Your move, in a workable order

A practical preparation checklist. Verify requirements for your own situation with the relevant authorities and qualified professionals.

Before choosing a rental

[ ] Confirm your income and employer or business arrangements.

[ ] Research your lawful residence and work situation.

[ ] Plan healthcare, medication continuity, school, and family needs.

[ ] Test the complete cross-border commute and run your budget.

Before committing

[ ] Inspect the exact unit, water, internet, parking, and street.

[ ] Review written terms and all move-in costs.

[ ] Prepare a setup budget and separate emergency reserve.

[ ] Keep secure copies of documents and emergency contacts.

Before moving day

[ ] Confirm utilities and internet installation.

[ ] Prepare vehicle paperwork and applicable insurance.

[ ] Organize school, family, pet, and healthcare documents as applicable.

[ ] Keep essential documents, medication, money, and chargers accessible.

After arriving

[ ] Test transport, communication, and a backup connection.

[ ] Locate groceries, healthcare, and practical local services.

[ ] Track actual spending and update your budget.

[ ] Review your routine after settling in and adjust what is not working.

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