

## **Business travel risk management program protects UCSF travelers through a global alert system.**

Risk Management chairs the Travel Health and Safety sub-committee of the Global Research Enterprise Support (G-RES) group. The G-RES Travel Health and Safety sub-group's goals are to: 1) Provide comprehensive risk analysis and emergency planning tools for travelers, especially to remote areas; 2) Provide timely, useful information on health, safety, and travel risks available in a convenient and accessible format; 3) Provide appropriate health screening system for departing and returning international travelers; and 4) Improve communications with and systems to monitor overseas travelers. The group includes representatives from all schools, Occupational Health, Office of Legal Affairs, Contracts and Grants, Budget Office, Environmental Health and Safety, and Emergency Services among others.

UC Business Travel Accident (BTA) and Student Off-Campus Travel insurance provides coverage **worldwide, 24 hours a day**. Risk Management manages this coverage for Campus and Medical Center travelers. Through the *iJet* global alert system which tracks civil unrest, weather conditions, and emerging health threats, Risk Management identified and provided notices to UCSF travelers in Egypt, Haiti, and the Democratic Republic of the Congo regarding emerging risks. As well, Risk Management prepared *iJet* location security briefing reports for Nigeria, DRC, and Pakistan for UCSF travelers.

**During FY13, UCSF faculty, staff, and students registered 4482 trips. UCSF travelers made frequent visits to Uganda, Tanzania, Kenya, South Africa, China, and Mexico, areas where global health and social unrest alerts are frequent.** The following three charts summarize trip registrations over the past 5 years and provide details for travel in FY13:



