

Transportation Security Officer

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Transportation Security Administration



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Transportation Security Officer (\$62,662-\$77,257/yr | \$30.02-\$37.02/hr) Transportation Security Administration

CLOSE DATE 5/27/2026

☆ Job Order #: 24215700 📍 Boston, MA 02128

Join TSA to protect passengers, airports, and aircraft; perform screening, searches, and customer service in a fast-paced airport setting.

KEY DUTIES:

- Operate screening equipment (x-ray, AIT, ETD) and interpret imagery
- Conduct bag searches, pat-downs, and physical screening
- Lift/move baggage/bins/equipment (~50 lbs), control access points, ID checks
- Assist passengers, de-escalate conflicts, follow SOPs, complete training

REQUIREMENTS:

- U.S. citizen or U.S. national; 18+; Selective Service if applicable
- Qualify by: A) 1+ year security/aviation screening/x-ray experience OR B) HS diploma/GED/HiSET/TASC
- Pass TAB (if invited), structured interview, drug screen, medical exam (color vision, hearing, mobility; lift 50 lbs; stand/walk hours/miles), background investigation
- English proficiency; available for variable shifts, overtime, and new-hire training travel (min ~3 weeks)
- Residency: lived in U.S. 3 of last 5 years (exceptions may apply)
- Credit check: no delinquent federal/state taxes or past-due child support

Note: current hiring preference for qualified female candidates at this location

SCHEDULE: FULL-TIME: 40 HRS/WK; PART-TIME: 16-32 HRS/WK; SHIFT WORK (NIGHTS, WEEKENDS, HOLIDAYS), SPLIT SHIFTS, OVERTIME POSSIBLE

FEDERAL BENEFITS: HEALTH/DENTAL/VISION, LIFE, RETIREMENT, TSP, FSA, EAP, PAID LEAVE, FEDERAL HOLIDAYS; POTENTIAL LOCAL BENEFITS (TUITION AID, TRANSIT SUBSIDY, UNIFORM ALLOWANCE)

SELECTION: TAB → INTERVIEW → DRUG SCREEN → MEDICAL → BACKGROUND; EVALUATED ON ATTENTION TO DETAIL, CRITICAL THINKING, INTEGRITY, TEAMWORK, COMMUNICATION, VISUAL OBSERVATION

APPLY: RESUME (2-PAGE MAX) + ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE; VETERANS/FEDERAL STATUS SUBMIT DD-214, SF-15/VA DOCS AS APPLICABLE; TENTATIVELY SELECTED MUST COMPLETE OF-306

NOTES: PERMANENT, EXCEPTED SERVICE; BARGAINING UNIT AFGE; PAY BAND SV-D (EQUIV. GS-5/6)

(PPE may be required; E-Verify used; TSA may apply mission-related sex-specific hiring preferences)



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