

## **AIRPORT INSTRUCTIONS FOR SKILLS USA UTAH GROUPS (SOUTHWEST AIRLINES)**

**AIRPORT ARRIVAL TIME:** You must arrive at the Salt Lake City airport Southwest Airlines check-in line no later than 2 hours prior to your flight departure time. Please allow for heavy traffic, road construction, travel delays and time to park your vehicle, when necessary. SHERRIE LOVE will be at the Southwest line to hand out boarding passes and check off your name. Please DO NOT check in directly with Southwest. DO NOT use a SKYCAP. YOU MUST HAVE GOV'T ISSUED PICTURE ID. THE PREFERENCE WOULD BE A DRIVER'S LICENSE.

**CARRY-ON BAGS:** You are allowed 1 carry-on bag NOT to EXCEED 40 pounds and 45 combined linear inches (Height+Width+Depth), and 1 personal item such as a purse, camera, or laptop that will fit under the seat in front of you. NO EXCEPTIONS. DUE TO AIRPORT SECURITY RESTRICTIONS, you are NOT allowed to carry on any LIQUIDS OR GELS. All liquids and gels MUST be packed in the checked-in bags. DO NOT pack any aerosol sprays in your carry-on. Items that might be used as a weapon are not allowed in carry-on bags, including scissors, knives of any size, fingernail clippers, combs with a sharp pointed handle, etc. These items MUST be packed in your checked-in bags. Due to the increased time required to move through the TSA security process, plan to carry-on as little as possible.

**CHECKED BAGGAGE MEASUREMENTS:** You are allowed 2 checked bags per passenger. The MAXIMUM SIZE of each bag is 62 combined linear inches, (Height+Width+Depth). The MAXIMUM WEIGHT of each bag is 50 pounds. The airlines are checking size and weight very closely. If your bag is overweight or if it is too large, you will either be charged a significant baggage fee, or they will decline to accept your bag.

**FACE MASKS:** Face masks are not currently required in the airport or on the aircraft, but this policy may change before we depart in June. There is nothing wrong with voluntarily wearing a mask to reduce the risk of infection. It is recommended that you have a mask readily available during travel and throughout the national conference.

**MEALS DURING TRAVEL:** The airlines are NOT SERVING MEALS on the flights, so plan accordingly.