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Country-specific dengue recommendations 2017

NaTHNaC has updated the country-specific recommendations for dengue

NaTHNaC has recently reviewed and updated the dengue country-specific information and recommendations. This review was based on the Center for Disease Control review of 2005-2015 data [1] and additional published data from January 2016 to March 2017 [2-13]. Travel-associated dengue cases in the UK, 2012-2016, were also reviewed. Both reviews have focussed on evidence of local mosquito-borne dengue transmission.

Nine new countries have recommendations as a result of this review:

- Afghanistan
- Bermuda
- Croatia
- Djibouti
- France
- Iran
- Mauritania
- Oman
- St Martin (France)

Specific regional details have been included if available and confirmed for those countries where only part of a country is known to be affected.

There was no evidence of local dengue transmission in either of the reviews for Botswana, Christmas Island (Australia), Guam, and Wake Island. The country-specific dengue recommendations have been removed for these countries. Travellers to these countries should continue to use good [insect bite prevention measures](#).

In conjunction with the review, the [dengue factsheet](#) with advice for both travellers and health professionals has also been revised.

The latest news about larger dengue outbreaks can be found on the [Outbreak Surveillance database](#).

Resources

- [Dengue factsheet](#)
- [WHO dengue factsheet](#)
- [ECDC dengue resources](#)

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