

# OIE Information & Travel Cheat Sheet

Country:	Czech Republic (CZ)
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Sex & Dating	Alcohol & Drugs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Traditional gender roles still common<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Society is very much male dominated</li><li>○ Sex-based discrimination in workplace is illegal</li></ul></li><li>● Woman might be subjected to catcalling/ unwanted advances in public spaces</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Legal age to buy/consume alcohol: 18<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Drinking is not allowed in public places!</li></ul></li><li>● Cannabis (marijuana) recreational use is illegal<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Possession for personal use (15g) is decriminalized</li><li>○ Medicinal use permitted under conditions</li></ul></li></ul>
LGBTQIA+ Culture	Cultural Customs and Norms
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● CZ is regarded as very progressive in terms of LGBTQIA+ rights<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Prague is considered to be a safe haven</li><li>○ Trans and non-cisgender activism is on the rise, however people outside the traditional gender binary remain a curiosity for many Czechs</li></ul></li><li>● Resources<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Rainbow SIG</li><li>○ Diversity Abroad</li><li>○ OutRight Action International</li></ul></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Population: 10 million</li><li>● Currency: Czech crown (koruna)</li><li>● Official Language: Czech<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Many have base knowledge of English</li></ul></li><li>● People in CZ generally dress more moderately/conservatively than other parts of Europe</li><li>● Cobblestones, high curbs, and old buildings present mobility issues (especially in Prague)</li></ul>

Resources	<b>1813</b> DK emergency number / <b>112</b> General EU emergency number  <b>+45</b> Country code
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● International SOS<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ DU Membership Number: 11BSGC000067</li><li>○ Phone: 215.942.8478 / Website: <a href="https://www.internationalsos.com">internationalsos.com</a></li></ul></li><li>● Student Support Program (My SSP): 24/7 Mental Health Support</li><li>● U.S. Department of State Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (STEP): <a href="https://travel.state.gov">travel.state.gov</a></li></ul>	



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