

Prepare for Your Radiotherapy Trip to Turkey



Documents and Visa Requirements

- Valid passport or travel document that is recognized by the Republic of Turkey.
- Check visa requirements based on your country of origin at the official Republic of Turkey Electronic Visa Application System: <https://www.evisa.gov.tr/en/>
- Medical documents: referral for radiotherapy, medical history, imaging reports (CT, MRI), pathology reports, and any previous treatment records.
- Clinics in Turkey may provide diagnostic services like imaging tests or blood work if certain medical documents are missing.



Accommodation Options

Turkish clinics generally do not provide free accommodation. Patients can opt for hospital stays, partner hotels with special discounts, or self-booking options. The average hotel stay per night ranges from \$50 to \$150. Bookimed can assist in arranging accommodation at special partner prices.



Transfer Services

- Clinics may offer free or paid airport transfers. The 'ALL INCLUDED PACKAGE' typically includes VIP transfer services.
- Popular taxi services like BiTaksi and iTaksi are available, with approximate prices starting from 1.5 TRY/km (\$0.10/km).



Interpreter Services

Interpreter services are often available, sometimes at an additional cost. Bookimed provides patient advocacy, which may include language support, to ensure clear communication with medical staff.



Payment Methods

- Cash and credit cards are widely accepted.
- The local currency is the Turkish Lira (TRY), and having some cash is recommended for small expenses.
- Many places also accept payment in dollars or euros, but local currency is preferred for daily transactions.



Pre-Op Radiotherapy Tips

- Discuss all medications and supplements with your doctor, as some may need to be stopped before treatment.
- Maintain a healthy diet and stay hydrated unless instructed otherwise for specific procedures.
- Plan for rest and limited activity post-treatment; bring comfortable clothing.
- Arrange for someone to accompany you, if possible, for support during your stay.
- Keep all your medical records organized and easily accessible.
- Understand the potential side effects of radiotherapy and how to manage them.
- Make sure to have all necessary post-operative care instructions translated in a language you understand.
- All postoperative instructions will be given by your Radiotherapy doctor.



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