

CARNIVAL'S MARDI GRAS CREW RESCUES COUPLE IN DISTRESS AT SEA

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U.S. Coast Guard Calls on Carnival Crew to Help Man in Need of Medical Assistance

MIAMI, August 7, 2023 – Carnival Cruise Line's crew aboard *Mardi Gras* answered a call from the U.S. Coast Guard to rescue a couple from a sailboat early Monday morning.

The couple was stranded about 20 nautical miles from Castle Island, Bahamas, and *Mardi Gras* was less than nine miles from them when the Coast Guard's call was received by the ship's officers. As the ship's team approached the sailboat, a lifeboat was lowered from *Mardi Gras* to make the rescue just after 1 a.m. Monday.

Once on board, the man was admitted to the onboard medical center and the team is caring for him.

Mardi Gras is operating an eight-day Caribbean sailing that departed from Port Canaveral, Fla. The ship is continuing its planned itinerary and will arrive to Aruba on Tuesday.

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