

General Tour Conditions

Reservations & Payment

Reservations will be confirmed upon receipt of a non-refundable \$100 per person deposit. Full payment is due at least 60 days prior to departure except for Carnival, Reveillon or other special events, where full, non-refundable payment may be required upon confirmation. Airline tickets and tour deposits may be paid for with credit card. Hotel & ground final payment will be made by check.

Passports & Visas

Passengers are responsible for acquiring valid passports and visas. U.S. Citizens must possess a Brazilian Tourist Visa for travel to Brazil. Children of Brazilian Citizens have special passport requirements – ask the Brazilian Consulate for specific details. Passport and visa information may be obtained by contacting the Travel Advisory Section of the U.S. State Department at (202) 647-5225 or by visiting the State Department's Web site at www.state.gov. Non-U.S. passport holders should be sure to contact the embassies of their destination and transit countries to obtain entrance requirements.

If traveling to or within Argentina by air, US Citizens are charged a reciprocal visitor's fee at the Argentine Airport of entry (approximately \$140), good for ten years. U.S. Citizens entering Argentina by ground to visit the Argentine side of falls are currently not charged this fee. Please contact the Argentine Consulate for most current details.

Travel Documents

Complete travel documents will be delivered approximately three weeks prior to departure. Documents will include airline e-tickets, receipt/vouchers for hotel and ground services, itineraries, and the Discover Brazil Guidebook covering detailed information on the areas to be visited.

Baggage

One carry-on handbag and two pieces of luggage are allowed. No single piece of luggage may exceed 62 inches in combined length, width and height, nor weigh over 50 pounds.

Cancellation

After issuance of documents, Discover Brazil Tours will charge a cancellation fee of \$150 per passenger, plus any airline or hotel cancellation fee. See invoice for airline ticket and ground package refundability. Carnival, Reveillon and special events ground packages are non-refundable. Otherwise, hotels will charge one room night if cancelled less than 72 hours prior to check-in. Unused portions of tour are not refundable.

Travel Insurance

Discover Brazil Tours, Inc. acts as passenger's agent to travel providers (airlines, hotels, ground services). We recommend the purchase of travel insurance to cover your travel arrangements. Contact your sales representative for more information.

Health Requirements

No immunization or health certificates are required for travel to Brazil or Argentina from the U.S. If entering Brazil from other nations, yellow fever certificates may be required. Contact consulate for details. Passengers should consult their physician regarding health matters. To obtain medical information, you may contact the Centers for Disease Control at (404) 332-4559 or visit the CDC's Web site at www.cdc.gov.

Tour Prices & Hotel

Prices are low-season, per person, and exclude special events, unless otherwise noted. Hotel room grades are run-of-the-house. Hotel rates are based on wholesale contracts, not hotel rack-rates, which may differ from contract rate. Guaranteed rates of confirmed reservations are based on exchange rates, hotel & ground tariffs, seasonality and taxes applied by suppliers at the time of a specific confirmation, and may differ from the rate shown on printed material or web site.

Not Included

Airport departure taxes are not included, and are calculated at time of ticket issuance. Also not included are excess baggage charges, meals other than those specified, tips to guides, drivers or bellboys, any item of a purely personal nature, any item not specifically mentioned as included, or any expense resulting from passenger's deviation from tour.

Responsibility

Passenger agrees that the responsibility of Discover Brazil Tours, Inc., of Miami, Florida (hereinafter referred to as DBT), is strictly limited. DBT arranges with airlines, hotels, ground transport companies and other independent firms, as agent, to provide passengers with travel services. While DBT takes great care in selecting suppliers, we do not control them and therefore cannot be responsible for their acts or omissions or those of their employees, agents or representatives. DBT will not be responsible for any act or omission, error, delay, loss, accident or injury to you or those traveling with you, caused by the neglect or default of any company or person engaged in providing services for which tickets or vouchers are issued, including the service of any hotel, restaurant, night club, or train, vessel, carriage, aircraft, motorcoach or any other conveyance. Neither will DBT be responsible for the expense, inconvenience or injury caused by conditions beyond its control including, but not limited to, hotel or airline overbooking, late arrival or departure of conveyance, delays, strikes, defects in vehicles, breakdown in equipment, accidents, sickness, weather conditions, theft, terrorist acts, changes in itinerary or schedules, unsafe conditions and dangers, or passenger's failure to obtain required documentation. Purchaser agrees to pursue any recourse directly with the supplier, even if DBT was the credit card merchant. The right is reserved to withdraw any or all tours or to vary itineraries and substitute components of tour programs should conditions warrant; also to decline to accept or retain any passenger as a member of the tour. The payment of the required deposit or partial or full payment for a reservation on a tour constitutes consent by purchaser on behalf of entire party, to all provisions of the conditions and general information contained herein, and creates a binding agreement.