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Dallas Fort Worth International Airport invites applications for
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The Airport

Dallas Fort Worth International (DFW) Airport warmly welcomes more than seventy-three million customers along their journey every year, elevating DFW to a status as one of the most frequently visited superhub airports in the world. Although owned by Dallas and Fort Worth, DFW is located within the boundaries of the Cities of Grapevine, Coppell, Irving, Euless, and Fort Worth, and within Dallas and Tarrant Counties. DFW consists of 26.9 square miles (17,183 acres), one of the largest land mass airports in the world. Celebrating 47 years of operations, DFW ranked as the 3rd largest airport in the world based on operations and the 10th largest based on passengers prior to the COVID-19 pandemic.

DFW Airport customers can choose among 193 domestic and 67 international nonstop destinations worldwide. Additionally, 22 cargo airlines provide worldwide freighter service positioning DFW as the ideal cargo gateway to the world, an essential industry to North Texas delivering more than \$20 billion to the regional economy each year. The airport's central United States location positions DFW as the nexus of Latin America – Asia transit freight, and as an ideal hub for e-commerce. Strong Asian freighter service and the large American Airlines Latin America network add to DFW's geographic advantage. Additionally, DFW is the first carbon neutral airport in North America and the largest in the world.

Centered between its owner cities of Dallas and Fort Worth, Texas, DFW Airport also serves as a major economic generator for the North Texas region, producing over \$37 billion in economic impact each year by connecting people through business and leisure travel.

DFW is located within a four-hour flight time of 98% of the U.S. population and its central location is the focal point of one of the nation's largest intermodal hubs, connecting air, rail, and interstate highway systems. Home to 3,000 high tech firms and the Grantee/Operator of Foreign Trade Zone No. 39, DFW is known as the major economic generator for North Texas powering a \$472 billion economy, according to the North Texas Commission (NTC).

To review DFW's FY 2022 Adopted Budget, [click here](#).





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The DFW Airport Board is a semi-autonomous body charged with governing DFW International Airport. DFW Airport's Board of Directors is composed of twelve members, eleven of whom are appointed by the city councils of the Airport's owner cities. Seven represent the City of Dallas and four represent the City of Fort Worth, in accordance with each city's ownership interest in the Airport. To facilitate communication between and among the Airport and its neighbors, a 12th, non-voting board position representing one of the Airport's four neighboring cities (Irving, Grapevine, Euless, and Coppell) is filled on an annual, rotating basis. The Board may enter contracts without the approval of its owner cities' city councils, but their approval is required for its annual budget, bond sales and other similar measures.



The Board of Directors appoints the Airport's Chief Executive Officer, who is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Airport. The Chief Executive Officer, in turn, hires a professional staff to assist in that responsibility.

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The airport is an employment hub for the North Texas community. The Airport supports the employment of over 228,000 people and more than 2,000 are directly employed by the Airport's Board. From recruiting talented individuals to fueling their personal and professional growth, DFW is committed to investing in its employees and their families. DFW Airport has also been named Healthiest Employer in Texas and one of the Top 100 Healthiest Workplaces in America.

To see more about DFW, [click here](#) to watch a short video.

The Community

Dallas is the ninth largest city in the US and the third largest in Texas with a population of 1,281,047. The Dallas-Fort Worth Arlington MSA consists of twelve counties: Collin, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Ellis, Hunt, Johnson, Kaufman, Parker, Rockwall, Tarrant and Wise and has a population of 6,954,330. The Dallas-Plano-Irving MD (metropolitan division) is slightly smaller with a population of 4,604,097 and is composed of eight counties: Collin, Dallas, Delta, Denton, Ellis, Hunt, Kaufman, and Rockwall.

Dallas is in the Central Time Zone in North Central Texas, thirty-five miles east of Fort Worth, 245 miles north/northwest of Houston and three hundred miles north of the Gulf of Mexico and the area is home to 21 Fortune 500 companies including Exxon Mobil, JC Penney, AT&T, Texas Instruments, and others.

Home to seven professional sports teams, Dallas is a sports mecca. Sports enthusiasts will enjoy watching The Dallas Cowboys (NFL); Dallas Stars (NHL); Dallas Mavericks (NBA); Dallas Wings (WNBA); FC Dallas (MLS) and the Texas Rangers (MLB) plus NASCAR and Indy racing. The area is also home to more than two hundred golf courses.

Dallas is a commercial and cultural hub of the region. Downtown's Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza commemorates the site of President John F. Kennedy's assassination in 1963. In the Arts District, the Dallas Museum of Art and the Crow Collection of Asian Art cover thousands of years of art. The sleek Nasher Sculpture Center showcases contemporary sculpture. Dallas delivers BIG in the arts and culture scene thanks to the largest contiguous urban arts district in the country. From galleries in the Bishop Arts District to street art in Deep Ellum, there's something in every corner of the city and many of the museums offer free entry.

If you are looking for activities with the kids, or a fun night out on the town, Dallas has so many things to do from the classics like Reunion Tower and Perot Museum of Nature and Science, to new experiences in must-see spots like Trinity Groves and the Design District.

For foodies, Dallas doesn't disappoint. Taste the unique culture of Dallas firsthand, with incredible dining options spread throughout the city. *(continued...)*



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THE CITY OF Fort Worth

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Sample the finest in chef-driven cuisine – from internationally-inspired dishes like Laotian boat noodles, ceviche and sashimi, to Texan mainstays like tacos, steak and barbecue. No matter your tastes or your budget, there's an unforgettable meal waiting for you in Dallas.

If live music is more your scene, there's no shortage of opportunities to check out a band or artist performance. Head to Granada Theater on Greenville Avenue in East Dallas to start. Check out Trees and The Bomb Factory for a night out, too – these venues epitomize the music history of the Deep Ellum neighborhood and showcase local, national and international artists on a weekly basis.

Fort Worth is the 13th-largest city in the United States, known for Texas hospitality and a dozen remarkable districts full of culture and fun. The historic western Stockyards features the world's only twice-daily cattle drive, Billy Bob's Texas, the world's largest honky-tonk and the new Mule Alley. Downtown is connected by the 35-block Sundance Square entertainment district, the stunning museums of the Cultural District, the Botanic Garden and nearby Fort Worth Zoo.

Fort Worth is the 6th fastest growing large city in the nation

- The Kimbell Art Museum is home to the only Michelangelo in the Americas, his first painting, The Torment of Saint Anthony.
- Fort Worth hosts the world's only twice-daily cattle drive and year-round rodeo in the Stockyards National Historic District.
- The Fort Worth Zoo opened as the first zoo in Texas in 1909 and is ranked the No. 4 zoo in the nation by USA Today.
- The Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth was recognized as the best-designed building in Texas by Architectural Digest.
- Fort Worth named a Top 20 city for Hispanic entrepreneurs by Fortune in 2018.
- The first music-friendly city in Texas was designated by the Texas Music Office in the Office of the Governor.

Dine in one of many Fort Worth restaurants offering everything from Tex-Mex and BBQ to world-class cuisine. You can catch a show at Bass Performance Hall or view more than 7,000 animals at the nationally top-ranked Fort Worth Zoo. Thrill seekers can experience life in the fast lane at Texas Motor Speedway.



The Position

Under the general direction of the Director of Public Safety, the Assistant Vice President, Airport Security performs administrative and technical work in the direction of public safety services in an aviation environment. Formulates policies, standards, and procedures for assigned areas and coordinates the provision of other services. Exercises direct supervision and supervises through staff. Work is reviewed by reports and conferences. This is a non-commissioned position; however, at the discretion of the Director of Public Safety, it may be filled by a previously commissioned or fire certified individual.

For a complete job description, [click here](#).

Position Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in homeland security, emergency management, criminal justice, or related field.
- Seven (7) years of increasingly responsible experience in public safety, such as law enforcement, airport security, emergency management, etc.
- Five (5) years of management level supervisory experience.
- Any equivalent combination of education and/or experience may be substituted for the above.
- Possession of a valid Class C driver's license.

Preferred Qualifications

Experience at a Category X airport and experience being responsible for managing large multi-shift, multi-site hourly workforce is desirable.





Salary & Compensation

The starting salary range for this position is \$133,600 - \$167,000 and is accompanied by an extremely attractive benefits package. Relocation assistance is available.

How to Apply:

To apply online, [click here](#).

Deadline for applications: Open Until Filled

For questions or more information:

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