

Opulent Travel

Before you travel

A few things to check, so you can look forward to the journey.



A seaplane arrival in the Maldives / Our Opulent Travel team

Passports & entry requirements

Check everyone’s passport early, including children’s. Validity, blank pages, visas and arrival forms depend on your nationality, destination and transit route. Use the specific guidance we send, and ask if anything is unclear. Tell us if you renew a passport after booking, so we can update the details held for your trip. Names on tickets must match your travel documents.

Health & medication

Seek advice from a travel health professional well before departure, taking your full route and planned activities with you. Carry medication in original labeled packaging in your hand luggage, with prescription copies, and check destination and transit restrictions. Let us know early about refrigeration, CPAP or other medical equipment, so we can check the practical arrangements with your hotels and transport providers.

Your itinerary & contacts

Take a little time to read your final itinerary, checking names, dates, flights and meeting instructions. Open your guest portal or travel app before leaving, and download the itinerary for offline use where available. Save our contact details and local emergency numbers separately, and leave a copy of your plans with someone at home. Ask us about anything that doesn’t look right.

Money, phones & charging

Check how your cards work abroad and the fees involved, and have a backup payment method. We’ll advise on local cash and tipping for your route. Decide how you’ll use your phone abroad, whether roaming or a suitable SIM, and check coverage expectations in remote areas. Pack the right adapters and cables, and keep important contacts available without relying on mobile data.

Your final travel documents contain the guidance and contacts for your particular trip.

We’re here before you leave and while you’re away. Let us know what you need, and we’ll help.



Travel insurance

Arrange cover when you book, and check what it includes for cancellation, delays, medical treatment and emergency evacuation. Tell your insurer about relevant health conditions and planned activities, such as trekking, diving or an expedition cruise. Keep the policy number and emergency assistance contact accessible. If your plans change, check that your cover still fits the whole journey.

Help us look after you

Tell us about allergies, dietary needs, mobility concerns or anything that would make your trip more comfortable. Even a small detail can help us choose the right arrangements. Let us know about a birthday, anniversary or other celebration, too. Please share an emergency contact and keep us updated if your needs change between booking and departure.

Flights, bags & the first day

Check each flight’s baggage allowance, including regional and small-aircraft sectors. Keep important documents and essentials accessible, and pack a change of clothes in your carry-on if space allows. Read the arrival instructions before flying, so you know who is meeting you and where. Tell us about delays or flight changes as soon as possible, using the contacts in your itinerary.

A little flexibility

Your itinerary is a starting point for enjoying the trip, and your guide can help with the day’s pace. If you’d like a rest, a photo stop or time to linger somewhere, say so. Some reservations, permits and transfers have fixed timings, but we’ll explain where there is room to adjust. Before departure, ask us any question, however small. We want you to feel ready.