



Safe Air travel

amidst COVID-19 Pandemic

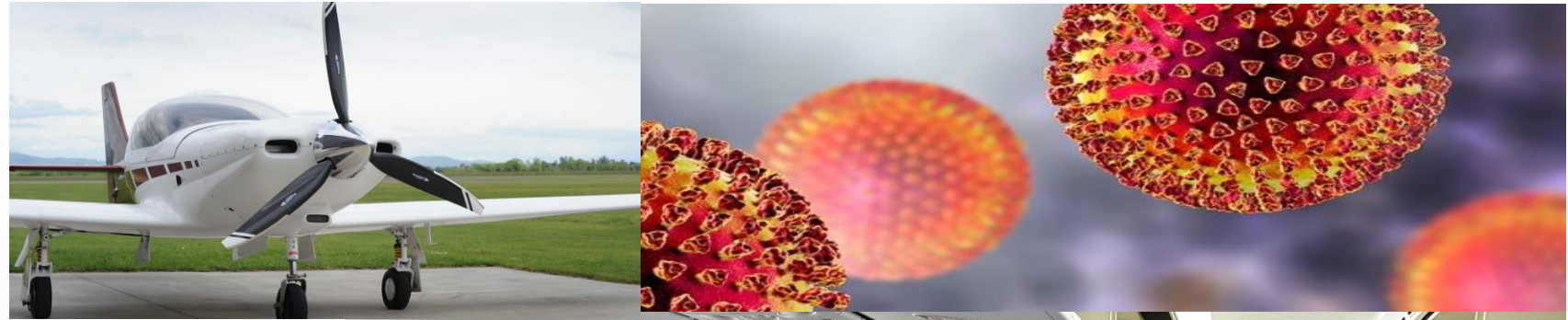
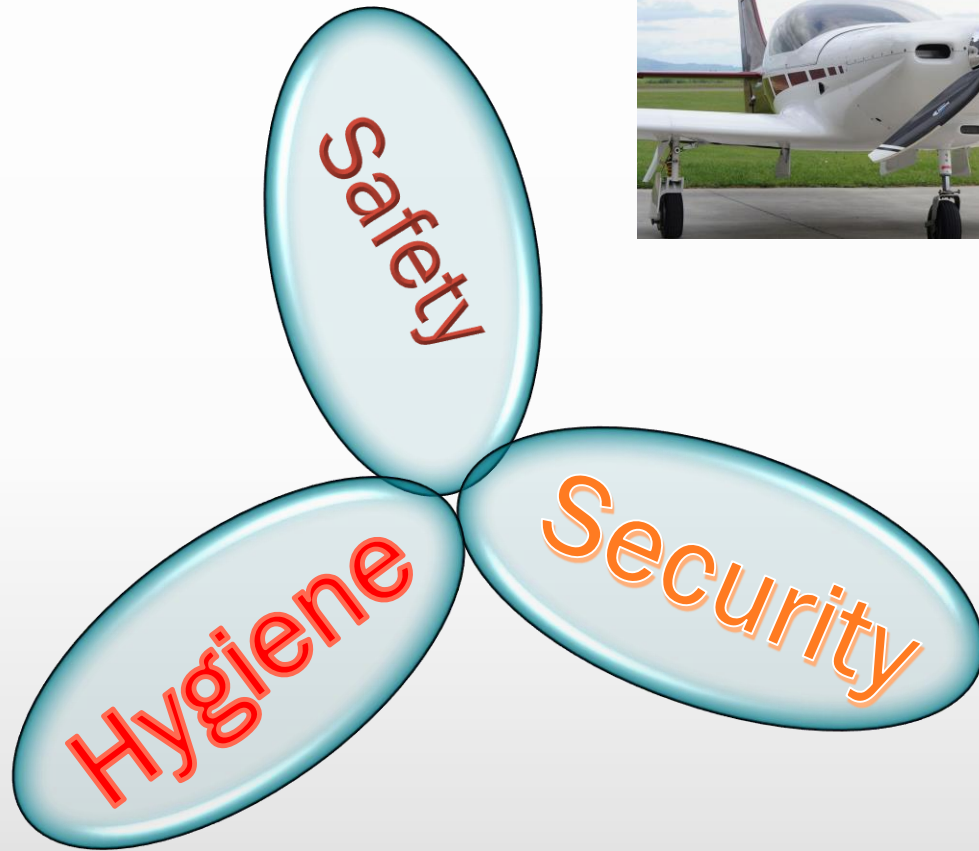


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A good designed and well balanced of measures will propel the aviation through COVID-19 pandemic.



Globally- and regionally-harmonized, mutually-accepted infection control measures are essential.

- ▶ Compatible with safety and security requirements.
- ▶ Proportionate to the improvement of public health.
- ▶ Allow for a viable economic recovery.

Measures must be carefully considered and justified by safety, public health, and confidence of passengers and crew.



What we experienced?

- ▶ Enforce pilot to wear a goggle for the whole flight.
 - ▶ Impact with the flight operation.
- ▶ Ambiguous concept of the PPE to be used during flight.
 - ▶ Protective gown, face covering. Human factor and safety impacts.
- ▶ Recommend to place the food tray for pilot at the door step!
 - ▶ Don't understand the Infection prevention and control.
- ▶ More than 100 ml of alcohol hand rub is permitted.
 - ▶ Soap and water washing is possible on board at the same efficacy.



What we experienced?

- ▶ Less aware risk of fire from alcohol hand rub product.
 - ▶ The flammable hand gel should have a proper handling procedure on board.
 - ▶ A safe storage place (i.e. Not keep near the oven).
- ▶ Trade off safety to the manageable health risk.
 - ▶ Avoid the lay over at some place with alleviation to fly longer than usual flight duty period.



We urge.

- ▶ State to carefully approve any procedures, measures, and alleviations during COVID -19 base on the valid scientific data and appropriately go through the safety, security and public health risk assessment.
- ▶ There must be globally-harmonized, mutually-accepted measures.



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