

PHILADELPHIA

The nation's fifth largest city, Philadelphia is located in southeast Pennsylvania between the Schuylkill and Delaware Rivers, in Philadelphia County. The entire metro area, made up of Bucks, Montgomery, Chester, Delaware, and Philadelphia counties, is a major center for pharmaceutical/biotech, healthcare, communications, and financial services industries. Comcast, QVC, Bethlehem Steel, and Sunoco are all headquartered in Philadelphia. The major business districts in Philadelphia are **Center City** and the **University District**.

Center City is the home of many of Philadelphia's corporate offices, best hotels and restaurants, and the Convention Center District. It is also home to the Philadelphia Stock Exchange and Federal Reserve Bank. Chinatown, a popular dining destination, lies adjacent to the Convention Center District. The **University District**, located 2 miles west of Center City across the Schuylkill River, is home to the University of Pennsylvania, Drexel University, and a diverse community of educational, cultural, technological, and entertainment organizations.

Fast Facts: Philadelphia

Time Zone: Eastern

Area Codes: 215, 267, 445, 602

Sales Tax: 6% state tax and 1% city tax

Hotel Taxes: 14%

Rush Hour: Into the city, from 7 a.m.-9 a.m.; out of the city, from 4:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m.

INFORMATION SOURCES

Chamber of commerce: Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce ☎ 215.545.1234 🌐 www.gpcc.com

Visitor bureau: Philadelphia Convention and Visitors Bureau ☎ 215.636.3300 🌐 www.pcvb.org

Local newspaper: *Philadelphia Inquirer* 🌐 www.philly.com

Local weather: 🌐 www.philly.com

Local traffic: 🌐 www.philly.com, KYW News Radio 1060 AM 🌐 www.kyw1060.com

Restaurant information: 🌐 www.philly.com 🌐 www.pcvb.org

GETTING THERE

PHILADELPHIA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Fast Facts: Philadelphia International Airport

Airport Code: PHL

📍 8000 Essington Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19153
🌐 www.phl.org

General Information: ☎ 215.937.6800

Lost and Found: ☎ 215.937.6888

Airport Police: ☎ 215.937.6918

24 Hour Flight/Gate Information:

☎ 800.PHL.GATE (800.745.4283)

Philadelphia Airport Parking Authority:

☎ 215.683.9840

Drive time to Center City: 20 minutes (25-35 minutes during rush hour)

Philadelphia International Airport is located on the Delaware River approximately 7 miles south of downtown Philadelphia, just off I-95. A sprawling airport situated on 2,302 acres, Philadelphia International consists of six

concourses—A, B, C, D, E, and F. Each concourse has its own terminal except concourses B and C that share terminal B/C, which houses the Philadelphia Marketplace. Construction on the new International Terminal (A West—which will connect to the existing concourse A) is expected to be completed in 2003.

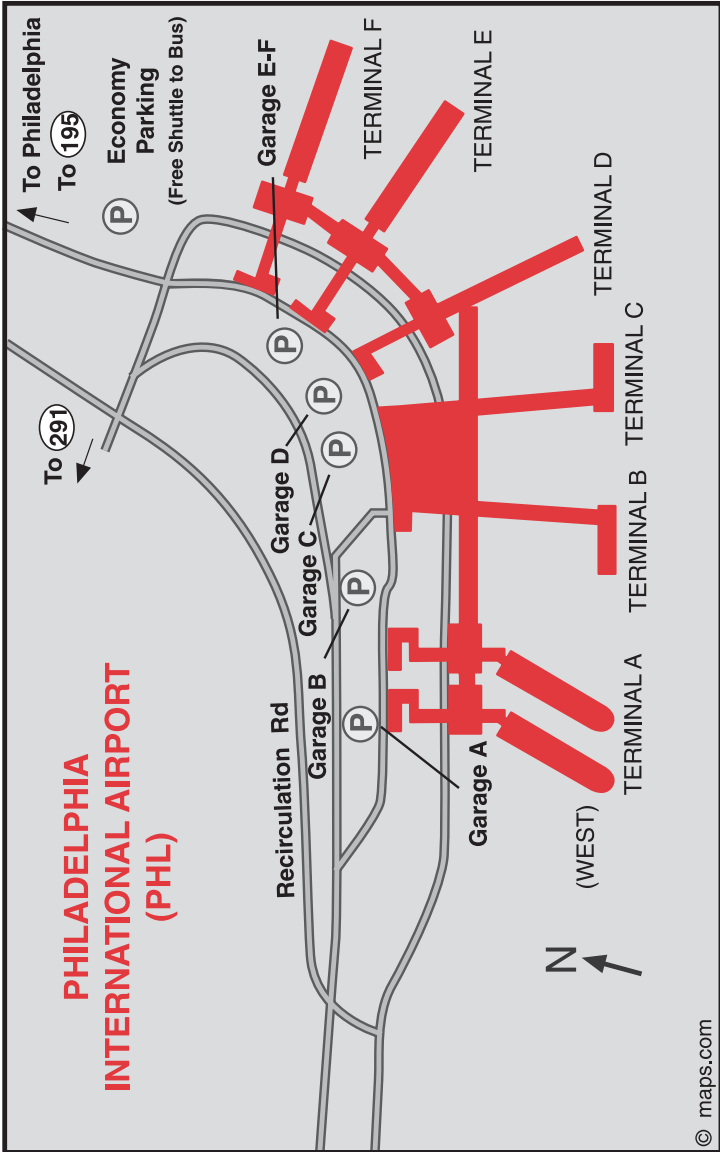
Numerous moving sidewalks are located throughout this large airport to speed you along your way. Traveling from one end of the airport to the other on the moving walkways will take about 15 minutes, assuming that you don't stop to rest at the rocking chairs near terminal B/C. If you are flying US Airways Express with a connecting flight from terminal C to terminal F, a shuttle bus will transport you between terminals. The pickup and drop-off is located within concourses C and F past ticketing.

Short-term parking lots are located on ground level at baggage claims A, B, C, and D. Garage parking lots (hourly and long-term) are off the Arriving Flights Roadway.

There is no shortage of convenient places to eat and shop at the airport, which houses more than 100 restaurants and retail stores—a third of which are in the Philadelphia Marketplace, a large retail mall. Food courts are located in terminal B/C and near concourse F. Other restaurants are located in the concourses and the walkways between the concourses. Restaurants include Gloria Jean's Coffee (Marketplace), Hudson News Euro Cyber Café (D86), Jet Rock Bar and Grill (B8, C25, D11, F9), Lamberti's International (before security in concourse D), the Petit Bistro (C31), and Philadelphia Tavern (A4). In addition, the on-airport Marriott Hotel offers the Riverbend Bar and Grill, which is open for breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

Retail stores in the Philadelphia Marketplace include Barbara's Bestsellers, Bath and Body Works, Brookstone, Cingular Wireless, Fossil Shop, Gap, Godiva Chocolates, Museum Shop, PGA Tour Shop, and Sunglass Hut. (A complete list of retailers is located at www.philamarketplace.com. Also look for Food & Shops pamphlets peppered throughout the airport.) In addition, Staples Express is located in concourse B, and MailBoxes, Etc. is in the walkway between concourses A and B.

AIRPORT MAP



DOMESTIC AIRLINES

Philadelphia International is a hub for US Airways.

Airline	Concourses(s)
AirTran	D
America West	D
American Airlines	A
American Eagle	A
ATA	E
Continental	D
Continental Express	D
Delta	E
Delta Connection	E
Midwest Express	E
Northwest	E
United	D
United Express	D
US Airways	A, B, C, D
US Airways Express	F

INTERNET ACCESS

Dial-up/data ports: Data ports are located in every terminal, in the gate area next to the pay phones. The Airport Marriott has data ports for public use on the second floor.

High-speed access: The Euro Cyber Café in terminal D offers kiosks for high-speed Internet access and dial-up access for laptops. High-speed access is also available at Laptop Lane in the terminal A/B link.

☀ **Wi-Fi:** Delta Crown Room (upper level terminal E)

BUSINESS SERVICES

Laptop Lane

☛ Terminal A/B link (upper level) ☎ 215.937.4360

Services include private workstations with computers, unlimited Internet access and phone calls (local and domestic long-distance), printing, copying, and faxing. Also provides travel items such as power adapters, cases, CD and MP3 players, headphone, batteries, and so on. Workstation rental rates run \$5 for the first 5 minutes and \$.65 per minute thereafter.

Mailboxes, Etc.

☛ Terminal A/B link

Offers copying, faxing, shipping, and related services for the business traveler.

Staples Express

☛ Concourse B

Offers supplies, electronic accessories.

AIRLINE LOUNGES

American Airlines Admirals Club

☛ Terminal A (outside security checkpoint, next to Thomas Cook) ☎ 215.937.5881 ☎ 6 a.m.-7 p.m. Sunday-Friday; 6 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday (**Conferece Room Reservations:** ☎ 800.237.7971 ext. 745)

Standard amenities plus one work desk, laser printer, FedEx, and one conference room. Seating for 62.

Continental Airlines President's Club/Northwest Airlines WorldClubs Lounge

☛ Terminal E (adjacent to gate E2) ☎ 215.492.2425 ☎ 5:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Sunday-Friday; 5:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday

Standard amenities plus workstation with dial-up access and one conference room. Location is shared by Continental and Northwest.

Delta Air Lines Crown Room Club

☛ Terminal E (upper level) ☎ 5 a.m.-8 p.m. daily

Medium-sized facility with standard amenities plus computers, dial-up Internet access, and business center. ☀ Wireless Internet access provided by T-Mobile.

United Airlines Red Carpet Club

☛ Between concourses C and D (upper level) ☎ 215.863.4725 ☎ 5 a.m.-6:45 p.m. daily

Standard amenities plus workstations with dial-up access and one conference room.

US Airways Club

☛ Main concourse, between B and C concourses (third floor) ☎ 610.362.7714 ☎ 5:30 a.m.-10:30 p.m. daily (**Business Center** ☎ 610.362.4333 ☎ Monday-Friday 5:30 a.m.-7:30 p.m.)

Very large facility. Standard amenities plus a full-service bar, three semiprivate workstation areas of eight workstations with dial-up Internet access, eight meeting/conference rooms, and a full service business with catering and A/V rental.

US Airways Club

☛ Terminal F (level 2, over the food court)
☎ 610.362.4274 ☎ 5:30 a.m.-10 p.m. daily

Standard amenities plus business center with one conference room.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION

Ground transportation counters, which provide information for all means of transportation at the airport, are located in all baggage claim areas. Outside each baggage claim area are Zones 1-7, each representing a different transportation method.

Rental Cars

Information phones are available at all baggage claim areas for each of the on-airport car rental agencies. All rental car companies provide shuttle service from Zone 2, outside the baggage claim area, to their pickup locations.

Located at the airport: Alamo, Avis, Budget, Dollar, Hertz, and National

Taxis

Taxis are located in Zone 5 outside each terminal baggage claim area. Cabs charge a \$20 flat rate to Center City. There is usually no wait for a cab.

Limousines

Car service pickup is at Zone 7. Companies are listed at the ground transportation counters. Most companies require reservations. After you arrive, call the company for the ground transportation counter; drivers usually arrive in 5 minutes. The fare to Center City is about \$50. Major companies include Transline Airport One (☎ 800.535.5466) and USA Limousine (☎ 800.872.6070); call the airport's main number for a list of additional companies.

Share-Ride Shuttles

Reservations are not necessary. Shuttle pickup is in Zone 7. Share-ride information is available at the ground transportation counters. Major companies include Lady Liberty (☎ 215.724.8888) and USA Limousine (☎ 800.872.6070); check the ground transportation board for a list of providers and their extension numbers. When you call, the service will pick you up in 10 to 12 minutes. The ride to the city will take about 30 minutes. Shuttles cost about \$8/person. Shuttles stop at all terminals outside baggage claims.

Public Transportation

The SEPTA R1 High Speed Rail Line provides service to Philadelphia. The R1 runs through the center of the airport, with entrances on each of the pedestrian bridges at each terminal outside baggage claim (except terminal F). The train takes about 15 to 20 minutes to get to Center City; one-way fare is \$5.50. The train leaves every half hour. Time schedules are available at the ground transportation centers.

AMTRAK

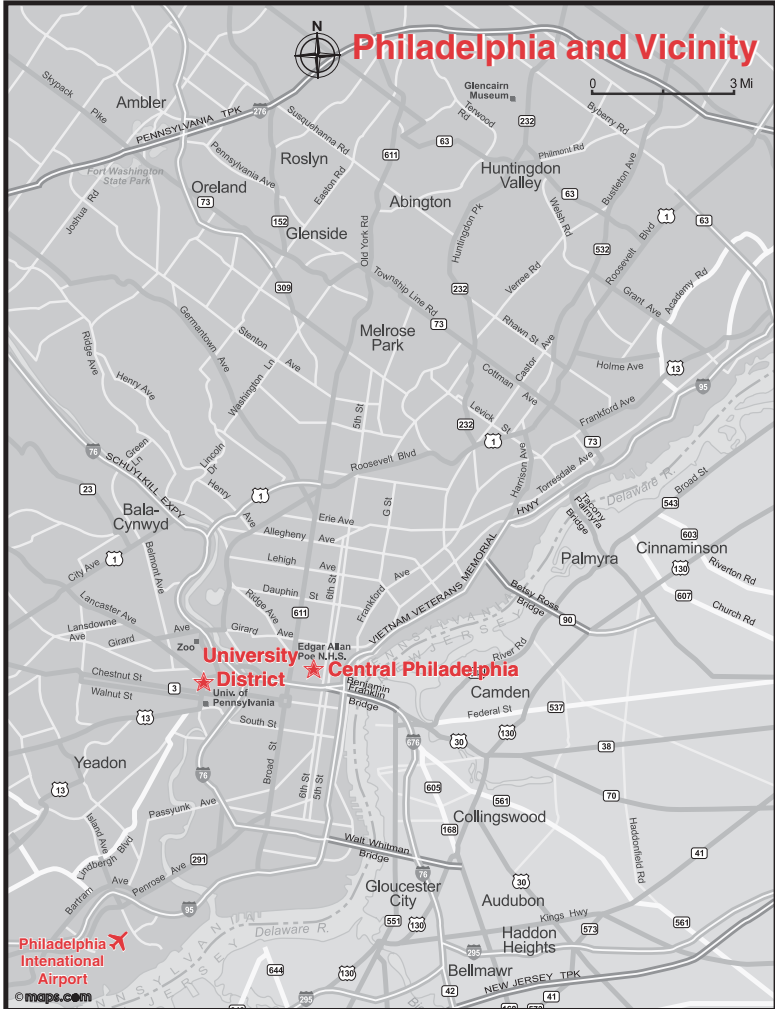
If you are traveling between Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore, or Washington, Amtrak can be a much more convenient option than driving or flying.

Amtrak has 11 trains that serve Philadelphia, including Acela and Metroliner service to New York City, Boston, and Washington, DC. Depending on the train, a trip from Philadelphia to New York Penn Station runs approximately 1 hour 15 minutes; the trip to Washington Union Station runs from 1 1/2 to 2 hours. Budget and National both have rental car offices at the 30th Street Station.

Philadelphia 30th Street Station (PHL) ☛ 30th and Market, Philadelphia, PA 19104

GETTING AROUND

METRO PHILADELPHIA





Central Philadelphia

DRIVING, PARKING, AND WALKING

Philadelphia is a sprawling city, but the Center City business district is compact and easy to traverse by foot. Center City is laid out in a grid pattern with City Hall in the middle; the Center City area covers a 1-mile radius around City Hall. Blocks are short and easy to navigate; numbered streets run parallel to each other whereas streets with names run perpendicular to numbered streets.

University City is about 2 miles due west of Center City and is easily reached by cab or public transportation. If you are walking around University City and need help finding your way, look for a UCD Ambassador, dressed in a gold and blue uniform.

The main north-south highways through Philadelphia are the Delaware Expressway (I-95) and the Schuylkill Expressway (I-76). The Ben Franklin Bridge (a toll bridge) connects Philadelphia to southern New Jersey and the New Jersey Turnpike.

Driving into and around Center City, although easy to navigate, is sometimes difficult—due primarily to traffic congestion on narrow streets, especially during rush hour. The Schuylkill Expressway is often tied up for miles. But overall, Philadelphia traffic is mild compared to most major cities. Count on adding an extra 25% in travel time during rush hour.

RULES OF THE ROAD

The maximum speed limit on interstate highways and other limited access roads is 65 m.p.h., unless otherwise posted. The speed limit on other highways is 55 m.p.h. Headlight use is required in rain, fog, snow, and so on. Pennsylvania law requires that the driver and all front-seat passengers wear seat belts. Violation of the seat belt law is a secondary offense.

PARKING

Philadelphia has metered street parking for a maximum of 2 hours. It's better to leave your car in a garage or lot; lot/garage parking costs around \$15/day, and parking lots are plentiful.

TAXIS

If you're doing business in Center City, hailing a cab may be unnecessary because most locations are easy to get to by foot. Taxis are generally easy to hail on the street and can be found at any hotel. Fares start at \$1.80, and each mile runs \$1.80. If you're doing business in the suburbs, you'll need to call a cab. Major cab companies include City Cab Company, Inc., (☎ 215.492.6600) and Quaker City Cab, Inc., (☎ 215.728.8000).

RENTAL CARS

Avis, Budget, Enterprise, and Hertz all have offices within a 1-mile radius of Center City.

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

SouthEastern Pennsylvania Transportation Authority (SEPTA ☎ 215.580.7800 www.septa.org) runs Regional Rail lines, subways, trolleys, and buses throughout the Philadelphia metro area. The R1 regional rail line, which runs from the airport, has stops in University City and at the 30th Street Amtrak Station, as well as at two downtown locations—Suburban Station (16th and JFK Blvd.) and Market East/The Gallery (the Pennsylvania Convention Center). Fares run from \$3 to \$7; trains run every half hour.

If you're traveling between University City and Central City, use the Market–Frankford subway line. Enter at 11th Street and Market, one block west of the Convention Center. The trolley also runs from University City to Center City. Enter at 13th and Market, three blocks west of the Convention Center. Both the subway and trolley run every 5 to 10 minutes and have a number of stops in the northern area of University City.

In downtown Philly, bright purple PHLASH buses run a downtown loop. Bus and subway services require exact fares of \$2. The LUCY (Loop Thru University City www.ucityphila.com) has shuttle bus service running from the 30th Street Station to all the major institutions in University City for a \$2 base fare.

IN TOWN

CONFERENCE CENTERS

PENNSYLVANIA CONVENTION CENTER

📍 1101 Arch St., Philadelphia, PA 19107

☎ 215.418.4700/800.428.9000

🌐 www.paconvention.com

Located in the heart of Philadelphia, the Pennsylvania Convention Center is a three-story, L-shaped building with 1.3 million square feet of meeting room and exhibit space. The Convention Center is within a 15-minute walk of most Center City area hotels. The Reading Terminal Headhouse at Market Street serves as the entrance to the Center, linking the Convention Center to Market East Rail Station. To the east, the Headhouse connects to the Gallery at Market East, a four-level shopping center that spans three blocks. The Convention Center is also attached to the Reading Terminal Market, a 100-year-old farmer's market. And finally, the Headhouse serves as a secondary entrance to the Marriott Hotel, which occupies the upper floors of the Headhouse and an adjacent city block (accessed via a pedestrian bridge). Parking is available in the numerous lots and garages that surround the Center.

HOTELS

AIRPORT***Courtyard Philadelphia Airport***

From the freshly brewed coffee in the lobby to the upscale decor of the rooms, the Courtyard Philadelphia Airport isn't your typical airport hotel. It may be part of the Airport Interplex complex, but it stands out with excellent service and an array of conveniences for those traveling on business—including comprehensive technological facilities.

📍 8900 Bertram Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19153

☎ 215.365.2200 🌐 www.courtyard.com

Singles and doubles, \$59-\$149 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚰

Hilton Philadelphia Airport

Renovated in 2001, the business-friendly Hilton Philadelphia Airport offers travelers a convenient location with impressive services and amenities. The hotel is located close to the airport and is still only 8 miles from downtown Philadelphia. The newly refurbished rooms offer spacious accommodations with ample workspace, and some feature wicker dressing tables and wooden dressers. The indoor swimming pool and whirlpool

complement the fitness center, and additional services include an activity/recreation desk and laundry service.

📍 4509 Island Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19153

☎ 215.365.4150 🌐 www.hilton.com

Singles and doubles, \$139-\$260 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚰

CENTER CITY***Doubletree Hotel Philadelphia***

Although this is your basic chain hotel, its location can't be beat. Rooms have been renovated as recently as 1998 and feature the basics, as well as the added bonus of 180-degree views of downtown Philadelphia.

📍 Broad St. at Locust, Philadelphia, PA 19107

☎ 800.222.8733 🌐 www.doubletree.com

Singles and doubles, \$100-\$260 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚰

Embassy Suites City Center

Following a \$10 million renovation in the early 1990s, the Embassy Suites City Center blossomed into the 28-story home-away-from-home that it is today. An all-suite property, the hotel is best suited to longer-term guests or those who just like to hunker down and settle in. Suites feature kitchenettes, separate living areas, private bedrooms, two televisions, and individual balconies overlooking downtown. A full hot breakfast at the hotel's T.G.I. Friday's is complimentary for all guests, and the restaurant stays open late for added convenience.

📍 1776 Benjamin Franklin Pkwy., Philadelphia, PA

19103 ☎ 215.561.1776, 215.561.1776

🌐 www.embassysuitesdowntown.com

Suites, \$174-\$204 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚰

Four Seasons Hotel Philadelphia

This eight-story sanctuary has refined the urban oasis mantra, from the plush robes found in each of the rooms to the renowned fitness area, pool, and spa; despite the great location, there's really not much reason to leave the property. Like the common areas, the 364 guest rooms and 103 suites are decorated in Federal Style, and all overlook an inner courtyard or downtown Philadelphia.

📍 One Logan Sq., Philadelphia, PA 19103

☎ 215.963.1500

🌐 www.fourseasons.com/philadelphia/

Singles and doubles, \$310-\$975 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚰

Hampton Inn Philadelphia Convention Center

This property is an appealing option for those seeking a reliable and convenient downtown location. Indoor and outdoor pools, a fitness center, and concierge services are just a few of the amenities awaiting you. Rooms are clean and spacious, and include free local calls and in-room coffeemaker.

📍 1301 Race St., Philadelphia, PA 19107
 ☎ 215.665.9100 🌐 www.hamptoninn.com

Singles and doubles, \$89-\$170 🍷 🍷 🍷 🍷

Hilton Garden Inn Philadelphia Center City

After a long day at the Convention Center, business travelers find the hotel lounge a great spot to meet up with fellow execs to have a drink and unwind. Down below, convenience reigns, with the ground floor Pavilion Pantry perfect for stocking the kitchenettes found in both standard rooms and suites. All accommodations offer classic, comfortable furnishings and large work spaces to lure in conventioners. For guests needing to get a stain out before the next meeting, a coin-operated laundry is available.

📍 Gallery Mall, 1100 Arch St., Philadelphia, PA 19107
 ☎ 215.923.0100
 🌐 www.hiltongardenphilly.com

Singles and doubles, \$140-\$189 🍷 🍷 🍷 🍷

Loews Philadelphia Hotel

Formerly the headquarters for the Pennsylvania Savings Fund Society, this modernist skyscraper from the 1930s is now a National Historic Landmark. Loews offers a large-scale hotel experience, with a huge indoor fitness center and spa (complete with swimming pool, sauna, and a private trainer), along with nearly 600 guest rooms and suites. The rooms offer a feeling of spaciousness with their high ceilings and appeal to business travelers with Internet hookup, coffeemakers, and other such conveniences.

📍 1200 Market St., Philadelphia, PA 19107
 ☎ 215.627.1200 🌐 www.loewshotels.com

Singles and doubles, \$130-\$260 🍷 🍷 🍷 🍷

Omni Hotel at Independence Park

The elaborate lobby fireplace sets the tone in this charming hotel. From the unique architecture of the building to its fine interior furnishings, the hotel treats guests to a classy stay. Guest rooms offer their own unique outlook onto Independence Park, as well as attractive furnishings such as marble bathrooms prettied up with full-length dressing mirrors.

📍 401 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106
 ☎ 215.925.0000 🌐 www.omnihotels.com

Singles and doubles, \$190-\$260 🍷 🍷 🍷 🍷

Park Hyatt Philadelphia at the Bellevue

When you check in at the front desk, a complimentary glass of Champagne or bottle of water lets you know that you've arrived in a place where the meaning of personal service isn't just lip service. Listed as a Historic Hotels of America by the National Historic Trust Preservation, this building simply oozes old-world charm. Guest rooms uplift with vibrant colors, high ceilings, and full entertainment units; the Park Hyatt's Sporting Club is free for guest use.

📍 200 S. Broad St., Philadelphia, PA 19102
 ☎ 215.893.1776 🌐 www.hyatt.com

Singles and doubles, \$190-\$300 🍷 🍷 🍷 🍷

Philadelphia Marriott

Apparently, size does matter. This hotel takes up an entire city block, and the lobby reception area resides in a five-story atrium complete with a flowing fountain. Business services abound, from top-notch amenities to seemingly endless meeting spaces, and the hotel is connected to the Pennsylvania Convention Center by a skywalk—those in town on business need never haul their laptops outdoors. This reliable hotel offers more than 1,400 guest rooms complemented by amenities that include a fitness center, pool, and spa. Deluxe concierge rooms and suites are also available.

📍 1201 Market St., Philadelphia, PA 19107
 ☎ 215.625.2900 🌐 www.marriott.com

Singles and doubles, \$190-\$360 🍷 🍷 🍷 🍷

Residence Inn by Marriott Philadelphia City Center

Located right across the street from City Hall, the Residence Inn provides spacious and comfortable suite accommodations. The 25-story building was erected in 1902, providing an historic backdrop for the fresh and new decor that was employed when the hotel itself opened in 2002. Rooms come in studio, one-bedroom, and two-bedroom layouts, and all are equipped with full oak cabinet kitchens, bathrooms, large work spaces, and living areas. The hotel also hosts a fitness center and indoor pool, and a spa is located nearby.

📍 1 E. Penn Square, Philadelphia, PA 19107
 ☎ 215.557.0005 🌐 www.marriott.com

Suites, \$150-\$260 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚿

The Rittenhouse Hotel

What this property lacks in overall size, it makes up for tenfold in charm and elegance, as well as in its boast of offering the largest hotel guest rooms in the city. Many of the spacious guest rooms offer whirlpool bathtubs, mahogany furnishings, entertainment centers, minibars, and marble bathrooms with separate dressing areas. The hotel accommodates business travelers with high-speed Internet access, speakerphones, and in-room fax machines.

📍 210 W. Rittenhouse Square, Philadelphia, PA 19103
 ☎ 215.546.9000
 🌐 www.rittenhousehotel.com

Singles and doubles from \$220 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚿

The Ritz-Carlton, Philadelphia

With an ideal location right in Center City, its guest rooms and suites dominate a 30-story tower adjoining a rotunda that houses two exceptional restaurants. Although the hotel's spa and fitness center are a treat, you're sure to sleep soundly on feather bedding in the lovely surroundings of your guest room. Two lounges, the Vault and the Rotunda, offer cocktails and cigars, and are particularly popular with business travelers on unrestricted expense accounts.

📍 10 Avenue of the Arts, Philadelphia, PA 19102
 ☎ 215.563.1600 🌐 www.ritzcarlton.com

Singles and doubles from \$300 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚿

Westin Philadelphia

Formerly the St. Regis, this 15-story wonder is located in a large shopping Galleria in downtown Philadelphia at Liberty Place. The colonial atmosphere is warm and inviting, as is evidenced by the roaring fireplace in the lobby. The hotel boasts "heavenly" bedding in every room, along with large televisions and the usual suspects when it comes to amenities.

📍 Shops at Liberty Place, 17 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19103
 ☎ 215.563.1600 🌐 www.starwood.com

Singles and doubles from \$260 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚿

NORTH

Wyndham Franklin Plaza Hotel

Offering all the standard amenities, this hotel is a safe and reliable bet for modern and comfortable accommodation. The lobby and restaurants are spacious, the service is attentive, and airport access is especially convenient. In-room features include ergonomic furnishings, as well as a list of little extras that includes coffeemakers and hair dryers. A sauna and whirlpool are available for guest use.

📍 2 Franklin Plaza, Philadelphia, PA 19103
 ☎ 215.448.2000 🌐 www.wyndham.com

Singles and doubles, \$189-\$249; suites, \$450-\$1,000
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UNIVERSITY AREA

Hilton Inn at Penn

Instead of offering a stiff, formal, hotel-away-from-home experience, this property offers the kind of atmosphere you'd expect to find when staying with friends. The 238 beautifully appointed rooms are equipped with dual-line phones, voice mail, data ports, and Internet access. The fitness center is small but free, and you are also treated to complimentary access to a larger facility nearby. For visitors to the University of Pennsylvania neighborhood, this is a top choice.

📍 3600 Sansom St. (36th St.), Philadelphia, PA 19104
 ☎ 215.222.0200 🌐 www.theinnatpenn.com

Singles and doubles, \$130-\$190; 🍷 🍳 🛏 🚿

WEST—CITY LINE**Adam's Mark Hotel**

Although not the snazziest place in town, this hotel offers a solid, comfortable retreat, with modern guest rooms that include all the basics in warm, spacious surroundings. Conveniences such as laundry service and shoeshine make the Adam's Mark a popular destination for business travelers. The hotel is equipped with complete business services and meeting spaces, as well as a fitness center, sauna, and swimming pools.

📍 4000 City Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19131

☎ 215.581.5000, 800.444.2326

🌐 www.adamsmark.com

Singles and doubles, \$120-\$260 🍷 🍴 🏠 🚶

RESTAURANTS

You'll find most of Philadelphia's best restaurants in Center City. If you are looking for something more casual, head over to the Chinatown district, near the convention center.

TOP FIVE BUSINESS RESTAURANTS**The Fountain Restaurant (Center City)**

Cuisine: French, contemporary. **Features:** Great wine list, heart-healthy dishes, full bar, private rooms, entertainment, reservations suggested. **Attire:** Ties suggested. **Open:** Breakfast daily; lunch Monday-Saturday; dinner nightly; brunch Sunday.

📍 Four Seasons Hotel Philadelphia, One Logan Square, Philadelphia, PA 19103 ☎ 215.963.1500

Lacroix at The Rittenhouse (Center City)

Cuisine: French. **Features:** Great wine list, full bar, private rooms, reservations suggested. **Attire:** Casual dressy. **Open:** Breakfast daily; lunch Monday-Friday; dinner nightly.

📍 The Rittenhouse Hotel, 210 W. Rittenhouse Square, Philadelphia, PA 19103 ☎ 215.790.2533

Morimoto (Center City)

Cuisine: Japanese. **Features:** Open late, reservations suggested. **Attire:** Casual. **Open:** Dinner nightly.

📍 723 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19106

☎ 215.413.9070

Pasion! (Center City)

Cuisine: Latin American, Argentinean. **Features:** Full bar, open late, reservations suggested. **Attire:** Casual. **Open:** Lunch Monday-Friday; dinner nightly.

📍 211 S. 15th St., Philadelphia, PA 19102

☎ 215.875.9895

Striped Bass (Center City)

Cuisine: Seafood. **Features:** Great wine list, heart-healthy dishes, full bar, reservations suggested. **Attire:** Ties suggested. **Open:** Lunch Monday-Friday; dinner nightly; brunch Sunday.

📍 1500 Walnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19102

☎ 215.732.4444

BUSINESS SERVICES AND SUPPLIES**BUSINESS SUPPORT AND
COMPUTER/INTERNET ACCESS****Kinko's****Center City**

📍 Stock Exchange, 2001 Market St., Philadelphia, PA 19103-7044 ☎ 215.561.5170 🖨 215.561.5346

✉ usa0293@kinkos.com

University City

📍 3923 Walnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19104-3608

☎ 215.386.5679 🖨 215.386.3297

✉ usa1210@kinkos.com

Mail Boxes, Etc.**Center City**

📍 1735 Market St., Suite A, Philadelphia, PA 19103-7502

☎ 215.567.6006

📍 51 N 3rd St., Philadelphia, PA 19106 ☎ 215.629.4990

University City

📍 3741 Walnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19104-3602

☎ 215.222.2840

Starbucks

More than half of the 400 or so Starbucks in the Philadelphia metro area have Wi-Fi access, provided by T-Mobile. Go to www.starbucks.com for specific locations.

OFFICE SUPPLIES, COMPUTERS, AND ELECTRONICS

RadioShack**Center City**

 The Gallery, Market Street East, Philadelphia, PA 19107
 215.925.1504

 1616 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19103
 215.568.1282

University City

 212 S. 40th St., Philadelphia, PA 19104
 215.662.5949

 309 S. 48th St., Philadelphia, PA 19143
 215.747.4021

Staples**Center City**

 1044 Market St., Philadelphia, PA 19107
 215.923.0109

 1500 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, PA 19102
 215.864.9520