

In and Around Naples

Big Cypress Preserve Oasis Visitor Center

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**Big Cypress National Preserve
Oasis Visitor Center**
33100 Tamiami Trail East
Ochopee, FL 34141
Info and exhibits, plus...
**Great boardwalk to see
 lots of alligators
 swimming in a canal.**
On US-41
45 mi East of Collier Blvd.
Website: nps.gov/bicy






Florida National Scenic Trail
Big Cypress Oasis Visitor Center is the Southern Terminus.



Full trail Pensacola to Oasis is 1,400 miles.
30 mile southern stretch from Oasis to I-75.



30-mile southern section of trail.
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Take Care While You Hike

- The trail is not heavily marked and vegetation grows over it in the rainy season
- Some high ground is available for camping at 7-mile, 10-mile, 13-mile, Oak Hill, and Ivy camps
- Be prepared for ankle to waist-deep water
- During the dry season there is no water available on the entire route
- Alligators and venomous snakes are found in the preserve: watch where you walk, sit, or reach
- Backcountry permits are required

And cell phones often have no signal.

Be sure you understand this before setting out! →