From the Governor's Office

Florida Governor Ron DeSantis Executive Order 20-80: All passengers arriving from the northeastern United States (New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut) are required to self-quarantine for 14 days from the time of entry into Florida or the duration of the individual’s presence in Florida, whichever is shorter, to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 per the Florida Governor’s Executive Order issued in late March 2020. Florida Department of Health representatives will however no longer screen arriving passengers with a questionnaire and collect contact information effective June 30, but travelers are still required to self-quarantine upon arrival in Florida. (Updated: July 1, 2020)

Re-Open Florida Task Force Information


Airports' Ready Plans
- Florida Commercial Service Ready Plans Survey
- Punta Gorda Airport
- St. Pete-Clearwater International Airport
- Tampa International Airport

Industry Guidance
- US Government Releases COVID-19 Recommendations for Airports & Airlines
- ACI & IATA call for a consistent approach to aviation industry restart
- Airlines Unveil New Cleaning Standards to Address Coronavirus Concerns
- Industry Guidance for Promoting the Health and Safety of All Travelers
FDOT Airport Information - Follow-Up

Please find the following information as follow-up to FDOT’s previous email to assist you in the implementation of Executive Order 20-80 and 20-91. In order to facilitate the collection of Florida Department of Health forms, once the airport has more than 30 survey forms, the airport should contact the appropriate FDOT point of contact identified below for pick up. As stated previously, we encourage you to coordinate with your local health department for direction on implementing the health screening forms and traveler cards.

FDOT is here to assist you with printing any of the documents, should you require our help. Based on your county, the following points of contact will assist with the printing:

- Contact Wayne Gaither, Wayne.Gaither@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Charlotte, Collier, DeSoto, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Highlands, Lee, Manatee, Okeechobee, Polk, and Sarasota)
- Contact Jordan Green, Jordan.Green@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Alachua, Baker, Bradford, Clay, Columbia, Dixie, Duval, Gilchrist, Hamilton, Lafayette, Levy, Madison, Nassau, Putnam, St. Johns, Suwannee, Taylor, and Union)
- Contact Quinton Williams, Williams@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Bay, Calhoun, Escambia, Franklin, Gadsden, Gulf, Holmes, Jackson, Jefferson, Leon, Liberty, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, Wakulla, Walton, and Washington)
- Contact Lauren Rand, Lauren.Rand@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Broward, Indian River, Martin, Palm Beach, and St. Lucie)
- Contact Allison McCuddy, Allison.McCuddy@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Brevard, Flagler, Lake, Marion, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Sumter, and Volusia)
- Contact Cindy Capdevila, Cindy.Capdevila@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Miami-Dade and Monroe)
- Contact Raymond Clark, Raymond.Clark@dot.state.fl.us (Counties: Citrus, Hernando, Hillsborough, Pasco, and Pinellas)

Pursuant to the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, ADVISORY MEMORANDUM ON IDENTIFICATION OF ESSENTIAL CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE WORKERS DURING COVID-19 RESPONSE (attached) as adopted in Executive Order 20-91 (attached), Flight Instruction is an essential function under Transportation and Logistics, page ten (10):

- Employees who repair and maintain vehicles, aircraft, rail equipment, marine vessels, bicycles, and the equipment and infrastructure that enables operations that encompass movement of cargo and passengers.
- Air transportation employees, including air traffic controllers and maintenance personnel, ramp workers, aviation and aerospace safety, security, and operations personnel and accident investigations.
- Workers who support the operation, distribution, maintenance, and sanitation, of air transportation for cargo and passengers, including flight crews, maintenance, airport operations, those responsible for cleaning and disinfection, and other on- and off- airport facilities workers.

Additionally, as mentioned, going forward throughout the response to COVID-19, please refer members of the public with questions related to travel to the COVID-19 Call Center at 1-866-779-6121 or forward written inquiries to COVID-19@flhealth.gov.
To be clear, these resources are for members of the public only. Media inquiries related to the department’s efforts in the response to COVID-19 may still be referred to Beth Frady, FDOT Communications Director at Beth.Frady@dot.state.fl.us. Media inquiries related to airport operations, how an airport is implementing the Executive Order, or granting access for an interview at each respective facility, should be handled by your local team.

General Aviation Information

Please see the following documents to assist you in the implementation of Executive Order 20-80. This executive order establishes airport screening and isolation procedures at airports, directs persons who travel from areas with substantial community spread to Florida through airports to isolate or quarantine:

- Airport Signs
- COVID-19 Airport Traveler Form
- COVID-19 Traveler Card

The FAA also recently released two additional COVID-19 resource documents:

- Information for airport sponsors considering actions based on COVID-related issues
- Considerations for State, Local, and Territorial Governments implementing screening, movement, and access restrictions that may impact air transportation

FDOT COVID-19 Update, Important links

The below website provides agency resource and emergency travel information, including a link to the FL Department of Health, guidance regarding essential critical infrastructure workforce, infrastructure project updates from around the state, and more.
https://www.fdot.gov/agencyresources/emergency.shtm

DOT Outlines Air Service Requirements

FDOT Provides Guidance for Implementation of Executive Order 20-80
CARES Act Summary

The "Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act" (the CARES Act) was signed into law on March 27, 2020, following approval earlier in the day by the US House of Representatives and a unanimous 96-0 vote by the US Senate on March 25th. The CARES Act’s estimated $2+ trillion price tag includes: extraordinary public health spending to confront the COVID-19 pandemic; immediate cash relief for individual citizens; a broad lending program for small business; and, targeted relief for hard-hit industries.

As a reminder, there is $10 billion from the federal general fund to remain available until expended for airports to prevent, prepare for, and respond to coronavirus. The funds provided may not be used for any purpose not directly related to the airport. CLICK HERE to continue reading.

CARES Act Airport Grants - Frequently Asked Questions (updated 04/17/2020)
Application for Federal Assistance

FAA Issues Guidance for Airports on COVID-19 Restrictions and Accommodations

Please see the important guidance for airport sponsors provided by the FAA on Saturday, March 28, 2020.
Information for Airport Sponsors Considering COVID-19 Restrictions or Accommodations
Considerations for State, Local, and Territorial COVID-19 Restrictions That Impact Air Transportation

Additional Guidance from FAA and the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)


FEMA LETTER TO EMERGENCY MANAGERS, 7 CRITICAL STEPS TO BE TAKEN IMMEDIATELY

FEMA Administrator Gaynor sent a letter to emergency managers outlining critical steps to help respond to COVID-19.

NEWLY ENACTED SICK LEAVE AND FMLA CORONAVIRUS PROVISIONS

Below are links to the current department of labor guidance regarding sick leave, FMLA and UI guidance following the enactment of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (signed into law on March 18th and
effective April 1, 2020 through December 31, 2020). Some states have also issued rules/regulations to keep in mind.

https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/fmla/pandemic
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