



Take Responsibility for Your Travel

Despite the assessments and studies, only one thing is certain about Y2K: the consequences are still unknown.

- Take responsibility for your travel arrangements. Do research so that you can make informed decisions about your mode of travel and destination.
- Be prepared for possible delays in your business or personal travel. When you arrive, you will depend on many systems that use computers. Your credit card, banking machines, your hotel reservation – none of these are immune to possible Y2K disruptions.



DFAIT Can Help You Travel in 2000

DFAIT can help you with your travel decisions before you leave and assist you if there is a problem when you are abroad.

Over the coming months, the Department will be working hard to ensure that Canada's overseas offices continue to deliver essential services, despite possible Y2K disruptions. These include services such as contacting home, locating missing persons, and helping with documents, evacuation, and temporary financial support. However, some embassies and consulates could experience Y2K problems that may affect the services available to Canadians. DFAIT is making plans for dealing with the contingencies.

For information about your destination before you go, you can access the Department's Travel Reports (available for over 215 countries). Travel Reports will include Y2K status reports and regions to watch.

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