

Getting to Majuro, Republic of the Marshall Islands

Airport

- Majuro is served by the Amata Kabua International Airport with the call letters **MAJ**.
- Airport Tax: A departure fee of \$20.00 U.S. is required except for children less than 12 years old and adults over 60 years old.

Airlines

The two main airlines servicing the Marshall Islands from abroad are:

- [United Airlines](#). United operates between Asia and Honolulu and provides a connection to the Marshall Islands in both directions on what is affectionately named the “Island Hopper”. The route is Honolulu direct to Majuro (4.5 hours), or Guam to Majuro with four quick “hops” (8 hours).
- [Nauru Airlines](#). Nauru Airlines operates between Australia and the Marshall Islands and also connects with Nauru and Kiribati.

Immigration

- U.S., Palau, and FSM Citizens are exempt from Visas with a valid Passport.
- A 30-day visa-on-arrival will be granted for citizens of Australia and New Zealand, Canada, European Union (includes United Kingdom), South Korea, Japan, Taiwan, and the Philippines with the proper paperwork.
- All others should use the following procedure:
 1. Generally, an application for a visa should consist of the following:
 - i. Completed application form (with two recent passport size photos)
 - ii. Passport (valid for at least 6 months)
 - iii. Supporting documents:
 - (i) Letter from applicant – stating the purpose and duration of visit
 - (ii) Police record – must be dated within last 3 months
 - (iii) Health clearance – must show person is free from HIV/AIDS and TB; dated within last 3 months
 - (iv) Receipt – to show payment of application fee
 2. Complete applications and supporting documents should be sent to:

The Director of Immigration
PO Box 890
Majuro, Republic of the Marshall Islands, 96960
Tel: (692) 625-8633 / 4572
Fax: (692) 625-4246
Email: rmiimmig@ntamar.net
 3. An application with all requested documents may take up to 14 days to process. If an application is incomplete or further supporting documentation is requested, the application may take up to 21 days to process.

Lodging and Accommodation

Please contact the following establishments directly to make your reservations. Inform the establishment that you are attending the 2016 Pacific Islands PCSI Conference which is hosted by the RMI Ministry of Health.

Hotel Robert Reimers (\$80 daily rate)

- <http://www.rreinc.com/rrehotel.html>
- 3 Bungalow lagoon front suites, 8 Standard garden view (trees and tropical flowers) bungalows, 10 Lanai rooms with garden and lagoon views, 15 Efficiency rooms
- Air conditioning, full bath with shower, cable television, refrigerator, mini-bar and coffee pot, telephone, alarm clock and radio, 24 hour hot and cold water, Wi-Fi, Airport shuttle
- Point of contact to make reservations:
Colette Reimers
Email: hotelrr@rreinc.com or colettereimers@rreinc.com
Phone: (692) 625-5131

Lojkar Apartments & Hotels (\$250 daily rate or \$1,200 weekly rate)

- <https://www.facebook.com/piimajuro>
- 10 minute drive from downtown
- 2 bedroom unit, with a queen in the master bedroom and two single beds in the guest room
- Full kitchen, shower room, living & dining area
- Includes modern amenities: housekeeping, telephone, air conditioning, refrigerator, dining table, Wi-Fi accessibility with prepaid cards, cable television
- Airport shuttle pick-up and drop-off (must make appointment to insure pick-up or drop-off)
- We do group discounts so if more than 3 rooms are booked with us we can give them a rate reduction
- Point of contact to make reservations:
Lorraine Kramer, Accommodations Manager
Email: lkramer@piimajuro.com
Phone: (692) 247-7714 or (692) 625-3122

Majuro Airport Apartments & Hotels (\$140 daily rate or \$600 weekly rate)

- <https://www.facebook.com/piimajuro>
- 15 minute drive from downtown
- 1 bedroom unit with a queen bed
- Full kitchen, shower room, living & dining area
- Includes modern amenities: Housekeeping, air conditioning, refrigerator, Wi-Fi accessibility with prepaid cards
- Airport shuttle pick-up and drop-off (must make appointment to insure pick-up or drop-off)
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Marshall Islands Resort (\$80 daily rate)

- <http://www.marshallislandsresort.net/>
- Wireless internet, fax, photocopier, mobile phone reception
- Non-smoking rooms, air conditioning, laundry services, daily housekeeping, room service, safe at reception
- Restaurant with gourmet dining, bar, tennis courts, a swimming pool, a 24-hour fitness center, meeting and banquet facilities, and free shuttle service to the Majuro International Airport.
- Point of contact to make reservations:

Email: omrguests@ntamar.net

Phone: (692) 625-2525 or (692) 625-6871

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Transportation

Hotel Shuttles

Most hotels offer airport shuttle pick-up and drop-off. Please inquire when making your lodging reservations.

Taxis

- From airport to town, the one-way rate is approximately \$5.00.
- One-way rates for in-town destinations is approximately \$0.75 in a car and \$0.50 in a van.
- From town to destinations beyond the bridge (out of town), rates are more.
- In all cases, verify rates with the driver.

Rental Cars

- DAR - \$50/day
(692) 625-3174
- Majuro Motors - \$65/day
(692) 625-4424
- MGAS - \$67.60/day
(692) 625-6559

Health and Alerts

There are two health facilities in Majuro:

Majuro Public Hospital

Delap Island, adjacent to Capitol Building

Majuro Atoll

Tel: (692) 625-3632

Majuro Clinic

Uliga Island, Lagoon side across from the Marshall Island Visitor Authority

Tel: (692) 625-6455

For general health information, vaccines, and medicines for travelers to the Marshall Islands please access [CDC Website for Traveling to Marshall Islands](#).

Health Alert: Zika Virus

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has issued a [travel notice](#) for the Republic of the Marshall Islands regarding the Zika virus. There is evidence that Zika is linked to birth defects in the fetuses of infected pregnant women and Guillain-Barré syndrome in infected individuals of any age or gender. Zika is typically a mosquito-borne illness, but there are reports that the virus has been transmitted through sexual contact and blood transfusion. For general information about Zika, please visit the [CDC website](#).

State of Emergency Due to Severe Drought Conditions

The Office of the President of the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) has declared a state of emergency due to severe drought conditions caused by the recent El Niño Southern Oscillation. According to the RMI government, rainfall across the RMI is below 50 percent of average in the first quarter of 2016, and lack of precipitation will result in a decrease in the water supply. El Niño conditions are expected to persist through July 2016. *Note: RMI Ministry of Health Officials state that the drought conditions should not impact the 2016 Pacific Islands PCSI Conference.*