

INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR RADIO PRATIQUE

The master of ship should send the following information to the chief of Quarantine Station by telegram through your agent.
Refer to the example listed in the next table when you send a telegram.

1. Example of Table to be used in the telegram.

ITEM	EXAMPLE	REMARKS
(1) To request radio pratique.	RPM	"RPM" means radio pratique message.
(2) Name, nationality and registration No. (or IMO No.) of ship.		Not requested in the telegram.
(3) Name of master.	CLINT WESTWOOD	
(4) Port and estimated time of arrival.	CHIBA 25TH JULY 1000	Use Japanese local time.
(5) Name of the first port with date of departure.	NEW YORK 1ST JULY	Year to be omitted.
(6) Authority and date of issue of the Sanitary Control Exemption or Control Certificate, and requirement on re-inspection.	YOKOHAMA 15TH JUN 07 control Yes or None	State as follows: 1) Name of issued authority. 2) Date of issue. 3) Kind of exemption or control certificate. 4) Requirement on re-inspection (Yes or None)
(7) Has ship visited an affected area identified by World Health Organization.	Yes or None	If unknown, not requested in the telegram
(8) List ports of call from commencement of voyage with dates of within past 30 days.	HONOLULU 16TH JULY	Year to be omitted. Ports to be listed in order. (Require all ports of call with dates of departure within 30 days before arrival.)
(9) Number of crew and passengers.	crew 35 pax 3	"pax" means passengers.
(10) Has any person died on board during the voyage other than as a result of accident	Yes or None	If so, give following information in plain sentence. 1) Name and age of the deceased. 2) Date of death. 3) Cause of death. (Name of disease or symptoms.)
(11) Is there on board or has there been any case of disease suspected to be of an infectious nature.	Yes or None	State "None", in case no sick person with the following symptoms has been on board, and if there is any sick person, give name and symptoms in plain sentences. (a) fever, persisting for several days or accompanied by (i) prostration; (ii) decreased consciousness; (iii) glandular swelling; (iv) jaundice; (v) cough or shortness of breath; (vi) unusual bleeding; or (vii) paralysis. (b) with or without fever: (i) any acute skin rash or eruption; (ii) severe vomiting (other than sea sickness); (iii) severe diarrhoea; or (iv) recurrent convulsions.
(12) Has the total number of ill passengers during the voyage been greater than normal (In a passenger boat, has any case of outbreak occurred on board)	Yes or None	In case of a cargo vessel, not required in the telegram

(13) Is there any ill person on board now	Yes or None	If so, give following information in plain sentences. 1) Name and age of ill person . 2) Date of onset. 3) Symptoms.
(14) Was a medical practitioner consulted	Yes or None	If so, give following information in plain sentence. 1) Diagnosis 2) Particulars of medical treatment or advice
(15) Are there any conditions which may lead to infection or spread of disease within 30 days before arrival.	Yes or None	State "YES", in case any inactive rat or dead rat has been found on board in spite of putting out rat poisons, and any mosquitoes or any breeding site of vectors such as mosquitoes. State "NONE", in case none of them has been found on board
(16) Has any sanitary measure been applied on board.	Yes or None	If so, give following information in plain sentences. (isolation, disinfection or decontamination)
(17) Are there any stowaways on board	Yes or None	If so, give the following information in plain sentences. 1) Place where they joined the ship. 2) Number of stowaways
(18) Is there a sick animal or pet on board	Yes or None	
(19) Has any person and (or) good transferred from an other ship within 30 days before arrival.	Yes or None	If so, give the following information in plain sentences. 1) Name, last port and date of departure of the ship concerned. 2) Date and number of transferring persons on and (or) also goods.
(20) Is the ship's doctor on board .	Al or None	"Al" means a doctore on board.

NOTE : In case "None" is applicable for items from 10 to 19 or 10 to 20, you may state as follows,
10 to 19 None AL or 10 to 20 None.
Typical messages covering the various item, mentioned above list are given below.

RPM TARO YAMADA CHIBA 25TH JULY 1000 NEW YORK 1ST JULY YOKOHAMA 15TH JUN 07
control None HONOLULU 16TH JULY CREW 35 PAX 3 10 TO 20 NONE