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## Micronesia, Federated States of

**US State Dept Travel Advisory** 

The US Department of State currently recommends US citizens consult its website daily via the link below for any travel advisories about visiting 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. A visa is not required.

**US Embassy/Consulate** 

+(691) 320-2187; EMER: +(691) 920-2369; US Embassy Kolonia, 1286 US Embassy Place, Pohnpei, Kolonia, Federated States of Micronesia

**Vaccinations** 

A valid international certificate of vaccination is required for travelers coming from a region infected with small pox, yellow fever, or cholera. See WHO recommendations.

http://www.who.int

**Climate** 

Tropical; heavy year-round rainfall, especially in the eastern islands; located on southern edge of the typhoon belt with occasionally severe damage

**Currency (Code)** 

US dollar is used

**Electricity/Voltage/Plug Type(s)** 

120 V / 60 Hz / plug type(s): A, B



**Major Languages** 

English, Chuukese, Kosrean, Pohnpeian, Yapese, Ulithian, Woleaian, Nukuoro, Kapingamarangi

**Religions** 

Roman Catholic 54.7%, Protestant 41.1%, Mormon 1.5%, other 1.9%, none 0.7%, unspecified 0.1%

**Time Difference** 

UTC+11 (16 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time)

**Potable Water** 

Opt for bottled water.

**International Driving Permit** 

Suggested

**Road Driving Side** 

Right

**Cultural Practices** 

The islands are known for their stick dancing traditions. All the islands

revere their extended family connections and clan system.

**Telephone Code** 

691

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

<u>US State Dept Travel Information - Overall information about foreign travel for US citizens.</u> <u>https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel.html</u>

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)

US citizens may call the US Dept of State (+1-202-501-4444) for emergencies abroad.

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