

Istanbul, Turkey - Consulate General of the United States

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Security Message for U.S. Citizens: Consulate Reopens on Tuesday, August 11

August 10, 2015

The U.S. Consulate General in Istanbul will reopen to the public on August 11, 2015, following today's security incident.. Please monitor the news for further developments and maintain security awareness.

U.S. citizens are reminded to exercise caution in the vicinity of large gatherings, as even peaceful gatherings can turn confrontational. Review your personal security plans, remain aware of your surroundings, including local events, and monitor local news stations for updates. Maintain a high level of vigilance, take appropriate steps to enhance your personal security, and follow instructions of local authorities.

For further detailed information:

- See the State Department's travel website for the Worldwide Caution, Travel Warnings, Travel Alerts, and Turkey's Country Specific Information.
- Enroll in the Smart Traveler Enrollment Program (**STEP**) to receive security messages and make it easier to locate you in an emergency.
- Contact the [U.S. Embassy in Ankara](#), located at 110 Ataturk Boulevard, Kavaklidere, 06100 Ankara, at +90-312-455-5555, *8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.* Monday through Friday. After-hours emergency number for U.S. citizens is +90-312-455-5555 or +90-212-335-9000 (U.S. Consulate General Istanbul).
- Contact the [U.S. Consulate General in Istanbul](#), located at 2 Uçsehitler Sokagi, 34460, Istinye, Sariyer, at +90-212-335-9000.
- Contact the [U.S. Consulate in Adana](#), located at 212 Girne Bulvari, Guzelevler Mahallesi, Yuregir, Adana at +90-322-455-4100.
- Contact the Consular Agency in Izmir at +90-232-464-8755.
- Call 1-888-407-4747 toll-free in the United States and Canada or 1-202-501-4444 from other countries from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays).
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