TSA: What to Know Before You Go

### Face Coverings and Social Distancing

- **Practice social distancing.**
- **6 feet**
- **Checkpoint floors have visual reminders of appropriate spacing.**

**Travelers should wear face coverings.** Travelers who require an accommodation due to a disability or medical condition should alert the TSA officer.

**Travelers may have to adjust their face coverings for ID verification or remove for secondary screening.**

### Cleaning and Disinfecting

- **TSA is allowing one liquid hand sanitizer container, up to 12 ounces per passenger, in carry-on bags.**
- **TSA officers will change their gloves with each pat-down and upon passenger request.**
- **New Explosives Trace Detection swab used for each person.**
- **Increased cleaning and disinfecting of frequently touched surfaces and security screening equipment, including bins.**

### Reduced Physical Contact

- **TSA officers are required to wear surgical masks and gloves.**
- **Phased installation of plastic shielding at points of interaction between passengers and TSA officers.** (e.g., checkpoint, checked baggage drop-off, etc.)
- **Checkpoint floors have visual reminders of appropriate spacing.**

**Travelers keep possession of their IDs and boarding passes, place on the reader, and hold up for visual inspection.**

**Remove belts and all items from pockets and put them in carry-ons instead of bins.**

**Remove food items from carry-on bags and place in bin for screening.**

**Travelers may be directed outside of the checkpoint to remove or repack items (e.g., laptops, liquids, gels, aerosols and large electronics).**

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**Does not apply to TSA PreCheck™ members.**

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