

Travel Screening

Tip Sheet 🎉

To prevent the spread of infections, all patients should be screened for recent travel and/or contact with anyone who has traveled recently. Epic will require the Travel History screening to be filled out once per day for any patient presenting to an H+H hospital or clinic.



Scenario 1: Outpatient Check-In or Inpatient Admission

Registration: Upon check-in for an appointment or upon an inpatient admission, the registrar will be prompted both on the sidebar checklist (right hand side) and in the confirmation messages (left hand side) to complete the Travel/Exposure Questionnaire by clicking on the Travel History button on the top toolbar.

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Clicking on the Travel History button will cause the questionnaire to pop up with the following 2 questions:

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<u>Question 1 – Patient Screening</u>: If the patient says Yes to fever, cough, or rash, the registrar will be prompted to provide the patient a simple mask and ask them to sanitize their hands. The registrar will click Implemented once complete. If the patient does not have any of these symptoms, select No.

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Next, the registrar will click Accept and complete the check-in or admission. The registrar does NOT need to answer any additional questions. Those will be filled in by a clinician, if the patient answered Yes to the Travel Screening.

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Clinician: When the clinician opens the visit, the Travel and Exposure Screening section is the first section on the Intake tab. The answers entered by the front desk staff are visible and the clinician will answer the remaining questions.

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Scenario 2: ED Arrival, where registrar is a non-clinician

Registration, **non-clinician**: When a patient arrives to the ED, if a registrar (non-clinician) is the first point of contact, the registrar will arrive the patient as usual via the Check In button on the ED Manager or ED Trackboard. The Travel and Exposure Screening will display towards the top of the navigator.

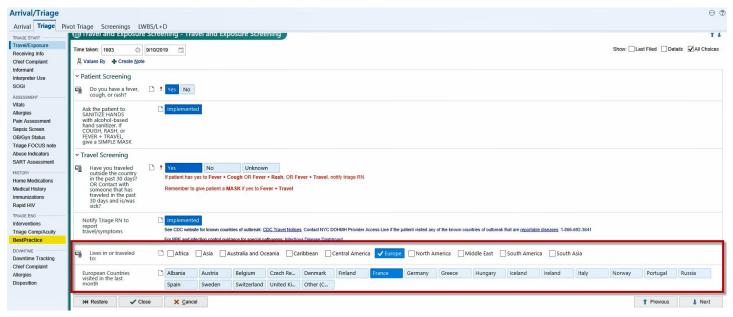
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	Before Care Everywhere information can be retrieved, the patient must provide authorization.

The registrar will ask the same Patient Screening and Travel Screening questions as seen in the outpatient and inpatient workflows described above. Again, the registrar (if non-clinician) does NOT need to answer any additional questions. Those will be filled in by a clinician, if the patient answered Yes to the Travel Screening.

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Clinician: Once the ED Nurse is notified of the patient, the nurse then documents where the patient traveled to. If the patient has been to one of the countries that is currently having an infectious disease outbreak, a BPA will trigger to place the patient in isolation.



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Scenario 3: ED Arrival, where registrar is a clinician

Clinician: In cases where mini-reg/check-in is done by the nurses, nurses will have access to the travel/exposure screening after checking in the patient. From here, they will document the screening in its entirety.

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Inpatient Nurse

An inpatient Nurse has Travel/Exposure section in the admission navigator through which they can see the responses documented by ED Clerk or ED Nurse. An inpatient nurse can also document new reading as needed.

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Scenario 4: Welcome Kiosk

If a patient presents to a clinic that has a Welcome kiosk, the patient will be presented with 2 basic yes/no questions about travel and symptoms.

If they answer "no" for travel and "no" for symptoms, they will be able to proceed with check-in on the Welcome kiosk.

If they answer "yes" to traveling outside of the U.S. or answer "yes" to having symptoms (fever, cough, or rash), the Welcome kiosk will re-direct the patient to the front desk.