At the Miami Beach Convention Center (MBCC), the health, wellbeing, safety and security of all who enter our venue is our number-one priority. Our MBCC COVID-19 Recovery Task Force (comprised of representatives from Centerplate, Smart City, First Class Valet, Everlast Productions, Spectra Venue Management, General Service Contractors, and clients) researched, developed and implemented MBCC Recovery Initiatives: A Planned Phased Recovery to promote healthy best practices for everyone entering the venue. The MBCC is also proud to develop enhanced safety measures to safeguard our collective health, including pursuit of GBAC STAR Facility Accreditation and commitment to the MB Standard.

VENUE HEALTH & SAFETY MEASURES

Increased Cleaning

- Touchpoint and surfaces throughout the venue (including door handles, elevator buttons, escalator handrails, etc.) are frequently sanitized with EPA Registered disinfectants.
- MBCC restrooms employs touchless faucets and flushes. Restrooms are also frequently sanitized with EPA Registered disinfectants.

Personal Protective Equipment

- MBCC employees will wear personal protective equipment, including face coverings in support of City of Miami Beach public health recommendations.
- Portable and wall-mounted hand sanitizing stations placed throughout lobbies, meeting room corridors, pre-function spaces and other high-traffic areas.

Flexible Capacities

- Develop custom floor plans, alternative seating capacities, and reduced occupancy in meeting rooms, ballrooms and pre-function spaces. Plans are developed in support of social distancing standards and in consultation with event organizers and public health officials.

Portable, Static & Digital Signage

- Informational hygiene signage is installed throughout the venue (both in the back of the house and front of the house) in English and Spanish encouraging health practices such as handwashing, respiratory etiquette and “stay home if sick.”
- Opportunities for event organizers to manage traffic and allow social distancing through one-way aisles, signage and floor decals.

Food & Beverage

- Centerplate, the exclusive F&B provider for the MBCC, has launched Rise with Centerplate a multidimensional approach based on the preventative practices for F&B including social distancing, increased handwashing, respiratory etiquette, PPE, “stay home if you’re sick,” continuous cleaning and sanitizing of frequently touched surfaces, Employee Screening, Employee Training, and an Onsite Health Ambassador.
- All F&B managerial staff ensure that the regulations provided by the Florida Department of Health are strictly adhered to, inclusive of sanitation requirements.
- Individually sealed and packaged disposable utensils and condiments will be available.
- Tables and chairs will be spaced to allow for social distancing during meals and disinfected on a regular basis.

Staff Training

- State of FL Department of Health COVID-19 & PPE Training for all MBCC Employees
- Health Ambassadors support health and safety practices in consultation with local public recommendations and event organizers.