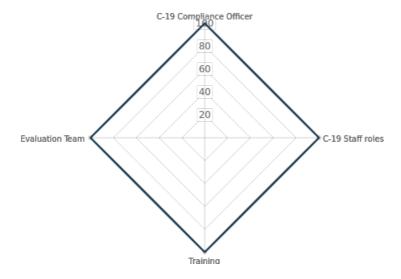
- 1. Follow government regulations and guidelines regarding screening of guests and staff, including temperature checks
- 2. Guests are asked about their recent travel history (prior to arrival if possible)
- 3. Guests and staff are monitored for signs of illness
- 4. Disposable thermometers or non-contact thermometers (infrared or thermal scanner) are available to test for fever
- 5. Keep log of guests with symptoms, including temperature checks
- 6. The hotel helps any guests or staff with COVID-19 symptoms undergo appropriate medical review and testing by a healthcare practitioner
- 7. If a guest is found to have a temperature of 38°C or higher AND has any other symptoms OR was in contact with anyone who is suspected of COVID-19 infection, the hotel will contact the appropriate health authority for guidance AND is prepared to arrange transport of the guest to hospital OR place the guest in self-guarantine

### **Guest communication**

- 1. A summary of local and national COVID-19 health guidelines is available to guests
- 2. A summary of government regulations relevant to guests is available to guests
- 3. A summary of the policies and procedures implemented at the hotel is available to guests
- 4. A summary of the latest travel alerts in the area is available to guests
- 5. Up-to-date contact information for health authorities is available to guests
- 6. A list of sources for COVID-19 information is available to guests



# Component 3 - Staff Capacity



Score: 100%

This component reviews the capacity of staff to fulfill critical roles in COVID-19 prevention, safety and evaluation. You meet all the mandatory requirements of this component, which include:

### C-19 Compliance Officer

- 1. A C-19 Compliance Officer has been designated to ensure COVID-19 SOPs are properly implemented
- 2. The C-19 Compliance Officer evaluates the effectiveness of COVID-19 SOPs
- 3. The C-19 Compliance Officer updates and improves COVID-19 SOPs to adapt to new information and guidelines
- 4. The C-19 Compliance Officer is a senior staff member
- 5. The C-19 Compliance Officer has been trained in their role

### Training

- 1. Staff are trained on general COVID-19 information, including how the virus is transmitted, symptoms, potential health impacts, and vulnerable groups
- 2. Front desk staff are advised of the latest regions and countries deemed high-risk for infection and are provided with information sources to stay apprised of changes
- 3. Staff are trained on the hotel's COVID-19 SOPs such as physical distancing, safe hygiene, enhanced cleaning, use of personal protective equipment and infection response
- 4. Relevant staff are trained on their specific role in preventing the spread of COVID-19 and in responding to a COVID-19 infection
- 5. All training is documented



# Component 4 - Enhanced Cleaning



Score: 100%

This component reviews the required and recommended strategies for creating and maintaining a safe, clean environment that will help to prevent transmission. You meet all the mandatory requirements of this component, which include:

### Enhanced cleaning

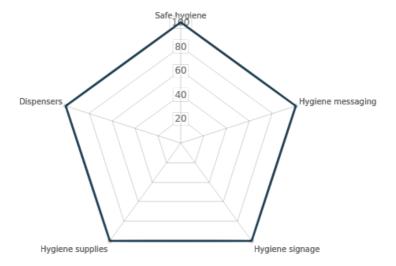
- 1. The hotel follows government guidelines for cleaning
- 2. Common surfaces and furniture are cleaned and disinfected regularly
- 3. High-touch points are disinfected very often
- 4. All guestroom surfaces, fixtures and loose items are thoroughly cleaned and disinfected
- 5. Unnecessary material has been removed
- 6. Appropriate PPE is worn by those doing cleaning
- 7. Potentially contaminated waste is handled safely

### Washing tableware

- 1. Tables are disinfected and tablecloths replaced after every use
- 2. Items are washed regardless if they are used or not in case they have been handled
- 3. Items that are washed by hand are washed with the utmost precautions
- 4. Drying of dishes, cutlery and glasses is done with a clean cloth
- 5. Table cloths and napkins are washed frequently



# Component 5 - Safe Hygiene



Score: 100%

This component reviews the steps the hotel is taking to ensure guests and staff have the supplies and knowledge to implement safe hygiene measures. You meet all the mandatory requirements of this component, which include:

### Safe hygiene

- 1. The hotel follows government regulations on safe hygiene practices
- 2. Frequent hand washing is promoted
- 3. Hand sanitizer stations are provided throughout the hotel
- 4. Tissues and disposal bins are provided throughout the hotel
- 5. Touchless services are offered where possible
- 6. Handling of objects by multiple guests is avoided where possible

### Hygiene messaging

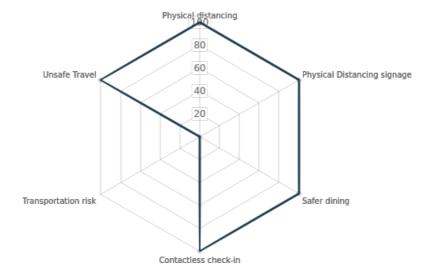
- 1. The hotel advises guests of its hygiene recommendations prior to arrival if possible and at the latest immediately upon arrival
- 2. The hotel promotes proper cough etiquette among staff and guests: coughing and sneezing into tissue which is immediately disposed of (then immediately washing hands) OR if unavailable into bent elbow.
- 3. The hotel encourages guests and staff to wash hands frequently with soap and water for 20 seconds, or if not available, hand sanitizer
- 4. The hotel advises guests and staff to refrain from touching their eyes, nose and mouth

### Hygiene signage

- 1. Signage can be seen when entering and leaving the hotel
- 2. Signage can be seen when entering and leaving all restaurants and bars
- 3. Signage can be seen when entering and leaving all public bathrooms
- 4. Signage can be seen in lobby
- 5. Signage can be seen inside every elevator



# Component 6 - Physical Distancing



Score: 90.9%

This component reviews the steps the hotel is undertaking to ensure a safe separation of guests and staff is maintained where needed. You meet all the mandatory requirements of this component, which include:

### Physical distancing

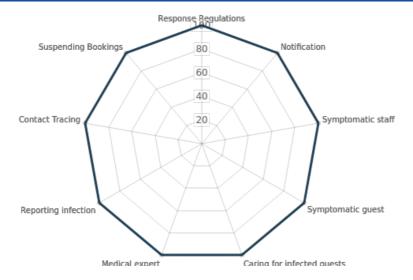
- 1. Hotel follows government regulations for physical distancing
- 2. Direct physical contact is avoided wherever possible
- 3. A safe amount of space is provided between people in common areas
- 4. People are physically separated through glass or other barriers where needed
- 5. Contactless services are offered where possible

### Physical Distancing signage

- 1. Physical distancing signage is clear to understand
- 2. Signage is located at locations where physical distancing measures are implemented



# Component 7 - Response Plan



Score: 100%

This component reviews the hotels procedures for responding to a potentially infected guest or staff member on-site. You meet all the mandatory requirements of this component, which include:

### Response Regulations

- 1. The hotel follows government regulations on how to respond to an infection at the hotel
- 2. The hotel regularly checks for updates to government regulations and changes response plans accordingly

### Notification

- 1. Staff will notify management when flu like symptoms develop
- 2. Staff will discretely notify management of potentially sick guests
- 3. Guests are reminded that they need to inform front desk by phone from their guestroom if they are feeling ill or if they have been in close contact with someone confirmed or suspected of being infected
- 4. Contacts are provided to guests so they may contact/notify the health authority themselves

### Symptomatic staff

- 1. The hotel has policies in place to ensure staff stay at home (and seek medical assistance if needed) if they have COVID-19 symptoms
- 2. If at the hotel, a staff member with COVID-19 symptoms will be told to stop work immediately and go home
- 3. The hotel helps the staff arrange private transportation instead of public transportation where they could infect others
- 4. Medical assistance for the staff member will be sought if needed
- 5. If unable to travel home, the staff member will be isolated in a room as medical assistance is planned
- 6. The staff member will be provided with a face mask which should be kept on until the staff is safely home
- 7. The staff's work area will be disinfected
- 8. The hotel will regularly monitor the staff member through mobile call or other remote communication
- 9. Ensure staff is cleared by a medical professional prior to returning to work

### Symptomatic guest

- 1. A symptomatic guest is advised to stay in their room and self-quarantine
- 2. Contact between guest and staff or other guests is kept to a minimum
- 3. The symptomatic guest is provided with face masks and tissues
- 4. The guest is reminded of proper hygiene, cough and sneezing etiquette
- 5. The hotel coordinates medical assistance and transportation to a medical facility if needed
- 6. Management of the guest, including movement to a medical facility follows instructions from the local health authority

# Medical expert Contact with a medical professional has been established to provide advice on COVID-19 planning and response The hotel can secure medical consultations for staff and guests within a short time-frame



# Question List

Question Description	Criteria
Intervention strategies Exposure	Answer: Aggressive strategies in place   100%
How would you describe the extent of government intervention strategies being implemented in your region?	
Confirmed infections Exposure	Answer: <b>No   100%</b>
Have you had a confirmed COVID- 19 infected guest or staff at your hotel in the last month?	
Suspect cases Exposure	Answer: None   100%
Do you currently have any suspected cases of COVID-19 among guests or staff?	
Cases locally Exposure	Answer: 0   100%
How many people are currently infected with COVID-19 in your local destination?	
High-risk travelers Exposure	Answer: None   100%
Do you have any guests who have recently travelled to countries with high prevalence of COVID-19?	
Hospital capacity Exposure	Answer: Hospitals can easily meet the current demand for COVID-19 cases   100%
How would you describe the capacity of local hospitals in your region?	
Vulnerable guests Exposure	Answer: 0 - 5%   100%
What is the estimated percentage of guests that are at least 65 years old OR have a known health condition?	
Density of area Exposure	Answer: Semi-urban   33%
In what type of area is the hotel located?	

# **Question List**

# Question Description Criteria COVID-19 SOP General Protocols Has your hotel developed a COVID-19 standard operating procedure (SOP)? Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria: • Standard operating procedures (SOP) have been developed to prevent transmission of COVID-19 within the Hotel and manage infected guests or staff in a safe manner The SOP follows the guidelines of level and national health sutherities.

### SOP Details

### Protocols

Does your COVID-19 SOP identify what adjustments need to be made to the hotel's specific services and amenities to make them safer to deliver?

# Answer: Yes | 100%

Fulfilled criteria:

• The hotel has identified which of their amenities and services are addressed by government regulations or guidelines

The SOP follows the guidelines of local and national health authorities
 The SOP is updated regularly in accordance with new information and

- The hotel follows government regulations
- The COVID-19 SOP identifies which adjustments are necessary to make the hotel's various amenities and services safer to deliver
- The SOP require staff to document all preventative and response measures
- Department managers have been consulted in the development of the COVID-19 SOP

### SOP Flexibility

### Protocols

Are your COVID-19 SOPs flexible enough to adapt to changing pandemic threat levels?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- The hotel has established a system for assessing the changing COVID-19 threat level
- The actions outlined in the COVID-19 SOP are well matched with actual threat levels
- The hotel includes COVID-19 threat level assessments carried out by other sources such as the government or scientific agencies if available

### Vulnerable staff

### Protocols

Are you ensuring that reception staff are not older or otherwise more vulnerable to COVID-19?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- You have identified vulnerable staff, e.g., older staff and those with underlying health conditions such as weakened immune systems, diabetes, heart and lung disease
- If you have vulnerable staff, you have informed them of the risks and discussed protective actions
- You ensure that vulnerable staff do not work front desk positions OR maintain physical separation (e.g., plexiglass screen) of guests and front desk staff

# Question Description Criteria Screening Answer: Yes | 100% Protocols Fulfilled criteria: Follow government regulations and guidelines regarding screening of guests

Does the hotel have a system for screening guests and staff for COVID-19 risk?

- Follow government regulations and guidelines regarding screening of guests and staff, including temperature checks
- Guests are asked about their recent travel history (prior to arrival if possible)
- Guests and staff are monitored for signs of illness
- Disposable thermometers or non-contact thermometers (infrared or thermal scanner) are available to test for fever
- Keep log of guests with symptoms, including temperature checks
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- If a guest is found to have a temperature of 38°C or higher AND has any other symptoms OR was in contact with anyone who is suspected of COVID-19 infection, the hotel will contact the appropriate health authority for guidance AND is prepared to arrange transport of the guest to hospital OR place the guest in self-quarantine

### Non-staff on-site

### Protocols

Does the hotel ensure that all nonstaff suppliers and service providers follow the hotel's COVID-19 SOPs while on the property? Answer: **Yes | 100%** Fulfilled criteria:

- The hotel provides all individuals entering the property with a description of the COVID-19 SOPs that apply to their activity on-site
- Individuals must sign that they understand and commit to adhere to the SOPs that apply to them

### **Question Description**

### Communication strategy

### Protocols

Does the hotel have a detailed strategy for communicating with a variety of stakeholders, including guests, the public, staff, the media, health authorities and emergency services?

### Criteria

### Answer: Yes | 100%

Fulfilled criteria:

- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to current guests
- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to future quests
- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to the general public
- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to staff
- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to external stakeholders such as tour operators and booking agents
- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to media
- Procedures are established for communicating COVID-19 related information to health authorities and emergency service providers

### Guest communication

### Protocols

Does the hotel keep guests informed of the latest COVID-19 updates?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- A summary of local and national COVID-19 health guidelines is available to guests
- A summary of government regulations relevant to guests is available to guests
- A summary of the policies and procedures implemented at the hotel is available to guests
- A summary of the latest travel alerts in the area is available to guests
- Up-to-date contact information for health authorities is available to guests
- A list of sources for COVID-19 information is available to guests

### Guidance off-site

### **Protocols**

Does the hotel provide guests with guidelines and support for staying safe outside of the hotel property?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- Guests are advised to avoid crowds, public transportation and avoid touching public surfaces if possible
- Hotels arrange private transportation upon request
- Hotels supply face masks and rubber gloves for guests

### **Question Description** Criteria Dispelling rumors Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria: **Protocols** · The hotel reports only facts to guests and staff Do you have procedures for • The hotel tries to double verify information prior to releasing to guests and combatting fear, anxiety, rumors and misinformation? • The hotel identifies the sources for all information • The hotel refrains from using alarmist language • Procedures allow for 2-way communication between guests or staff and hotel management • The hotel provides contact information for guests or staff to contact authorities or medical professionals for further advice or clarification Publicize activities Answer: Yes I 100% Fulfilled criteria: **Protocols** • Website and marketing material are updated to outline the measures you are Has your hotel developed sufficient implementing to prevent COVID-19 cases in your hotel public messaging material that • Safe hygiene measures are outlined highlight the steps the hotel has · Enhanced cleaning measures are outlined taken to address the risks • Physical distancing measures are outlined associated with COVID-19? • The response strategy is outlined for guests or staff with COVID-19 symptoms • Cancellation and booking modification policy is outlined Event assessment Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria: Protocols • The details of the event are outlined with the client Do you have plans to conduct a • The state of the COVID-19 situation is reviewed COVID-19 specific risk assessment • Government regulations are followed for future large events such as · Local and international guidelines are considered weddings, conferences etc.? • An evaluation of the ability of the hotel to maintain a safe environment is • An evaluation of the risk such an event poses to the safety of staff is completed **Building hazards** Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria: Protocols • The hotel has inspected rooms or sections of the hotel that have been

The hotel has ensured that other hazards linked to extended periods of building system inoperation are not present, such as water quality issues (e.g., Legionella Bacterium), Pests, and Mold?

- The hotel has inspected rooms or sections of the hotel that have been shutdown for an extended period of time (weeks or more) to identify issues of water quality, pests or mold
- If issues were found, they have been corrected or will be corrected prior to allowing new guests in those areas

### **Question List**

### **Question Description**

### C-19 Compliance Officer

### Staff Capacity

Has the hotel designated a senior staff member to be a COVID-19 Compliance Officer to oversee the implementation of COVID-19 related SOPs and ensure compliance with all government regulations and ordinances?

### Criteria

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- A C-19 Compliance Officer has been designated to ensure COVID-19 SOPs are properly implemented
- The C-19 Compliance Officer evaluates the effectiveness of COVID-19 SOPs
- The C-19 Compliance Officer updates and improves COVID-19 SOPs to adapt to new information and guidelines
- The C-19 Compliance Officer is a senior staff member
- The C-19 Compliance Officer has been trained in their role

### C-19 Staff roles

### Staff Capacity

Do your staff have clearly defined roles and responsibilities for responding to the COVID-19 threat?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- Staff has been assigned COVID-19 specific roles
- Responsibilities for each role have been clearly outlined
- Backup personnel are identified to fulfill roles of those who become unavailable

### Training

### Staff Capacity

Are staff provided with training on COVID-19 SOPs and the specific roles they are expected to fulfill?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- Staff are trained on general COVID-19 information, including how the virus is transmitted, symptoms, potential health impacts, and vulnerable groups
- Front desk staff are advised of the latest regions and countries deemed highrisk for infection and are provided with information sources to stay apprised of changes
- Staff are trained on the hotel's COVID-19 SOPs such as physical distancing, safe hygiene, enhanced cleaning, use of personal protective equipment and infection response
- Relevant staff are trained on their specific role in preventing the spread of COVID-19 and in responding to a COVID-19 infection
- All training is documented

### **Evaluation Team**

### Staff Capacity

Do staff regularly evaluate the effectiveness of your COVID-19 related policies, plans and actions?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

### Fulfilled criteria:

- A COVID-19 crisis team has been established to evaluate their department's capacity to implement COVID-19 related SOPs and the effectiveness of those SOPs to reduce risk
- Mechanisms are in pace to ensure that evaluations and recommendations made by the crisis team result in improvements to SOPs and actions
- Evaluations are conducted weekly

# **Question List**

### Criteria **Question Description** Answer: Yes | 100% Enhanced cleaning Fulfilled criteria: **Enhanced Cleaning** • The hotel follows government guidelines for cleaning Is the hotel implementing enhanced · Common surfaces and furniture are cleaned and disinfected regularly cleaning efforts? • High-touch points are disinfected very often · All guestroom surfaces, fixtures and loose items are thoroughly cleaned and disinfected · Unnecessary material has been removed Appropriate PPE is worn by those doing cleaning · Potentially contaminated waste is handled safely Answer: Yes | 100% Washing tableware Fulfilled criteria: **Enhanced Cleaning** • Tables are disinfected and tablecloths replaced after every use Are restaurant tables, dishes, • Items are washed regardless if they are used or not in case they have been utensils and glassware washed and disinfected properly? • Items that are washed by hand are washed with the utmost precautions · Drying of dishes, cutlery and glasses is done with a clean cloth · Table cloths and napkins are washed frequently Answer: Yes | 100% Cleaning supplies Fulfilled criteria: **Enhanced Cleaning** Disinfecting cleaners Does your hotel have adequate · Cleaning equipment supplies to clean and disinfect • Disposable face masks for staff conducting cleaning surfaces and objects? Disposable gloves · Safety goggles · Long-sleeve gowns · Heavy duty waste bags Cleaning agents Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria: **Enhanced Cleaning** • Cleaning and disinfectants used for cleaning surfaces have been confirmed to Have you confirmed that that all neutralize the COVID-19 virus cleaning and disinfectant products • The hotel follows manufacturer instructions for dishwashing and laundry used at the hotel are sufficient to equipment including proper temperature and detergent guidelines neutralize the COVID-19 virus? • The hotel regularly tests pools and hot-tubs to confirm and adjust chlorine levels Ventilation Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria: **Enhanced Cleaning** • The hotel is well ventilated Is the hotel well ventilated? • Ventilation and air conditioning units are operated as per manufacturer instructions · Filters are changed regularly · Filters are high efficiency • Indoor air is exchanged at an adequate replacement rate (minimum 6 per hour for guest rooms and 8 per hour for dining areas)

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Safe hygiene Safe Hygiene Does the hotel practice safe hygiene?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  • The hotel follows government regulations on safe hygiene practices • Frequent hand washing is promoted • Hand sanitizer stations are provided throughout the hotel • Tissues and disposal bins are provided throughout the hotel • Touchless services are offered where possible • Handling of objects by multiple guests is avoided where possible
Hygiene messaging Safe Hygiene Are guests and staff reminded of safe hygiene measures?	Answer: Yes   100%  Fulfilled criteria:  • The hotel advises guests of its hygiene recommendations prior to arrival if possible and at the latest immediately upon arrival  • The hotel promotes proper cough etiquette among staff and guests: cough and sneezing into tissue which is immediately disposed of (then immediate washing hands) OR if unavailable into bent elbow  • The hotel encourages guests and staff to wash hands frequently with soap and water for 20 seconds, or if not available, hand sanitizer  • The hotel advises guests and staff to refrain from touching their eyes, nose and mouth
Hygiene signage Safe Hygiene Has the hotel installed signage to remind guests of safe hygiene measures?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  Signage can be seen when entering and leaving the hotel Signage can be seen when entering and leaving all restaurants and bars Signage can be seen when entering and leaving all public bathrooms Signage can be seen in lobby Signage can be seen inside every elevator
Hygiene supplies Safe Hygiene Does your hotel have adequate supplies to prevent transmission and maintain safety of guests and staff?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  Soap and water Hand sanitizer Disinfection wipes Tissues Hands-free waste bins Disposable face masks for guests and staff upon request Face masks, personal hand sanitizer and tissues will be provided to each guest upon check-in

### **Question Description**

### Dispensers

Safe Hygiene

Does the hotel provide soap and disinfectant dispensers, tissue dispensers and paper towels?

### Criteria

Answer: Yes | 100%

Fulfilled criteria:

- Disinfectant gel dispensers are installed in all public and staff restrooms
- Disinfectant gel dispensers are installed at all hotel entrances
- Disinfectant gel dispensers are installed at all entrances to dining halls, restaurants and bars
- Soap dispensers are available in all bathrooms
- Soap and disinfectant solution volumes are maintained regularly
- Tissue dispensers are provided in all bathrooms with waste bins
- Hand dryers or paper towels are provided in every public and staff restroom
- Soap and disinfectant dispensers, tissue dispensers, and hand drying equipment are regularly checked for proper functioning
- Defective equipment are replaced or repaired immediately

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Physical distancing Physical Distancing Are you implementing physical distancing measures at your hotel?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  • Hotel follows government regulations for physical distancing  • Direct physical contact is avoided wherever possible  • A safe amount of space is provided between people in common areas  • People are physically separated through glass or other barriers where needed  • Contactless services are offered where possible
Physical Distancing signage Physical Distancing Has the hotel installed signage to remind guests of physical distancing measures?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  • Physical distancing signage is clear to understand  • Signage is located at locations where physical distancing measures are implemented
Safer dining Physical Distancing Does the hotel ensure sufficient spacing between guests in restaurants and bars?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  • A maximum of 4 persons per 10 square meters is maintained in restaurants  • Space between tables is enough to ensure that distance from back of one chair to back of another chair is 1 meter or more  • The hotel encourages and is well equipped to provide in-room dining options to guests  • The hotel does not provide self-service buffets
Contactless check-in Physical Distancing Does your hotel have a contactless check-in process available and contactless payment methods?	Answer: Yes   100%  Fulfilled criteria:  • A contactless check-in process is available  • The process is promoted and outlined to guests prior to arrival  • Contactless payment methods are available at bars, restaurants, giftshops and other pay points
Transportation risk Physical Distancing Can guests reach your hotel from the airport using private vehicles instead of public transportation?	Answer: Yes   100%  Fulfilled criteria:  • The hotel encourages the guest to take private rather than public transportation from the airport to the hotel  • A private shuttle service from the airport to the hotel is available  • The private shuttle service is free of charge  • The hotel ensures the shuttle service company implements safe hygiene, cleaning, and physical distancing measures
Unsafe Travel Physical Distancing Does the hotel discourage staff and guests from travelling to unsafe areas?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  Policies are established that limit or restrict staff travel to regions that are a high COVID-19 risk  Guests are informed of regions within the country or neighboring countries that are a high COVID-19 risk

# **Question List**

### **Question Description**

### Response Regulations

### Response Plan

Is the hotel following or prepared to follow government regulations that impact how to respond to an infected guest or staff at the hotel?

### Criteria

### Answer: Yes | 100%

Fulfilled criteria:

- The hotel follows government regulations on how to respond to an infection at the hotel
- The hotel regularly checks for updates to government regulations and changes response plans accordingly

### Notification

### Response Plan

Do you encourage staff and guests to notify hotel management of COVID-19 symptoms?

### Answer: Yes | 100%

Fulfilled criteria:

- Staff will notify management when flu like symptoms develop
- Staff will discretely notify management of potentially sick guests
- Guests are reminded that they need to inform front desk by phone from their guestroom if they are feeling ill or if they have been in close contact with someone confirmed or suspected of being infected
- Contacts are provided to guests so they may contact/notify the health authority themselves

### Symptomatic staff

### Response Plan

Has the hotel established protocols for handling of a staff member with COVID-19 symptoms?

# Answer: Yes | 100% Fulfilled criteria:

- The hotel has policies in place to ensure staff stay at home (and seek medical assistance if needed) if they have COVID-19 symptoms
- If at the hotel, a staff member with COVID-19 symptoms will be told to stop work immediately and go home
- The hotel helps the staff arrange private transportation instead of public transportation where they could infect others
- Medical assistance for the staff member will be sought if needed
- If unable to travel home, the staff member will be isolated in a room as medical assistance is planned
- The staff member will be provided with a face mask which should be kept on until the staff is safely home
- The staff's work area will be disinfected
- The hotel will regularly monitor the staff member through mobile call or other remote communication
- Ensure staff is cleared by a medical professional prior to returning to work

Question Description	Criteria
Symptomatic guest Response Plan Does the hotel have procedures for handling of a guest with symptoms of COVID-19?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  • A symptomatic guest is advised to stay in their room and self-quarantine  • Contact between guest and staff or other guests is kept to a minimum  • The symptomatic guest is provided with face masks and tissues  • The guest is reminded of proper hygiene, cough and sneezing etiquette  • The hotel coordinates medical assistance and transportation to a medical facility if needed  • Management of the guest, including movement to a medical facility follows instructions from the local health authority
Caring for infected guests Response Plan Is the hotel prepared to care for a guest suspected of having COVID-19 should medical facilities be unavailable?	<ul> <li>Answer: Yes   100%</li> <li>Fulfilled criteria: <ul> <li>The hotel will attempt to arrange care for the guest if medical facilities are unavailable</li> <li>A room will be provided to isolate the guest</li> <li>Visitors to the isolation room will not be allowed unless necessary</li> <li>The hotel will arrange for doctor visits to avoid the need for the guest to travel to a doctor's office</li> <li>Food will be served to the room</li> <li>The symptomatic guest will have a bathroom reserved for them only</li> <li>The guest will be provided with tissues and face masks to be worn when traveling outside of their room or when others are entering their room</li> <li>Any staff who come near the symptomatic guest will follow enhanced hygiene protocols and wear PPE</li> <li>The isolation room will be equipped with areas to put on and take off/dispose of PPE</li> <li>Only one staff member will enter the area of the guest</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Medical expert Response Plan Do you have access to a medical expert for advice on COVID-19 response?	Answer: Yes   100% Fulfilled criteria:  • Contact with a medical professional has been established to provide advice on COVID-19 planning and response  • The hotel can secure medical consultations for staff and guests within a short time-frame

Question Description	Criteria
Reporting infection	Answer: <b>Yes   100%</b>
Response Plan	IIIECTION
Have procedures been established	
for informing relevant stakeholders	
of a confirmed COVID-19 infection at the hotel?	<ul> <li>There are procedures for informing all guests and potential guests of a COVID- 19 infection</li> </ul>
	• There are procedures for informing the general public of a COVID-19 infection
Contact Tracing	Answer: <b>Yes   100%</b> Fulfilled criteria:
Response Plan	
Does the hotel help health	<ul> <li>Confirmed or suspect case guests are asked about anyone they may have been in 'close contact' with beginning 2 days prior to symptom onset</li> </ul>
authorities contact tracing efforts?	If possible, the hotel collects name, phone number, address and date of
	exposure of close contact
	The hotel coordinates with health authorities
	<ul> <li>The hotel staff interviews confirmed or suspect case guests over the phone or similar</li> </ul>
Suspending Bookings	Answer: <b>Yes   100%</b> Fulfilled criteria:
Response Plan	
Is the hotel prepared to suspend	The hotel has clear guidelines for when bookings should be suspended, i.e., a case is confirmed of current guest, past guest, staff

Is the hotel prepared to suspend bookings if COVID-19 cases are confirmed at the hotel?

- The hotel stays up-to-date on government requirements for when to close the hotel
- Procedures for suspending bookings are established, i.e., advising travel agencies, updating booking sites, signage at hotel
- The hotel communicates suspension of bookings to all future guests who have already made reservations

# Terms and Conditions of Use

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