



Burkina Faso



US State Dept Travel Advisory For the latest travel advisories for this country, please consult the U.S. State Department's website, available through the link below.

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

Passport/Visa Requirements For the latest passport and visa requirements for this country, please consult the U.S. State Department's "Learn About Your Destination" search tool, available through the link below.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/International-Travel-Country-Information-Pages.html>

US Embassy/Consulate [226] 25-49-53-00; US Embassy in Ouagadougou, Secteur 15, Ouaga 2000, Avenue Sembène Ousmane, Rue 15.873, Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso; <https://bf.usembassy.gov/>; ouagaACS@state.gov

LGBTQIA+, Women, and Special Needs Travelers Additional travel considerations can be found on the US State Department's International Travel page: <https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/before-you-go/travelers-with-special-considerations.html>

Telephone Code 226

Local Emergency Phone Police 17, Ambulance 112

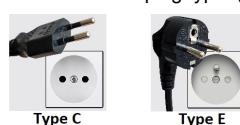
Vaccinations For the latest information on required or recommended vaccines, please visit the CDC's website, available through the link below.

<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/list>

Climate Tropical; warm, dry winters; hot, wet summers

Currency (Code) Communauté Financière Africaine francs (Western African CFA francs, XOF)

Electricity/Voltage/Plug Type(s) 220 V / 50 Hz / plug types(s): C, E



Major Languages French, native African languages belonging to Sudanic family spoken by 90% of population

Time Difference UTC 0 (5 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time)

Potable Water Opt for bottled water

International Driving Permit Suggested

Road Driving Side Right



Souvenirs Woven baskets and rugs, leather goods, hand-carved chess sets and wooden statues, bronze models, tribal masks and jewelry

Traditional Cuisine Riz gras — white rice, tomato paste, and vegetables such as eggplant, carrots, onions, chili peppers, and garlic boiled together into a thick rice stew and served with raw onions