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## 2025 CRUISE GUIDE







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Cruise Capital of the World®

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# WELCOME MESSAGE FROM MIAMI-DADE COUNTY MAYOR DANIELLA LEVINE CAVA

PortMiami is a vital economic engine that supports more than 340,000 jobs and contributes over \$61 billion to Florida's economy. As the Cruise Capital of the World®, PortMiami continues to drive Miami-Dade's economy forward, creating opportunities for residents across our county.

Last year, PortMiami welcomed 8,233,056 cruise travelers, and we're still growing! We've completed five shore-powered terminals to protect our environment, creating new access roadways and introducing innovative technology to support fast and efficient passenger operations.

Our success would not be possible without our dedicated workforce and strong partners. Our vision is for a greener, more resilient industry and our shared commitment to Miami-Dade and its residents to unite us as we provide every Port user the world-class experience they deserve.

It is both an honor and privilege to work with the PortMiami Family!

With gratitude,

A handwritten signature in white ink that reads "Daniella Levine Cava". The script is elegant and cursive.

Daniella Levine Cava, Mayor  
Miami-Dade County







# WELCOME MESSAGE FROM PORTMIAMI CEO AND DIRECTOR HYDI WEBB

It is my distinct honor to address the seaport's constituents as the first female CEO and Director of PortMiami. As a destination, Miami is undoubtedly the center of world cruise tourism, with incredible weather, culture and unlimited options for outdoor adventurers and exciting experiences.

With more than 8 million cruise passengers annually, PortMiami is recognized as the Cruise Capital of the World®. We partner with more than 20 cruise line companies, including Carnival Corporation & plc, MSC Cruises, Norwegian Cruise Line Holdings, Royal Caribbean Group and Virgin Voyages.

Being the Cruise Capital of the World® is not just about numbers. It is about commitment to service, state-of-the-art cruise terminals that have transformed our skyline, easy access to interstate systems, and proximity to Miami International Airport. The success of the Port is also directly linked to the growth of Miami-Dade County as a global tourism destination and an economic powerhouse for trade and commerce. PortMiami's goal is to continue growing and providing sustainable services by carefully balancing environmental, social and economic factors.

I want to thank the dedicated men and women who work hard to honor our status as the Cruise Capital of the World®. I also want to acknowledge our Mayor and County Commissioners for their continued support of our efforts. We are proud to be part of this community.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Hydi Webb".

Hydi Webb  
CEO and Director, PortMiami





# DISCOVER PORTMIAMI

PortMiami is iconic for cruising. Passengers love the exceptional variety of cruise lines to choose from, the new state-of-the-art cruise terminals and the proximity to incomparable voyage itineraries, such as the Caribbean, Mexico, Central America and beyond. The Port is well-served by the Port of Miami Tunnel, which provides a direct line to the Interstate Highway system, and the high-capacity Miami International Airport, bringing in visitors from around the world looking to enjoy the regional sun and fun. It's no wonder PortMiami is the Cruise Capital of the World®. PortMiami welcomed more than 8 million cruise vacationers in 2024, with plans to exceed that number going forward.

# DISCOVER GREATER MIAMI & MIAMI BEACH

PortMiami is more than just the Cruise Capital of the World® – it's also part of a vibrant destination known for its pristine beaches, lively arts and culture scene, two national parks, fine dining, great shopping and multicultural neighborhoods. More and more passengers are choosing to enhance their getaway by spending several days pre- or post-cruise to soak up everything Greater Miami & Miami Beach has to offer. Whatever you're looking for, you can find it here when you extend your cruise vacation.





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# TRANSPORTATION & PARKING



If you're driving to the Port, plug "PortMiami" into your GPS. Once you get there, follow the signs to the cruise terminals.

## CAR SERVICES AND TAXIS

Taxis are a good option to get you to PortMiami on time for your cruise. Some rental car agencies and nearby hotels offer courtesy shuttle service to and from the Port. You can also open your favorite ridesharing app to come pick you up and drop you off at the terminal. Please access the Port's directory at [miamidade.gov/portmiami](https://miamidade.gov/portmiami) for a complete list of ground transportation companies authorized to conduct business at PortMiami.

## PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

The only public transit that goes directly to PortMiami is the City of Miami's Coral Way Route Trolley. If you are in Downtown Miami, catch it at Government Center Station, where it connects with Metrorail, Metromover, Metrobus and Brightline.

## PORTMIAMI PARKING RATES

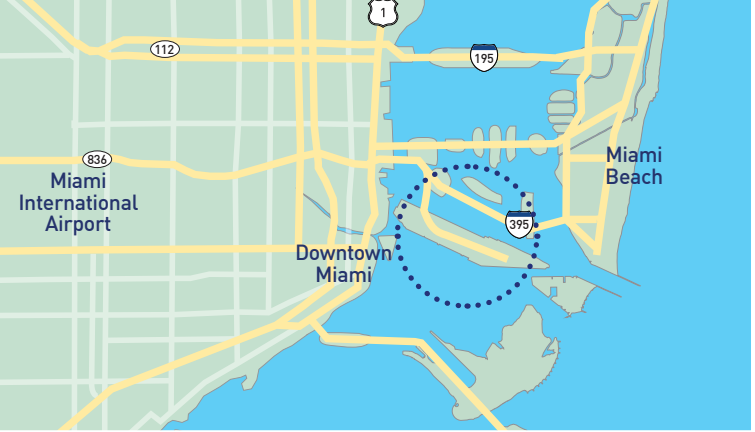
The long-term cruise parking rate is \$25 per day, while the daily rate is \$10 for short-term parking. The Royal Caribbean Terminal A and NCL Terminal B garage rates are \$35 per day. Oversized vehicles (more than 20 feet long) are charged \$25 per day and can park in Surface Lot E. PortMiami Parking accepts cash and all major credit cards.

## LUGGAGE STORAGE

Hold My Luggage offers a safe place to store luggage pre- or post-cruise as well as luggage delivery to and from the airport and local hotels. Visit [holdmyluggage.com](https://holdmyluggage.com) or call 1-888-873-4730 for more information.

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MacArthur Causeway

Fisher Island Ferry Terminal

Terminal B

B

Terminal A

Garage A

Terminal AA

Garage AA

Port Boulevard

North Cruise Blvd.

East Port Boulevard

Australia Way

Port Boulevard

Chute Road

Antarctic Way

FISHERMAN'S CHANNEL

FISHER ISLAND

ATLANTIC OCEAN





# EXPLORE PORTMIAMI'S CRUISE TERMINALS

PortMiami's new cruise terminals have not only transformed the Port – they've reimagined Miami's skyline. These architectural wonders allow passengers to begin their cruise experience the moment they arrive at their designated terminal.

Led by PortMiami, partnerships with cruise lines have led to more branded terminals.



## CRUISE TERMINAL AA

Opened in 2025, MSC Cruises' Terminal AA is a 490,000-square-foot facility and the largest cruise terminal in the world. The four-level terminal can accommodate up to three ships and process up to 36,000 passengers in one day. MSC's Terminal AA was built to Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) standards and is in the process of becoming Gold Certified.



## CRUISE TERMINAL B

Known as *The Pearl of Miami*, Norwegian Cruise Line's Terminal B is 190,000 square feet and is LEED Gold Certified. It has large, modern waiting areas as well as efficient check-in and information desks near the boarding areas.

## CRUISE TERMINAL A

Royal Caribbean International's Terminal A, known as *The Crown of Miami* for its twin peaks resembling passing ships, opened in 2018. The 170,000-square-foot terminal features an expedited security check-in area for international guests, spacious waiting areas, and a dedicated luggage drop-off zone. Royal Caribbean's Terminal A is LEED Silver Certified.



## CRUISE TERMINAL C

With ample seating and efficient check-in and information counters, PortMiami's Terminal C serves ships from several cruise lines.





## CRUISE TERMINALS D, E & F

Carnival Cruise Line's Terminals D and E were expanded in 2018 to accommodate larger-class ships. Terminal F was renovated in 2022. The 471,000-square-foot terminal's sweeping design was developed with efficiency and flexibility in mind. Carnival Cruise Line's Terminals D, E and F are LEED Silver Certified.



## CRUISE TERMINAL G

Construction will begin on Royal Caribbean International's Terminal G on the west end of PortMiami in summer 2025. The new terminal is expected to open in 2027.



## CRUISE TERMINAL J

PortMiami's boutique Terminal J is designed to cater to small vessels and luxury cruises.



## CRUISE TERMINAL V

Opened in 2022, Virgin Voyages' 100,000-square-foot Terminal V is a state-of-the-art three-story facility. The geometric design – a palm grove where land meets sea – was inspired by Miami's iconic palm trees and the area's history as a place where coconuts were once harvested. Virgin's Terminal V is LEED Gold Certified.



# THINGS TO DO IN MIAMI PRE & POST CRUISE

## GET READY TO EXPLORE MIAMI BEFORE OR AFTER YOUR DREAM CRUISE VACATION

Greater Miami & Miami Beach is a wonderful place to embark on a dream cruise vacation. Pair your cruise with some “on land” time in Miami, and explore exciting neighborhoods just minutes away from PortMiami. Even if you have just a few hours to spend before or after your cruise, you’ll find plenty of things to explore.

Here are itineraries to make the most of your time before or after your cruise, whether you’re here for just a few hours or have a full day (and night) to indulge in Miami’s fabulous food, culture and sightseeing.







# IF YOU HAVE FOUR HOURS

## MORNING: ANIMAL ADVENTURE OR ART & ARCHITECTURE

PortMiami is located near many popular attractions, so you'll want to be out the door early in the morning to maximize your time. Nature lovers and families will want to be first in line when nearby Jungle Island opens. Located on Watson Island, directly across from PortMiami, the 18-acre park offers exhibits and interactions with exotic animals as you wander through lush gardens. Snacks and drinks are available throughout the park. Jungle Island is also home to Treetop Trekking Miami, an aerial adventure park with ziplines, suspended bridges and much more. If you're traveling with the kids, be sure to check out Miami Children's Museum, which is also located on Watson Island.

Another great morning option would be hopping in a taxi or rideshare to take you across the scenic MacArthur Causeway to Miami Beach. Ask to be dropped off at the Art Deco Welcome Center for the walking tour. Learn about Miami Beach's architectural history as you take in the lovely pastel palette of Art Deco, Streamline Moderne and Mediterranean Revival jewels, and snap epic selfies next to icons such as The Villa Casa Casuarina (the former home of designer Gianni Versace). Afterward, grab a bite at one of the many excellent restaurants in South Beach.







# IF YOU HAVE SIX HOURS

## MORNING: ART & SCIENCE IN DOWNTOWN MIAMI

Spend the morning at Maurice A. Ferré Park in Downtown Miami, where the wonders of science and artistic inspiration intersect. On this sprawling green space with wonderful views of Biscayne Bay, you'll find two landmark museums: the Phillip and Patricia Frost Museum of Science and the Pérez Art Museum Miami (PAMM).

The Phillip and Patricia Frost Museum of Science is among Miami's most impressive attractions. At the forefront of technology and sustainability, it features a 3D planetarium and an aquarium with a 31-foot-wide oculus lens allowing visitors to see sharks and other fascinating marine life swimming above them. The exhibits, interactive stations and animal encounters are so interesting that you may lose track of time if you're not careful.

Art enthusiasts won't want to miss the stunning Herzog & de Meuron-designed Pérez Art Museum Miami (PAMM). Outside the museum, you'll find dramatic hanging gardens and swings that comprise a sculptural installation ("Netscape" by Konstantin Grcic). Inside, you'll find a stunning collection of contemporary international artworks of the 20th and 21st centuries, as well as a curated selection of books, accessories and decorative art in the gift shop. If you'd like to have a coffee break or lunch onsite, the Verde restaurant and bar offers beautiful waterfront views.







## LUNCH: HIGH NOON IN HIGH STYLE IN BRICKELL

If you opted not to eat at PAMM, hop on the Metromover, a free automated service that loops around Downtown Miami and Brickell. As you travel, enjoy views of such Downtown Miami landmarks as the Adrienne Arsht Center for the Performing Arts, the Kayser Center (home of the Miami HEAT) and yachts on the Miami River before you hop off at Brickell City Centre. This mixed-use development spanning several blocks in Miami's banking and financial district offers four levels of upscale retail shops, a luxury movie theater and many restaurant options.



## AFTERNOON: LITTLE HAVANA

Depending how long you linger at Brickell City Centre, you might have just enough time to get a taste of Little Havana. Located close to Downtown Miami and boasting its own distinctive Cuban flavor, this neighborhood is a multicultural hub for Latin music, food, shopping, a vibrant arts and culture scene, and authentic hand-rolled cigars along world-famous Calle Ocho (Southwest 8th Street). This is the place to rock a guayabera and sip café con leche on your way to see the action at Domino Park.





# IF YOU HAVE A FULL DAY (AND EVENING)

## MORNING: BREAKFAST AND SHOPPING IN SOUTH BEACH

Get out early and head to South Pointe Park in South Beach to join the locals for a relaxing stroll or bike ride on the wide Beachwalk, and be sure to check out the South Pointe Pier. The iconic sidewalk restaurants along Ocean Drive serve delicious breakfasts with a side of people-watching, and it's fun to watch the seaside city slowly waking up. Some shopping is in order, so after exploring the boutiques along Ocean Drive, head over to Collins Avenue, Washington Avenue and Española Way.





## AFTERNOON: SIGHTSEEING IN COCONUT GROVE

Take a car, cab or rideshare to get a taste of Coconut Grove's Bahamian and bohemian roots and enjoy its beautifully shaded streets, neighborhood eateries and bayfront parks where resident peacocks roam. Visit Vizcaya Museum and Gardens, a magnificent Italian villa nestled on 10 acres with manicured gardens and fountains. Treat yourself to a late lunch or grab a snack and spend your time shopping in the Grove's boutiques and upscale retail centers.



## EVENING: CORAL GABLES

In the evening, explore elegant Coral Gables, where the architecture and plazas will make you feel like you've been transported to the Mediterranean. The legendary Biltmore Hotel tower is a can't-miss landmark in "The City Beautiful," and there are many wonderful restaurants and cafes along Miracle Mile and the Giralda Avenue pedestrian thoroughfare where you can enjoy a leisurely dinner.







DID YOU  
KNOW?

PortMiami is a 520-acre island port with 11 iconic cruise passenger terminals designed by world-famous architects.

PortMiami generates over \$61 billion for the economy and supports more than 340,000 jobs in Florida.

One out of every seven Miami International Airport arrivals are PortMiami cruise passengers.

Cruise terminal resiliency and sustainability efforts include Shore Power at five cruise berths.





Cruise lines love the Port for its exceptional location, innovative facilities and superior service. PortMiami's strategic capital investments support the long-term growth of its cruise partners and help pave the way for their ongoing success.

## Cruise Line Partners







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