



**Embassy of the United States of America
Madrid, Spain**

**Security Message for U.S. Citizens: Demonstrations
June 13, 2014**

DEMONSTRATIONS PLANNED FOR JUNE 13 – 20, 2014.

Planned and spontaneous demonstrations take place in Spain, especially in Madrid and Barcelona, in response to economic or other events. If you encounter a large public gathering or demonstration, the U.S. Embassy suggests that you avoid the area. Even demonstrations intended to be peaceful can turn confrontational. U.S. citizens are therefore urged to avoid the areas of demonstrations if possible, and to exercise caution if within the vicinity of any demonstrations.

The Government Delegation in Madrid has authorized the following demonstrations.

DATE	DURATION	ORGANIZERS	PURPOSE OF PROTEST OR DEMONSTRATION	LOCATION
06/13/14	17:00 – 19:00	Asociación Patriótica Ucraniana	Against war in Ukraine etc.	Velazquez 155. (Russian Embassy)
06/14/14	18:30 – 21:30	Consejo Evangélico de Madrid	Public Event. “Pray for Spain”	Atocha, Paseo Prado, Pza Jacinto Benavente, Carretas, Puerta del Sol
06/14/14	20:00 –21:30	Partido Comunista Pueblos de España	For the recognition of the Republic	Plaza del Carmen
06/15/14	12:00 – 14:30	Federación Regional Asociaciones Vecinales de Madrid	Against the dismantling & privatization of the public health system	Pza Cibeles, Puerta del Sol
06/17/14	20:00 –21:00	Colectivo Mayores 15 - M	Against the limitation in Rights etc.	Puerta del Sol
06/18/14	10:00 – 12:00	Sind MCA – UGT. Mariano Cerezo Puig	Labor Issues. Vinell Brown Co & Root LLC etc.	Serrano 75. (US Embassy)
06/19/14	12:00 – 14:00	Federación Regional Enseñanza CCOO	A public school for everybody	Pza Cánovas del Castillo, Neptuno, Alcalá, Sevilla
06/19/14	12:00 – 14:00	Juan Antonio Diéguez Martin	To reclaim the Republic	Puerta del Sol, Cibeles, Pza de Neptuno

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06/19/14	20:00 – 21:00	Plataforma contra la impunidad del Franquismo	Against Franco's impunity	Puerta del Sol
06/20/14	10:30 – 13:00	Sec. Sind Ayto Madrid	Against social, labor cuts etc.	Montalbán. (City Hall), Alcala 45, Cibeles, Barquillo
06/20/14	11:00 – 12:30	Sec. Sind Ayto Madrid	Against social, labor cuts etc.	Pza de la Villa, Mayor, Bailén, Pza de la Villa
06/20/14	12:00 – 15:00	Asociación Gallega psicólogos internos residentes	Against the lack of psychologists' professional development in the national health system	Paseo del Prado 18-20 (Ministry of Health)
06/20/14	12:00 – 13:00	Fed Servicios Públicos UGT	Against cuts in public services	Sevilla, Alcalá, Gran Vía, Sevilla.

The U.S. Embassy encourages U.S. citizens to review the "[Traveler's Checklist](#)" which includes valuable security information for those both living and traveling abroad. All U.S. citizens in Spain are urged to enroll online at the [Smart Traveler Enrollment Program](#) (STEP). Enrolling gives U.S. Citizens access to updated information on travel and security within Spain and makes it easier for the Embassy to contact citizens in case of emergency.

Current information on safety and security can also be obtained by calling 1-888-407-4747 toll-free in the United States or a regular toll line at-1-202-501-4444 for callers from other countries. These numbers are available from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Eastern Time, Monday through Friday (except U.S. federal holidays). You can also stay up to date by bookmarking our [Bureau of Consular Affairs website](#), which contains the current [Travel Warnings and Travel Alerts](#) as well as the [Worldwide Caution](#) as well as [Country Specific Information for Spain](#). Follow us on [Twitter](#) and the Bureau of Consular Affairs page on [Facebook](#) as well.

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