Framework for Conditional Sailing Order: Phased Approach

**PHASE 1:** Mass testing and lab capacity building
- Conduct screening testing of all crew onboard
- Develop onboard lab capacity for testing symptomatic crew, close contacts, and future passengers
- Conduct embarkation testing of all crew

**PHASE 2A:** Voyage preparation
- Implement routine screening testing of all crew
- Develop port, medical, and housing agreements approved by port and local health authorities
- After agreements are approved, embark nonessential crew with testing and 14-day quarantine

**PHASE 2B:** Simulated (trial) passenger voyages
- Request approval from CDC to conduct simulated (trial) voyage
- Conduct simulated voyage*
- Complete after-action report

**PHASE 3:** Conditional Sailing Certification
- Meet CDC’s standards for protection of crew in U.S. waters
- Fulfill requirements for simulated voyage(s)
- Apply for COVID-19 Conditional Sailing Certificate

**PHASE 4:** Restricted passenger voyages
- Obtain and retain a COVID-19 Conditional Sailing Certificate
- Resume passenger operations with restrictions, such as voyage length and testing requirements

*Subject to in-person and virtual CDC inspections

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