



Incidents (at Sea and In Port)	
Violence and Other Injuries by Persons or Animals	0
Transportation Incidents	0
Fires / Explosions	0
Falls / Slips/ Trips	2
Exposure to Harmful Substances or Environments	0
Contact with Object / Equipment	10
Overexertion / Bodily Reactions	3
Illness (Including Heart Conditions, Diseases, etc.)	6
Total Number of Incidents	21
Total Crew Days Reported (At Sea and In Port)	17,010
Number of Accidents Resulting in Lost Time for Crew Members	1
Total Crew Days Lost	46



Incident Details	Warnings / Lesson Learned
- meident Details	It was very valuable to have rapid Ag COVID tests on
	board to be able to test crew that had been in close
	contact.
	The first crew member tested positive with one of
	the rapid Ag tests and then it was confirmed with
	PCR. It was good to know/confirm that the rapid Ag
	tests we are using on board are accurate/reliable
	(was not a false positive). Up until this first positive
	test, they have always showed negative results.
Crewmember sustained back injury due to	terry many among the medical results.
overexertion.	
Science party member had one tick bite.	
Crewmember diagnosed with hernia while at sea by	
GW medical. No lost time crewmember was able to	
work with light duties until he could leave the ship	
for medical treatment. No specific incidence caused	
the hernia.	
Finger got pinched while connecting equipment on	
deck.	
Finger was punctured on a broken glass in galley.	
Crewmember was disassembling a piece of ceiling	
panel for repair that broke loose and hit	
crewmember's leg causing a cut. This required	
stitches onboard and follow up from GWMMA.	
A crewmember had a bad case of seasickness that	Communication from crew to supervisors or
led to dehydration and the person passing out on	Captains with regards to health concerns is
deck and hitting head during a drill. Crewmember	something we've been re-emphasizing as people
did not relay their condition to supervisor and tried	often don't want to bring up issues but that can lead
to "power" through drill. This incident coincided	to more serious issues. Other emphasis is not
with a short return to port for a mechanical issue of	rushing through things during operations or other
science equipment, so we had opportunity to get	working activities that can lead to accidents or
person further examined ashore in addition to	injuries.
GWMAA telemedical support. Fortunately, only	
dehydration was the issue and crewperson could	
return to work.	
Crewmember injured hand after freeing stuck valve.	
Applied ice and took Advil. Personnel had full	
movement of hand and no broken bones.	



Crewmember was walking to head from their	
accommodations, they kicked door and hurt pinky	
toe on left foot. Nothing broken, just bruised and	
sore.	
Applied ice and put foot up.	
Personnel was working on aft deck while under way	
in 5-6ft seas. While working, a wave washed over	
deck, and they tried to avoid getting wet. Person hit	
their shin and knee on lander. A quarter sized piece	
of flesh was sheared off. Applied ice, then cleaned	
and dressed wound.	
Crewmember had pain in hand due to fish spine	
puncture. Hand was inspected and nothing was	
found in wound. Soaked hand in iodine to draw	
some of the bacteria out of flesh. Wound was	
cleaned again with hydrogen peroxide and dressed.	
Latex glove was worn over dressing to help keep	
clean. Healed fully in 48hrs.	
Captain felt ill on first day of a cruise and	
quarantined himself in his cabin. Multiple daily	
COVID tests were taken, all negative results. Stayed	
in quarantine for two days. Chief Mate commanded	
ship in master's absence. When Master resumed	
watch schedule, he wore a mask at all times and	
stayed away from crew as much as possible. No	
other personnel fell ill during cruise duration.	
Crewmember caught foot in gap in hatch near galley	Gap in deck hatch at hinge end filled with foam and
serving line; fell and twisted ankle resulting in bone	covered with plywood and a mat.
chips.	and a made
Crewmember got small, minor cut on hand when	
screwdriver slipped while in use. First Aid: rinsed	
cut, applied antibiotic and band-aid. No	
issues/complications.	
Two crew members tested positive for COVID-19	
(PCR test at government facility) about 3 weeks	
apart (both were fully vaccinated and have 1	
booster), there was no transmission between these	
cases. No one else on crew has tested positive.	
The same size on size and tested positive.	



Followed CDC protocols, each one quarantined for 5 days. The 1st case had no symptoms, returned to work after 5-day quarantine and wore a mask for the next 5 days. Tested negative with rapid Ag test, has fully recovered. Other crew that had been in close contact took 3 rapid Ag tests every other day after exposure and all tested negative.  The 2nd case is currently still taking place during the quarantine period (end of June), had symptoms of fever, cough, and congestion. Checked in with crewmember, feeling better but still has some symptoms. Will check in again after the 5-day period and assess situation based on symptoms and the possibility of returning to work.	
Crewmember injured back due to lifting a box that was too heavy.	Correct procedures for lifting and twisting should be brought up at all safety meetings.
Crewmember had a cyst on their neck.	
Crewmember tripped over equipment left on deck and twisted knee	
Incident involved a box falling while loading stores hitting someone's ankle.	
One crewmember was experiencing troubling back pain while ship was in dry dock during planned maintenance availability and was sent to the Emergency Room. Crewmember was diagnosed with cancer and was sent home.	
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Crewmember injured knee by hitting it on boxes on pallet when loading stores.	It was requested that food vendors not stack stores higher than 4 ft height to try to prevent a repeat of the knee injury.