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Tropical Virus Risk

This change applies to the Geographic Disease Risk Index (GDRI)

Please change the Tropical Virus Risk entries for the following countries:

Burkina Faso

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	No Yes - Dengue Virus and Zika Virus

Cote D'Ivoire

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	No Yes - Dengue Virus and Zika Virus

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Angola

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes - Dengue Virus and Zika Virus

Burundi

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes - Chikungunya Virus and Zika Virus

Cameroon

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes – Chikungunya Virus and Zika Virus

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Central African Republic

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes – Chikungunya Virus and Zika Virus

Nigeria

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes – Chikungunya Virus and Zika Virus
<i>Viral Haemorrhagic Fever Risk</i>	Yes

Senegal

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes – Chikungunya Virus and Zika Virus
<i>Viral Haemorrhagic Fever Risk</i>	Yes

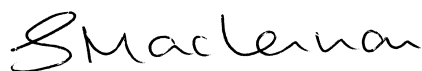
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Uganda

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in whole country
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	A
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	Yes
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Chikungunga Virus</i>	Yes
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes – Chikungunya Virus and Zika Virus
<i>Viral Haemorrhagic Fever Risk</i>	Yes

India

<i>Malaria</i>	Yes All year in affected areas. Due to the complexity of the distribution the map below should be used. Visitors to 'Low to no risk' areas (pale pink) only, accept.
<i>Malaria Risk Category</i>	B
<i>Previous Malaria Risk</i>	Yes all year whole country until May 2012
<i>Trypanasoma Cruzi Risk</i>	No
<i>Sub Saharan Africa</i>	No
<i>West Nile Virus Risk</i>	No
<i>Tropical Virus Risk</i>	Yes – Chikungunya Virus and Dengue Virus and Zika Virus



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