

SERENA HOTELS COVID 19 SAFETY PROTOCOLS

Welcome Back Home



SERENA Promises:

- **S S**MILE! We work hard to take away your concerns because we care about your well-being.
- **E** Ensuring the disinfecting regimens in use are eco-friendly and effective.
- **R R**eviewed our standards of operations to ensure compliance.
- **E** Extraordinary experiences for a life time.
- **N** No worries, book confidently.
- **A A**pproved, tested, certified and fully compliant with local and national Government protocols, international best practices and the World Health Organization.







Serena Hotels Hotels has a long tradition of emphasizing cleanliness, safety and comfort in our guest rooms, public spaces and back of house operations as we understand that the health, safety and comfort of our guests, staff and partners remains of utmost importance.

This principle accompanies us in this period of the coronavirus (COVID-19) worldwide pandemic and we assure our guests and business partners that as we re-open our properties during this period, we have added to our already rigorous cleaning and safety protocols, the appropriate recommendations and compliance measures in line with the Ministry of Health and the World Health Organization requirements to prevent the spread of this virus.

Management engaged Polucon, a leading inspection, certification and pest control company for preparation and implementation of an in-depth training program on general hygiene, safety requirements and disinfection processes for the 'front of house' and 'back of house' areas for all Serena properties. This training process is being carried out at all Serena properties across the region.













Property Certification: Properties have been inspected and certified as having complied with the required COVID-19 protocols by respective Health authorities.









Payments



The hygiene and safety measures that have been put in place at our properties are:

- ·Cleaning of Surface areas: We have added the appropriate cleaning and sanitization products for high-touch surface cleanliness in all public spaces with increased frequency and these include disinfectants and sanitizing sprayers that rapidly clean and disinfect the guest rooms, public areas, staff areas, restaurants, function and banqueting areas.
- •Equipment: Automated hand sanitizers, non-contact infrared thermometers, hand wash sinks in the appropriate touch points for guests and staff are in place. Other equipment that is to be added in due course to enhance the sanitizing measures already in place are: Ultraviolet disinfection wands for restaurant table tops and Spa equipment, Electrostatic disinfectant Spray machines for guest rooms, public areas and guest luggage and key card/keys sanitizing kits.
- Guest Interaction: To help alleviate the risk of transmission, clear signage is availed in all public areas to remind guests to maintain social-distancing protocols. Floor markers have been put in appropriate areas and furniture has been re—arranged to allow more space for distancing in all guest areas.
- Guest transport: All Guest transport vehicles for guests' transfers, game drives in the national parks/reserves and any other guest transport activity have mounted sanitizers. The vehicles must be cleaned and sanitized after every trip.
- Food safety: All food handlers have been trained on safe food preparation, preparation and service practices. All suppliers have been advised of the new operating standards for purchasing and delivery that must be adhered to.



Food and Beverage Areas: Furniture in the restaurants and bars have been re-configured in order to comply with the social distancing measures of 1.5metres between tables.

The company has modified its operational practices for buffet service for the safety and well –being of our guests.

2 restaurant sittings for dinning may be arranged if necessary and clients are informed when making reservations / upon check in. Guests can access restaurant menus through their phones.



Payments: Cash free payment options are encouraged. Disinfectant wipes for credit/debit cards are available.

Staff: All staff must have the appropriate Personal Protective Equipment when on duty. Whilst on duty, staff are required to have their temperatures checked on daily basis by the nurse before reporting on duty and should any staff feel unwell they must stay away from work and report immediately to the Nurse. Staff are advised to have minimal interaction with guests and amongst themselves.



ON-SITE PCR TESTS

Nairobi Serena Hotel and Kampala Serena Hotel in partnership with accredited laboratories recommended by WHO are offering its guests on-site PCR tests. This service is also available for clients completing their safari before departure. The on-site PCR tests can be scheduled through the Concierge upon arrival after guests have received a briefing on all safety measures to be observed.

Costs

Nairobi Serena Hotel Lancet Laboratories

Normal Testing at the hotel- KES 10,250/ USD 100 (24hours) Normal Testing at the lab- KES 7,750/ USD 71 (24hours)

Kampala Serena Hotel Test and Fly Laboratories

Emergency Testing - UGX 500,000 / USD 135.2 (6 hours) General Testing - UGX 245,000 / USD 65 (12 hours)

Ruby Medical Centre

Express Testing - UGX 450,000 / USD 121.94 (12 hours) Normal Testing - UGX 350,000 / USD 94.84 (48 hours)



Kenva

Nairobi Serena Hotel Serena Beach Resort & Spa Mara Serena Safari Lodge Sweetwaters Serena Camp Lake Elmenteita Serena Camp Kilaguni Serena Safari Lodge Amboseli Serena Safari Lodge

Mozambique

Polana Serena Hotel

Tanzania

Dar es salaam Serena Hotel
Zanzibar Serena Hotel
Arusha Serena Hotel, Resort & Spa
Mbuzi Mawe Serena Camp
Kirawira Serena Camp
Ngorongoro Serena Safari Lodge
Serengeti Serena Safari Lodge
Lake Manyara Serena Safari Lodge
Selous Serena Camp
Serena Mivumo River Lodge

Uganda

Kampala Serena Hotel Lake Victoria Golf Resort & Spa

Rwanda

Kigali Serena Hotel Lake Kivu Serena Hotel

Democratic Republic of Congo

Goma Serena Hotel

Video links:



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