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TSA Opens Temporary Pre-Check Enrollment Center at PHL Airport

PHILADELPHIA – The Transportation Security Administration has opened a Pre-Check Enrollment Center in the Terminal B bag claim at Philadelphia International Airport (PHL). The Center started receiving applicants today and will remain open through April 28 daily from 8 AM – Noon and 1 PM – 5 PM.

TSA Pre-Check is available to eligible applicants and costs \$85 for a 5-year membership. Pre-Check allows travelers to move faster through security without having to remove shoes, belts and light jackets as well as laptops and permissible liquids from carry-on bags. According to TSA, in March 2017, 97 percent of Pre-Check passengers waited less than five minutes at security checkpoints.

At PHL, the following airlines participate in Pre-Check: Air Canada, Alaska, American, Delta, Frontier, JetBlue, Lufthansa, Southwest, Spirit and United.

Individuals can begin the enrollment process by visiting <https://universalenroll.dhs.gov> . They can also schedule an appointment online without completing the pre-enrollment process. Individuals may also contact the Universal Enrollment Services Call Center at 855.347.8371 Monday through Friday from 8 AM – 10 PM Eastern time.

Individuals are strongly encouraged to visit <https://universalenroll.dhs.gov> to make an appointment and check the types of identification required for Pre-Check enrollment. Additional information is also available at <https://www.tsa.gov/precheck/faq>

“TSA Pre-Check is a great program especially for travelers who fly often,” said Airport CEO Chellie Cameron. “We are pleased that TSA is offering this convenient opportunity to enroll in Pre-Check at PHL and we encourage travelers to take advantage of this option.”

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