

# Medellin - Colombia

Average Weather: 24C = 75F  
Population in Medellin: 2,369,000 Habitants  
Medellin Surface Area: 387 Km = 240.000 Milles

Second most important City after the Capital Bogota.

Epicenter for Commerce-industry and Technology.

City of the Year - "The Wall Street Journal & CitiGroup."

"Medellin, in Colombia, has been named the "World's Most Innovative City" in a competition organized by the non-profit Urban Land Institute."

20% of the most important Colombian companies have their headquarters in Medellin:

- E.P.M (Power & Light company)
- Noel (Food Cia)
- Argos (Cement Cia)
- Bancolombia (Bank)

International Companies Headquarters in Medellin:

- Movistar (Telephone Company)
- Belcorp (Personal and household goods)
- Direct TV (Cable Cia)
- ProExport (Social and government Services)
- Phillip Morris International (Marlboro Cigarettes)

Colombia has over 30 Major Universities! - Medellin has 10 of the Most Important!

- Universidad Eafit
- Universidad de Antioquia
- Universidad Nacional
- Universidad Pontificia Bolivariana

## Health

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Medellín is considered one of the leading research cities in Colombia in the field of medicine.

It is an exponent of advance surgical operations in the country and Latin America.

Health Clinics and Dental Centers in Medellín have become pioneers in offering high quality services in several medical areas. Specialized Health Centers such as San Vicente Foundation Hospitals were recognized with LEED certification and Silver Category (Energetic and Environmental Leadership). This is the only hospital outside of the United States that has obtained such a certification

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