

Australian territory biosecurity requirements for non-commercial vessels

All vessels arriving in Australian territory from outside of Australia, including private non-commercial vessels such as yachts, leisure craft, private superyachts and cruisers are subject to biosecurity control.

At the first point of entry (first port of arrival) in Australian territory, biosecurity officers conduct inspections of arriving non-commercial vessels.

START

Thinking about coming to Australian territory?

90 days to 12 hours before arrival

Submit the mandatory, electronic Pre-Arrival Report (PAR)



Navigate to the dept's non-commercial vessel webpage

Enter a valid email address and submit the request





Travellers and goods are NOT permitted to leave the vessel nor is any person permitted to board the vessel without the permission of a biosecurity officer



Arrive in Australian territory and moor

Status Document (BSD) and follow the directions

Receive the Biosecurity

Receive an email with a link to open and submit the PAR (90 days to 12 hours before arrival)



Biosecurity officers will provide verbal and written (BSD) directions to manage the biosecurity risk

Follow-up timber inspection within 14 days may apply



Biosecurity officers board and conduct an interview and physical inspection of the vessel





Biosecurity officers will provide directions for release from biosecurity control where risks can be mitigated to an acceptable level

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