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Traveler's Checklist

Do I have:

U.S. Passport or other recommended ID for U.S. citizens? (Carry it; do not pack it)
([Travel Section at U.S Department of State](#))

Green Card or document for Lawful Permanent Residents? (Advance Parole if LPR status is pending) ([U.S Citizenship and Immigration Services](#))

Notarized travel permission letters for minors traveling without their parents?

Entry documentation for the country(s) I will be visiting? (Is a Visa required?)

Only the medication that I need for my trip and in its original container?

Receipts or registration paperwork (CBP Form 4457) for any new electronics, such as a camera or laptop, that I'm taking with me? (Only suggested if traveling with recently purchased goods. Not necessary for goods more than 6 months old.)

Proof of Rabies vaccinations for my dogs if they are traveling with me? (Not required for cats. Check for requirements regarding other pets.)

Appraisals or receipts if I'm traveling with a lot of new jewelry?

Valid driver's License? (Do I need an international driver's license in the country I am visiting?) ([International Driving Permit Instructions](#)) or ([AAA](#))

An envelope to put all the receipts for my purchases? (This will make filling out the CBP declaration easier.)

Copy of Know Before You Go brochure? ([Know Before You Go - Regulations for U.S. Residents \(pdf - 964 KB.\)](#))

Information on items that do not have a Website address after them can be found in this Know Before you Go brochure ([Know Before You Go - Regulations for U.S. Residents \(pdf - 964 KB.\)](#)) or on www.cbp.gov

see also:

 **on cbp.gov:**

[Know Before You Go - Regulations for U.S. Residents \(pdf - 964 KB.\)](#)

 **on dhs.gov site:**

[Travel Section at U.S Department of State](#)
[U.S Citizenship and Immigration Services](#)

 **on the web:**

[Pet Travel](#)

[International Driving Permit Instructions](#)

[AAA](#)

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