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## **Slovakia**

**US State Dept Travel Advisory** 

The US Department of State currently recommends US citizens RECONSIDER TRAVEL to Slovakia due to COVID-19. 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. They should also make sure they have at least 1 blank page in their passport for any entry stamp that will be required. A visa is not required as long as the stay is less than 90 days.

**US Embassy/Consulate** 

+(421) (2) 5443-0861 or +(421) (2) 5443-3338; EMER: +(421) 903-703-666; US Embassy Bratislava, Hviezdoslavovo námestie 4, 811 02 Bratislava, Slovakia

**Vaccinations** 

See WHO recommendations

http://www.who.int

**Climate** 

Temperate; cool summers; cold, cloudy, humid winters

**Currency (Code)** 

Euros (EUR)

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

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



**Major Languages** 

Slovak 78.6%, Hungarian 9.4%, Roma 2.3%, Ruthenian 1%, other or unspecified 8.8%

Religions

Roman Catholic 62%, Protestant 8.2%, Greek Catholic 3.8%, other or unspecified 12.5%, none 13.4%

**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

**Cultural Practices** 

Always wait to be invited before using someone's first name. If you are invited to a Slovak's home, take wine, flowers, or good quality

chocolates for the hostess.

Telephone Code

**Local Emergency Phone Numbers** 

Ambulance: 155; Fire: 150; Police; 158

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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> 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:</u>
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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