



Washington, D.C. Quarantine Station

Jurisdiction

The jurisdiction of the Washington, D.C. Quarantine Station includes all ports in the District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia.

Ports of entry statistics

Washington-Dulles International Airport

- 21 international airlines
- ~50 international flights arriving daily
- Service from 39 international destinations
- 4.8 million international passengers in 2006
- 26% growth in international passenger traffic in five years

Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport

- 6 international airlines
- 16 international flights arriving daily
- ~700,000 international passengers in 2006

Other Ports of Entry

- Port of Baltimore
- Port of Newport News
- Port of Norfolk
- Richmond International Airport
- Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport

**CDC Washington D.C.
Quarantine Station**
(703) 661-1320 (24-hour access)

Hours of Operation:
Monday–Friday: 8:00 a.m.–4:30 p.m. ET

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Activities

- Coordinate public health responses (e.g., the emergency repatriation of U.S. citizens from Lebanon).
- Act as the program and agency representative at high-level meetings and workgroups in Washington (e.g., meetings with Homeland Security Council).
- Serve as the regional office for the quarantine system's eastern region.
- Respond to reports of illness on airplanes and maritime vessels (cruise and cargo).
- Conduct tabletop exercises with local partners to ensure port and community preparedness for infectious diseases that could result in a pandemic.
- Partner with other federal agencies, local and state health departments in preparedness activities about quarantine and isolation at ports of entry.
- Participate in migrant health surveillance by collecting medical information from immigrants, refugees, asylees and parolees.
- Provide statistical analysis of migrant health information for entering migrants with notifiable conditions.
- Conduct training for local partners regarding migrant health related processing and emergency preparedness.
- Assist local agriculture officers to screen international cargo and hand-carried items for potential vectors of human infectious disease.
- Participate in teams and workgroups for CDC's Division of Global Migration and Quarantine, Quarantine and Border Health Services Branch.

Quarantine Station Staff

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