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Advisory – Travel to Bogota, Colombia – March 2016

Stockton University is providing you with the following information because you will be traveling to a country that is known to have the Zika virus present.

Recently, the World Health Organization has declared the Zika virus an international public health emergency. Officials at the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and Prevention have urged pregnant women in any trimester that they should consider postponing travel to any areas where Zika virus is spreading.

Please read the information contained in the following links from the World Health Organization, Centers for Disease Control and the U.S. Department of State on what travelers can do to protect themselves from mosquito bites and sexual transmission of Zika during and after travel.

- WHO http://www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/zika/en/
- CDC Travelers' Health http://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/notices/alert/zika-virus-south-america
- CDC Zika virus http://www.cdc.gov/zika/pregnancy/question-answers.html
- US Dept. of State http://travel.state.gov/content/passports/en/country/colombia.html