Cruising With Disabilities





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Tour Summary

A cruise is a wonderful way to relax and be pampered while visiting some of the world's most stunning ports of call. But many first-time cruisers with disabilities worry about accessibility. In this tour, an experienced cruise traveler will share tips and tricks designed to help you make the most of your cruise. From choosing a ship to exploring the ports of call, we will teach you to navigate the seemingly endless array of choices. Along the way, you will learn secrets to save money and maximize your enjoyment. Since this tour can be for any location, no map is included.

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Introduction





A cruise is many people's ultimate dream vacation.



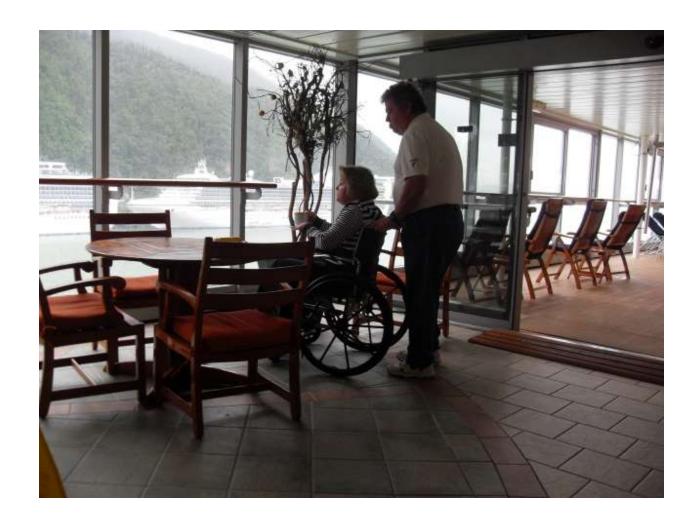
Many ports, including much of Southeast Alaska, are accessible only by ship or airplane,



and a cruise ship allows you to visit multiple locations without the hassles of repacking and moving.



If you have a disability, however, you may wonder if you are able to participate.



In fact, a cruise ship is a wonderful means of travel for people with a wide range of disabilities.



Accessible staterooms provide roll-in showers, TTY telephones, visual emergency alarms, and other equipment to ensure your safety and comfort.



Each ship offers an infirmary staffed by nurses and doctors.



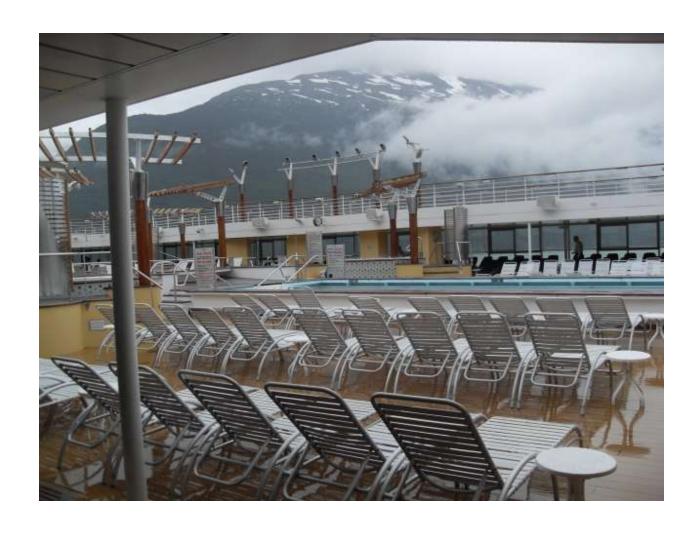
Cruise staff members are responsible for your safety and comfort, and will go out of their way to assist you.



Nonetheless, it is important for you to be proactive about your own needs.



In this tour, an experienced cruise traveler will act as your personal guide,



helping you navigate the maze of accessible cruising, from choosing your ship



to exploring the ports of your dreams.

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