

## BAYSWATER, PADDINGTON & MAIDA VALE

### Very Expensive

**Europa House ★★★** The delightful, enclosed private gardens make these the top serviced apartments in London for families. A little playpark is at the garden's center, and the Europa loans you a picnic rug and a play tent to take outside. What you lose in terms of distance from the center is made up for by the ample space, the nearby facilities (a 24-hr. supermarket, organic grocery, restaurants, and pubs), and the proximity of Little Venice with its floating cafes, puppet barge (p. 245), and boat trips to London Zoo (p. 179). Amenities to make parents' lives easier include "welcome packs" of groceries, highchairs and kids' eating paraphernalia, changing mats, and toilet steps. Periodic deals bring the price of a two-bed apartment to less than £200.

79a Randolph Ave., W9 1DW. ☎ **020/7724-5924**. [www.europahouseapartments.co.uk](http://www.europahouseapartments.co.uk). 13 units. £180 1-bed apt; £260-£310 2-bed apt. Cribs free. AE, DC, MC, V. Underground parking (£20). Tube: Maida Vale.

**Amenities:** Babysitting. *In room:* A/C (in deluxe apts), TV/VCR/DVD w/free movie loan, CD player, hair dryer, kitchen, Wi-Fi (£10/day, £40/week).