

DUBAI INFORMATION

Emergency numbers

Ambulance	998 / 999
Fire	997
DEWA Emergency	991
Municipality	(04) 223 2323
Police	999

Ambulance Service

American Hospital Dubai (04)309 6877

Australian Embassy

<http://www.dfat.gov.au/missions/countries/aedu.html>

British Embassy

www.ukinuae.fco.gov.uk/en

Checklist for new residents

1. Health card medical test
2. Residency permit / visa
3. UAE ID card & E-gate card
4. DEWA (W&L) connect
5. Phone, mobile & TV connect
6. Licenses: Vehicle(RTA), Alcohol(MMI or A&E)
7. Add emergency numbers on mobile phones
7. Open bank accounts, find schools
8. Make sure you have a valid Will - in the UAE Sharia Law applies
8. Join networking groups, church etc.

Counselling

Dubai Community Health Centre (04)395 3939

DEWA (Dubai Electricity & Water Authority)

www.dewa.gov.ae

Du (Telecommunication)

www.du.ae

Dubai Court

www.djd.gov.ae

Dubai Municipality

www.dm.gov.ae

Dubai Naturalisation & Residency

www.dnrd.gov.ae

Emirates Post

www.emiratespostuae.com

Etisalat (Telecommunications)

www.etisalat.ae

Eye Tests (For driving license)

At any recognised optician. Inform them that the test is for the driving license

Don't forget to take enough passport photos with you

Gynaecologist

American Hospital Dubai (04) 309 6642

Hospitals

American Hospital Dubai (04)309 6877

Indian Embassy

www.cgidubai.com

Islamic Holidays

http://www.qppstudio.net/publicolidays2009/uae__united_arab_emirates_.htm

Islamic religious holidays are timed according to local sightings of the moon in various phases.

Kennels & Cattery

Posh Paws (050)273 0973

Maid Service

Dial-a-Maid 8005151

Helpers (04)398 3626

Mammography Screening

American Hospital Dubai (04) 309 6642

Medical Insurance

BUPA (04)331 8688

MMI / A & E Alcohol Licenses

Stores in most main centres. Licenses renewable annually

Islam forbids the consumption of alcohol

Nannies & Baby-sitters

majesticnannies@yahoo.com

Nursery Schools

www.britishorchardnursery.com

Organic / Biodynamic Foods

www.organicfoodsandcafe.com

Pet Grooming

Shampooch (mobile grooming service) (04) 344 9868

Pet-sitting

www.petsathomedubai.com

or contact your local vet for advice

Police

www.dubaipolice.gov.ae Emergency 999

Pool Maintenance

www.thosepoolguys.com

Recruitment Agencies

www.bayt.com

www.iqselection.com

www.clarendonparker.com

www.bacme.com

Beware of unscrupulous 'agencies' that illegally charge job-seekers a listing fee!

RERA (Real Estate Regulatory Authority)

www.rpdubai.ae

Removals

Ahmed Saleh Packing (04) 285 4000

RTA (Roads & Transport Authority)

www.rta.ae

Salik (Road toll collection system)

www.salik.ae

South African Embassy

www.southafricadubai.com

Taxi

Taxi Dubai (04) 208 0808

Tyres

Al Mansour Tyres (04) 347 7734

Veterinary Services

Al Safa Veterinary Clinic (04) 348 3799

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