Checklist: Tips for Leaving your Home Country Things to remember for a smooth transition without emergencies.

Mail

Change of Address

Setting up a new mailing address or forwarding service is crucial.

Health

Medical Status

Bring necessary
medications and check
for needed
vaccinations.

Permits

Foreign Law

Traveling internationally requires permits, e.g. with pets - check in advance!

Residency

Signing Off

Don't forget to inform your home authorities about change of residency.

Driving

Universal Permits

The international driver's license is required in most countries.

Documents

Identification

Certified copies and translations are necessary for foreign applications.

Insurances

Proper Coverage

New travel, health, car or home insurance prevent crises in transit and overseas.

Logistics

Organization

What to bring and how to ship determines cost, carrier choice & transport duration.

Communication

New Language

Learn and know the basics and practice local terms for the new country.