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Czechia

US State Dept Travel

Advisory

The US Department of State currently recommends US citizens DO NOT TRAVEL to Czechia due to COVID-19. Consult its website via the link below for updates to travel advisories and statements on safety, security, local laws and special circumstances in this country.

https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/traveladvisories.html

Passport/Visa Requirements US citizens should make sure their passport will not expire for at least 6 months after they enter the country even if they do not intend to stay that long. They should also make sure they have at least 2 blank pages in their passport for any entry stamp that will be required. A visa is not required as long as you do not stay in

the country more than 89 days.

US Embassy/ Consulate [420] 257 022 000; US Embassy in Prague, Tržiště 15, 118 01 Praha 1 – Malá Strana,

Czech Republic; https://cz.usembassy.gov/; ACSPrg@state.gov

Telephone Code 420

Local Emergency

Phone

Ambulance: 112, 155; Fire: 150; Police: 158

Vaccinations See WHO recommendations

http://www.who.int

Climate Understand

Currency (Code) Koruny (CZK)

Electricity/Voltage/Plug

Type(s)

230 V / 50 Hz / plug type(s): C, E



Major Languages Czech, Slovak

Religions Roman Catholic 10.4%, Protestant 1.1%

Time Difference UTC+1 (6 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time); daylight saving

time: +1hr, begins last Sunday in March, ends last Sunday in October

Potable Water Yes

International Driving

Permit

Suggested

Road Driving Side

Right

Tourist destinations Prague (includes Castle District, Charles Bridge, and Pruhonice Park); Klementinum

and Strahov Monastery Libraries; Karlovy Vary; Kutná Hora; Bohemian Paradise;

Konopiště Chateau; Hluboká Castle; Karlštejn Castle; Melnik

Major Sports ice hockey, soccer, basketball, volleyball

Cultural Practices When invited into a room, wait to be seated.

Tipping Guidelines It is good etiquette to tip 10-15% at a restaurant if no service charge is included. Tip

bellhops \$1 (USD) per bag for carrying luggage to your room; leaving a small tip for

housekeeping is appreciated. Tipping is not required for taxi drivers.

Please visit the following links to find further information about your desired destination.

World Health Organization (WHO) - To learn what vaccines and health precautions to take

while visiting your destination. http://www.who.int

 $\underline{\text{US State Dept Travel Information - Overall information about foreign travel for US citizens.}}$

https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel.html

To obtain an international driving permit (IDP). Only two organizations in the US issue IDPs:

American Automobile Association (AAA) (www.aaa.com) and

American Automobile Touring Alliance (AATA) (www.aataidp.com)

How to get help in an emergency? Contact the nearest US embassy or consulate, or call one of these numbers:

from the US or Canada - 1-888-407-4747 or from Overseas - +1 202-501-4444

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