

Quarantine and Migration

Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 President's Budget Request: +\$14 million

Modern air and maritime travel enable extraordinary global interconnectivity, providing economic, cultural, and social benefits. However, these connections allow infected persons to fly or sail to any location in the world, often in less time than it takes to develop symptoms. CDC's global migration and quarantine activities work to create a multi-layered system of public health defenses to mitigate the risk of communicable diseases spreading into and within the United States.

SPOTLIGHT ON IMPACT



Between January 2020 and June 2021, CDC posted more than **1,000** Travel Health Notices to alert travelers and other audiences to COVID-19 health threats around the world and advise them on how to protect themselves.



CDC quarantine stations distributed live-saving drugs to **165** passengers with rare and potentially deadly diseases in 2022.



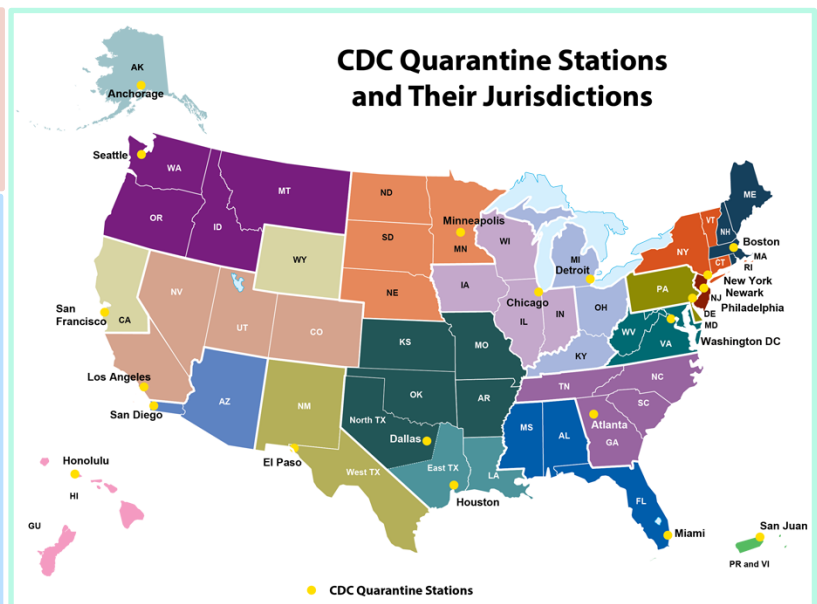
CDC maintains **20** quarantine stations, positioned at key ports of entry, to strengthen public health security at the border. CDC responded to thousands of reports of illness at U.S. land, air, and sea ports of entry in 2022 and screened over **11,000** passengers entering the United States from Uganda in response to the 2022 Ebola Outbreak in Uganda.

FY 2024 BUDGET REQUEST

CDC will use these funds to modernize public health programs and scale-up migration systems that will protect the U.S. during future international outbreaks and pandemics. In 2022, the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine produced formal recommendations related to modernizing the CDC quarantine and migration system. These funds will allow CDC to begin to implement the most urgent recommendations, which are vital for our routine disease outbreak work and global health security.

FY 2024 KEY OBJECTIVES

- Scale up CDC's quarantine station network and migration systems that will protect the U.S. during future international outbreaks and pandemics.
- Support innovative solutions that focus on building and enhancing a modernized and flexible traveler management program.
- Enable CDC to communicate directly with travelers and gather travel data faster; partner with state, local, and territorial health departments; and link travelers into the traveler management system, enabling CDC to engage with travelers before, during, and after travel.



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For more information, please visit: <https://www.cdc.gov/nceid/dgmg/index.html>