

Cuba is a country steeped in mystery. Connect with the warm Cuban people while enjoying a unique mix of vibrant music, eclectic art, and 1950s cars. Delve into the complexities of Afro Cuban customs and thought. Form your own opinions as you revel in Cuba's culture, people, and spirit. A journey to Cuba is like no other! Are you ready to leave your preconceived ideas at the door and embrace the local

Professional Interaction

- Explore Cuba's rich cultural heritage as you learn about Cuba's healthcare system including site visits to local clinics and interaction with various experts in the field from local medical experts.
- Learn about occupational therapy, physical therapy, and rehabilitation programs on the island while spending time with staff at a **rehabilitation center or polyclinic**. Learn about Cuba's health care while exchanging ideas on programs for providing basic therapy to children and resources for families.
- Discuss OT, PT, and rehabilitation access to care while visiting a facility such as La Castellana Medical Center which provides resources and specializes in vocational training for the disabled.

Community Connections & Cultural Immersion

- Chat with local shop owners in **Old Havana** and learn from local historians about this UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Meet local Cubans of all ages during an evening neighborhood block party.
- Spend time with the local people including a visit to a local community project like **La Casa del Niño y la Niña**.
- Enjoy a **cooking class** at a local restaurant.

License Regulations

 Under current guidelines, this program conforms to OFAC requirements for support of the Cuban People" education license (515.560(c)).

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Cuba: Havana (6 days & 5 nights)

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\$3,899 (double occupancy, incl flights)

\$699 (single supplement)

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