



ITINERARY Outline

This itinerary is by necessity subject to change

Tuesday - October 28- Miami (no included meals) Crowne Plaza Miami International Airport.

Overnight at a hotel near airport; your room is guaranteed regardless of arrival time.

Day One - Wednesday, October 29th (L, D)

- Meet in hotel lobby at 8:30 am for transfer to airport. Our flight (AA9940) leaves for Havana at (11:00 am tentative. Confirmed 60 days in advance.)
- Upon arrival you will go through Cuban immigration and customs. You will be escorted out of the customs hall where you will be met by our Bi-lingual guide for the trip.
- Lunch at Paladar (TBD) (included).
- You will then go to the Patronato/Beth Shalom Synagogue and meet with Adela Dworin, President of the Jewish Community for a brief orientation. You will visit the synagogue and one of the community pharmacies. Drop off donations.
- Hotel check-in and time to freshen up. (Melia Cohiba)
- Dinner at El Ajjibe. (Included.)
- Tropicana Show on your own.

Day Two - Thursday, Oct 30th (B, D)

- We will take our air-conditioned bus and take a tour of the “modern” section of Havana. We will see Plaza de Revolution, Vedado, Cubanacán, the Manhattan of Havana, and Mirimar with its many embassies and well maintained homes. “John Lennon Park” and Cristobal Colon Cemetery are also part of our day’s activities.
- Lunch (on your own) at a Paladar Vista Del Mar. One of the best in Havana, it overlooks the sea.
- Visit to the world renowned artist, Jose Fuster. The Gaudi of Cuba. His home and his neighborhood are his campus.
- Transfer to Centro Sefaradi, where we will be briefed by Dr. Mayra Levy, President. We will see the newest Holocaust exhibit in Cuba, visit the Jewish Senior Center and interact with participants and hear about this community’s needs.
- We will be briefed on the history of the Jewish Community of Cuba by Professor Maritza Corrales, the leading Cuban expert on the Cuban Jewish Community.
- Dinner at Café Del Oriente (included)

Day Three - Friday, October 31st (B,L,D)

- We will take our bus to Havana Vieja to meet with the leadership and congregants of Adath Israel, the only “Orthodox” Congregation in Cuba. We will be briefed about their history and current practices.
- A visit to the Kosher Butcher shop.
- A stop at the Artesian Market for souvenir shopping.
- Lunch at El Templete(included).
- We will then go to Guanabacoa, home of the two Jewish Cemeteries and site of the first Holocaust exhibits in the Western Hemisphere.
- Return to hotel to freshen up and then Kabbalah Shabbat services and dinner at Centro Sepharadi.
- Balance of Evening free

Day Four - Saturday, November 1st (B,L,D)

- Morning free for services or sightseeing.
- 11:00 am visit to Museo de Revolucion and Belles Artes Museum
- Lunch at Paladar in Havana Vieja(included)
- This afternoon we will have a walking tour of Habana Vieja, a UNESCO World Heritage city including the International Museum.
- We will continue our walking tour of the old city including the 4 major plazas and a visit to the fine arts museum.
- Farewell Dinner at Paladar Starbien in a private room(Included)

Day Five - Sunday, (B) November 2nd

- Breakfast at the hotel.
- Visit to the Sunday Hebrew School(s)
- Lunch on your own at the airport
- Depart for Miami at 2:45 pm with an estimated arrival 3:45.

****Daily Schedule Subject To Change***

***Flights and times confirmed by Charter 60 days before departure.**