

Introducing the Royal Caribbean Group's and Norwegian Cruise Line Holding's "Healthy Sail Panel" — a team of cross-disciplinary experts enlisted to guide the cruise industry's way forward in response to COVID-19. Comprised of globally recognized specialists in public health, infectious diseases, hospitality and maritime operations, the panel will advise us on a science-backed plan for a healthy return to service that ensures the wellbeing of our guests and crew as well as the communities we visit.



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