

# CEA Prague Health, Safety, & Wellness

Jessica Hankiewicz CEA Prague Associate Director of Student Affairs



## We Put Students First!

- The health & safety of our students is our top priority
- Our programs are designed to provide a solid support structure for students
- Our staff is well-trained and has experience that has prepared them in the event of an incident





## **Support & Resources**

#### **US Student Affairs Team**

- Director of Health, Safety, & Student Affairs
- International Director of Risk Management
- Health & Safety Advisor

#### Onsite

- Health and Safety Coordinator
- 24/7 Emergency Phone
- Onsite Staff Training
- Knowledge of the City and Czech Culture





## **Culture Shock & Adaptation**

















































Pre-departure Ups & Downs

Excitement at Going Abroad

Honeymoon Phase

**Culture Shock** 

(Homesickness)

Adaptation

Pre-return Ups & Downs

Excitement for Home Return

Missing Other

Culture

Adaptation





















## **Cultural Views**



## What do you think of Czechs?

First Impressions

## What do Czechs think of you?

Stereotypes about Americans







## **FAQs & Cultural Tips**



- Restaurant Etiquette
- Special Dietary Needs
- Food Allergies
- Shopping
- Customer Service
- Behavior in Public
- Czech Culture







## **Staying Healthy**

## FRUIT MONDAYS

Students are
welcome to come by
the CEA Center
every Monday to
grab some fresh
fruit!





## **Staying Healthy**

#### **IMOVE WITH CEA**

- Yoga every Monday
- Cross Training every Tuesday
- Indoor Rock Climbing every Wednesday









<sup>\*</sup>These activities are Free of charge

## **Health Care & Insurance**

#### **CHP - CONSOLIDATED HEALTH PLAN**

#### Student insurance provider

- Plan includes up to \$250,000 in medical and evacuation coverage
- Students pay upfront for routine medical expenses and are then reimbursed
- No deductible
- Staff is available to assist them in this process

#### GENERALI GLOBAL ASSISTANCE

#### Provides Emergency Assistance services in any country in the world including:

- Emergency guarantees of payment
- Emergency transportation services, including repatriation
- 24-hour assistance
- Student portal with doctor search feature, drug translator, travel alerts, and more









## **Health Care**

### **English-speaking Medical Centers**

DOGTOR

Students make appointments on their own; CEA staff will accompany them in cases of serious injuries and illnesses.

Doctor Health Centre Prague: <a href="https://www.doctor-prague.cz">www.doctor-prague.cz</a>

Canadian Medical Care: <a href="https://www.cmcpraha.cz">www.cmcpraha.cz</a>



#### **Recommended Emergency Room:**

Emergency Room Central Military Hospital: <a href="https://www.uvn.cz">www.uvn.cz</a>







## **Staying Safe**

## Prague is a very safe city! But...

- Lock your doors
- Beware of pickpocketing
- Call a taxi rather than flag one down
- Keep a low profile
- Use common sense





## **Staying Safe**

## Weekend Travel Survey

- Sent out weekly
- Helps us to track students in case of emergency
- It is mandatory!





## **Staying Safe**



### **CEA Alert and**

## **Emergency Instructions**

- In case of an emergency or natural disaster, CEA will contact students via email, phone, or Facebook
- These messages will contain the heading CEA ALERT; it is imperative that students respond to confirm their safety
- Students are urged to always contact their families in these cases



## **CEA Emergency Phone Support**

#### **IMMEDIATE RESPONSE**

- 24/7 emergency phone rotates between trained staff
- Students may use this number for serious incidents
- Incidents are escalated to senior staff when necessary
- We follow CEA Emergency Protocols
- Onsite staff act quickly and work with the Phoenix office when necessary
- For medical emergencies, students are transported to the nearest and best medical facility available accompanied by CEA staff
- CEA staff will keep universities and parents informed





## **Key Contacts**

All students receive a handy Emergency Card with vital information:















Thank you for joining us.



