



**Transportation
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Religious Holiday of Sukkot

The Jewish Holiday of Sukkot will commence the evening of Sunday, September 27, 2015 to the evening of Sunday, October 4, 2015. Sukkot travel will begin approximately one week before, on Sunday, September 20, 2015, and end on Sunday, October 11, 2015.

TSA's screening procedures do not prohibit the carrying of the four plants used during Sukkot - a palm branch, myrtle twigs, willow twigs, and a citron - in airports, through or security checkpoints, or on airplanes. These plants or agricultural items are not on TSA's Prohibited Items List. However, all persons and property will undergo security screening at the checkpoint.

Travelers requiring special accommodations or concerned about checkpoint screening may ask a checkpoint officer or supervisor for a Passenger Support Specialist who will provide on-the-spot assistance. Travelers may also request a Passenger Support specialist ahead of time by calling the TSA Cares hotline at 1-855-787-2227.

To inquire about screening procedures or provide feedback, call or email the TSA Contact Center at 1-866-289-9673 and TSA-ContactCenter@tsa.dhs.gov.