

ABERDEEN REGIONAL AIRPORT

AND THE

TRANSPORTATION SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

TRAVEL TIPS BROCHURE



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Transportation Security Administration
<http://www.tsa.gov/>

Travelers & Consumers

We screen every passenger; we screen every bag so that your memories are from where you went, not how you got there. We're here to

help your travel plans be smooth and stress free. Please take a moment to become familiar with some of our security measures. Doing so now will help save you time once you arrive at the airport

Before the Airport

- Do not pack or bring Prohibited Items to the airport.
- Pack travel-size containers less than 3.4 ounces comfortably in one, quart-size plastic, zip-top bag.
- Place valuables such as jewelry, cash and laptop computers in **carry-on baggage only**. Tape your business card to the bottom of your laptop.
- Avoid wearing clothing, jewelry and accessories that contain metal. Metal items may set off the alarm on the metal detector.
- Put all undeveloped film and cameras with film in your carry-on baggage. Checked baggage screening equipment will damage undeveloped film.
- Declare firearms & ammunition to your airline and place them in your checked baggage.
- If you wish to lock your baggage, use a TSA-recognized lock.
- Do not pack wrapped gifts and do not bring wrapped gifts to the checkpoint. Wrap on arrival or ship your gifts prior to your departure. Security officers may have to unwrap packages for security reasons.

At the Airport -Effective June 21, 2008, adult passengers (18 and over) are required to show a U.S. federal or state-issued photo ID that contains the following: name, date of birth, gender, expiration date and a tamper-resistant

feature in order to be allowed to go through the checkpoint and onto their flight.

- Place the following items **IN** your carry-on baggage or in a plastic bag prior to entering the screening checkpoint:
 - Mobile phones
 - Keys
 - Loose change
 - Money clips
 - PDA's (personal data assistants)
 - Large amounts of jewelry
 - Metal hair decorations
 - Large belt buckles

Passenger Security Checkpoints

Take metal items such as keys, loose change, mobile phones, pagers and personal digital assistants (PDAs) out of your pockets. Put these in your carry-on, or in a plastic bag. This keeps lines moving and your experience more pleasant. Try to avoid wearing anything with metal, clothing, jewelry or other accessories that contain metal such as, heavy jewelry, clothing with metal buttons or snaps, belt buckles or under-wire bras.

Pack your coats and jackets in your baggage when possible. All coats and jackets that you are carrying must go through the X-ray machine for inspection. If you choose to wear an outer coat or jacket to the checkpoint, you will need to either pack it in your carry-on baggage or put it in one of the bins we provide.

- The secret to getting through security smoothly is to de-clutter your carry-on bag. This lets our Transportation security officers get a clear, uncomplicated X-ray image of your carry-on.
- Take your laptop and video cameras with cassettes **OUT** of their cases and

place them in a bin provided at the checkpoint.

- Take **OFF** all outer coats, suit coats, jackets and blazers.
- **3 -1-1 on air travel** = 3.4 ounce bottle or less; 1 quart-sized, clear, plastic, zip-top bag; 1 bag per passenger placed in screening bin. **One-quart bag per person limits the total liquid volume** each traveler can bring. 3.4 oz. container size is a security measure. **Consolidate** bottles into one bag and X-ray separately to speed screening. **Be prepared.** Each time a security officer searches a carry-on it slows down the line. Practicing 3-1-1 will ensure a faster and easier checkpoint experience. **3-1-1 is for short trips.** If in doubt, put your liquids in checked luggage.
- When possible, keep packing liquids in checked baggage. You will get through security faster.
- Limit quantities to what is needed for the duration of the flight.
- **All types of footwear are required to be removed and placed through the X-ray machine for screening.** When a Security Officer asks you to remove your shoes, please do. If you refuse, you will not be able to board your flight.

Items purchased in the sterile boarding area are for use on the immediate flight. If you must leave the sterile boarding area and re-enter through the screening checkpoint, items exceeding 3.4 ounces that are not in the zip-top bag will again be prohibited.

HUNTERS

The key regulatory requirements to transporting firearms, firearm parts or ammunition in checked baggage are:

- You must declare all firearms to the airline during the ticket counter check-in process.
- The firearm must be unloaded.
- The firearm must be in a hard-sided container.
- The container must be locked.
- We recommend that you provide the key or combination to the security officer if he or she needs to open the container. You should remain present during screening to take the key back after the container is cleared. If you are not present and the security officer must open the container, we or the airline will make a reasonable attempt to contact you. If we can't contact you, the container will not be placed on the plane. Federal regulations prohibit unlocked gun cases (or cases with broken locks) on aircraft.
- You must securely pack any ammunition in fiber (such as cardboard), wood or metal boxes or other packaging that is specifically designed to carry small amounts of ammunition.
- You can't use firearm magazines/clips for packing ammunition unless they completely and securely enclose the ammunition (e.g., by securely covering the exposed portions of the magazine or by securely placing the magazine in a pouch, holder, holster or lanyard).
- You may carry the ammunition in the same hard-sided case as the firearm, as long as you pack it as described above.
- You **can't** bring black powder or percussion caps used with black-powder type firearms in either your carry-on or checked baggage.

We and other authorities strictly enforce these regulations. Violations can result in criminal prosecution and civil penalties of up to \$10,000 per violation.

Airlines may have their own additional requirements on the carriage of firearms and the amount of ammunition that you may have in your checked baggage. Therefore, **travelers should also contact the airline regarding its firearm and ammunition carriage policies.**

- Have your firearm case unlocked before presenting it for screening.
- Gun cases may not be taped together and checked as one piece of checked baggage.

To assist in ensuring an on time departure, we recommend that you check-in at least 90 minutes prior to departure and arrive at the gate a minimum of 30 minutes prior to the scheduled departure time.



If not checked in and present in the boarding area at least **30 minutes** before scheduled departure, your reservation may be cancelled and you will not be eligible for denied boarding compensation.