

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE GUIDE

Detailed arrival/departure and ground experience information to help you prepare for your next mission with us.

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ARRIVAL PROCEDURES



PASSENGERS AND CREW ARRIVALS

IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS PROCESS

Upon arrival, a Universal Aviation staff member will greet passengers and crew as they disembark the aircraft. They will be escorted to GAT for CIQ processing with the assistance of our staff. Our staff will transport all luggage and bags to the CIQ area.

Inside the GAT, a staff member will collect everyone's passports and present them to the customs and immigration officers. They will process all luggage through security and customs. After all passengers and crew members clear customs and immigration, a Universal staff member will escort them to meet their ground transport vehicle at the landside entrance of the GAT.

It can take up to 15 minutes to disembark the aircraft, pass through customs, and leave the airport in their ground transport vehicle. We will stay in contact with the driver to ensure passengers have a smooth pick-up.

PASSENGERS WITH DISABILITIES

WHEELCHAIR AVAILABLE

A staff member will assist passengers with disabilities in deplaning the aircraft. Request a wheelchair prior to arrival to avoid any delays.

PET ARRIVALS

PERMITTED WITH VALID DOCUMENTATION

Pets allowed in the Dominican Republic include cats, dogs, household birds, hamsters, guinea pigs, ferrets, non-poisonous reptiles, pot belly pigs, rabbits, and tropical fish. All pets must have the appropriate documentation from a licensed Veterinarian. Pet's original health certificate must include the license number and signature of the veterinarian. **The certificate and pet's treatment must not be older than 15 consecutive days after being issued, or it will not be valid.** Each animal will be charged a USD 10.00 fee per entry.

DEPARTURE PROCEDURES

PASSENGER AND CREW DEPARTURES

MUST MEET AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE GAT

On average, the entire departure process for passengers and crew can take 15 minutes if all documents are in order. A Universal Aviation staff member will be waiting for passengers and crew members at the entrance of the GAT. The VIP lounge will be available for passengers if needed. Once everyone is cleared from security and immigration, they will be escorted to the aircraft.

LUGGAGE HANDLING

All bags and luggage pieces are received at the entrance of the GAT. A Universal Aviation staff member will take everyone's luggage to the CIQ area. Once passengers and crew members are cleared, our staff will transport all luggage to the aircraft for loading.

PET DEPARTURES

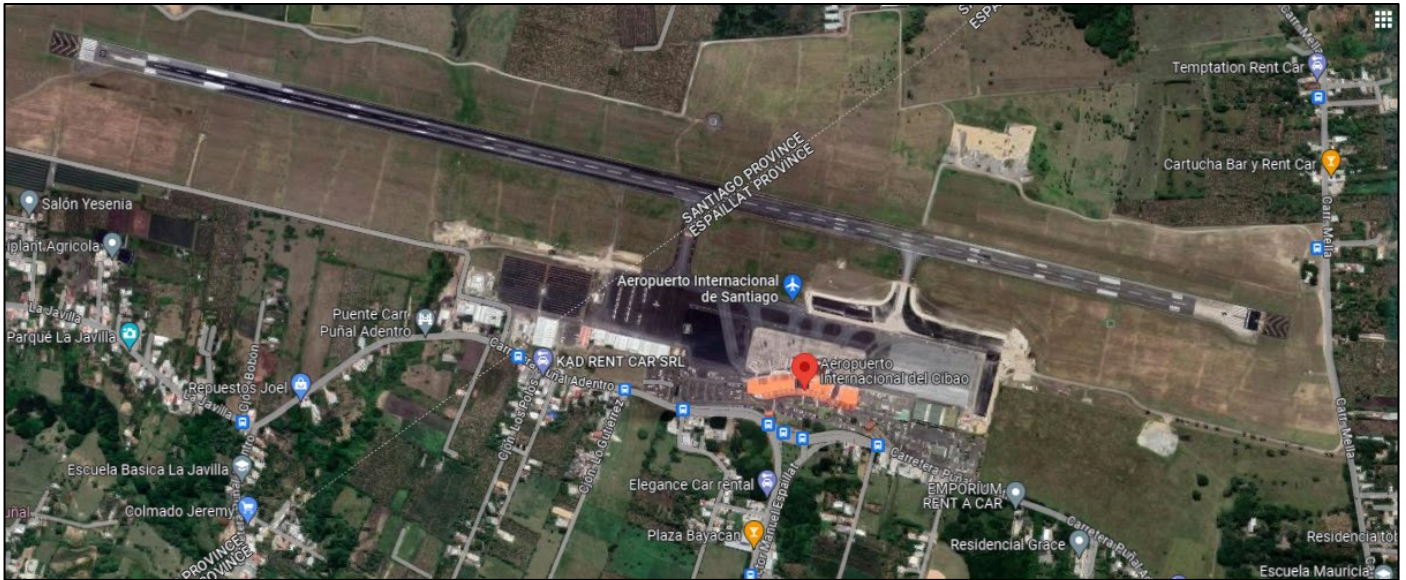
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Pet's original health certificate must include the license number and signature of the veterinarian. **The certificate must not be older than 15 consecutive days after being issued, or it will not be valid.**

- Rabies vaccination must not be older than one year.
- Each animal will be charged a USD 10.00 fee per exit.

PASSENGER GROUND TRANSPORTATION

ADDRESS FOR DRIVERS: Avenida Victor Manuel Espallat, Santiago De Los Caballeros 51081, Dominican Republic



USEFUL LINKS & RESOURCES

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