

## **Senior Travel Checklist**

Perfect for South African senior travellers heading on local or regional trips

## Travel Essentials

- Valid ID / Passport (6+ months valid)
- Medical aid card & emergency contact numbers
- Travel insurance confirmation (if applicable)
- Printed tickets, bookings & confirmations
- Comfortable clothing (layers for changing weather)
- Sleepwear, slippers, and warm jacket
- Sunhat, sunglasses, sunscreen
- Power bank & phone charger
- Reading glasses, books, journal
- Water bottle and light snacks

## Health & Safety

- List of medications & dosages
- Medication supply for full trip + extras
- Doctor's note (especially for chronic medication)
- Insect repellent (for bush trips)
- Basic first-aid items (plasters, antiseptic, etc.)
- Emergency contacts written down

## Before You Leave

- Inform family or friends of your travel plan
- Set a mobile roaming/data limit (if international)
- Turn off appliances or lock up securely
- Arrange pet care or newspaper/plant help
- Leave a spare key with a trusted neighbour