

Travel Restriction Issued by United States European Command for France

United States European Command has implemented a travel restriction for all DoD Personnel (Uniformed, civilian, contractors and command sponsored family members) into France. This includes all official and unofficial travel. These restrictions also apply to cruise ship shore excursions but do not apply to military personnel assigned to diplomatic posts in France and individuals who have commercial airline connections in the country and will not leave the secure portions of airport terminals.

REQUIRED APPROVALS

- Paris: This prohibition is for unofficial travel to Paris, France, and includes a 50-kilometer radius around the city. For those requesting official travel or emergency leave travel to Paris (or within a 50-kilometer radius of the city), approval from the first general/flag officer (or SES) in the chain of command is required.
- Elsewhere in France: Official travel and emergency leave travel to France requires approval from the first general/flag officer (or SES) in the chain of command.

EVACUATION STATUS

At this time, the State Department and DoD has NOT authorized evacuations for France. If the SECDEF orders an evacuation, further information will be provided.

WHERE TO LOCATE UPDATED INFORMATION FOR EUCOM AOR

The full message may be found on the EUCOM Official Blog:

<http://eucom.dodlive.mil/2015/11/eucom-implements-travel-restrictions/>