

Travel Reimbursement Request System Overview

Purpose – used to initiate the reimbursement of travel expenses: airfare, hotel, car rental, mileage, registration fees and membership dues.

- You will primarily refer to the Expense Requests to make new requests and/or My Requests to track your request. Ignore all other sections on home page.
- URL: <https://utdirect.utexas.edu/apps/services/requests/>

EXPENSE REQUESTS

Entertainment Payment Request	Create
Payment Request	Create
Purchase Request	Create
Travel Authorization Request	Create
Travel Reimbursement Request	Create

How do I submit a travel reimbursement request?

- Select “Create” under *Travel Reimbursement Request* which will take you to the *Reimbursement Request* page (screen shots below)
- Refer to the “?” in each section header for helpful hints
- **Please note – this is for Travel Reimbursement ONLY. If you have any other kind of reimbursement please use “Payment Request”**


Travel Reimbursement Request Screen

- Enter EID of traveler and RTA number.
 - If you have multiple trips (RTAs) select the appropriate document that corresponds to the trip you are requesting reimbursement.
- Select Continue

* Indicates a required field. Continue

Select RTA for Reimbursement ?

Do not use this form to request reimbursement for a cash advance. For assistance, contact your department.

* Traveler UT EID  William Gilpin (wg5482)

* RTA *Enter or select the RTA this reimbursement is related to:*

Destination(s)	Dates	RTA
<input checked="" type="radio"/> AUSTIN, TX	05/02/2021 – 05/09/2021	TV20124810

If you don't see your trip listed above, you can return to the [Requests Home Page](#) and create a Travel Authorization Request. If you already have an RTA and it is not displayed in this list, contact your department.

* Indicates a required field. Continue

Travel Reimbursement Request Screen

- Once you select “Continue” from the main screen you will navigate through the following selections:
 - Attachments
 - Request Information
 - Travel Information
 - Reimbursement Information

Assigned To	BRANT Jangard (bdj726)	Created By	BRANT Jangard (bdj726)
Assigned On	July 23, 2021, 9:30 a.m.	Created On	July 23, 2021, 9:30 a.m.
Request ID	REQ999Q76	Last Updated By	BRANT Jangard (bdj726)
Request Type	Travel Reimbursement Request Form	Last Updated On	July 23, 2021, 9:30 a.m.
Status	Created		

Attachments ? Add Attachment

No attachments have been uploaded.

Attach a File ? * Indicates a required field. X

* Select File Browse Files cannot be larger than 100 MB.

* Category ▼

- ✓
- Airfare/tickets
- Itinerary
- Lodging
- Meal
- Mileage Map
- Transportation
- Other (specify in Description)
- Multi-expense receipt (specify categories in Description)

Description

I certify that the original document documentation is...

Close Upload File

Attach Receipts for Reimbursement

- Use “Add Attachment” button to upload travel receipts individually **or** scan all as one document and upload as a multi-expense receipt.
- Receipts must be clear and legible
- Receipts must be attached, receipts emailed to the Travel Group will not be accepted.

Request Information Screen

- The Requester UT EID and Description fields below will automatically populate based on the RTA information.
- Any personal travel dates should be put in the Request Notes section

Request Information ?

* Requester UT EID BRANT Jangard (bdj726)

* Description

Request Notes

57 characters used out of 1000

Travel Information ?

RTA Number TV20124810

RTA Description 210502 - GILPIN, WILLI - AUSTIN, TX

Traveler UT EID William Gilpin (wg5482)

* Begin Date of Travel

* Begin Time of Travel

* End Date of Travel

* End Time of Travel

* Was foreign currency used on this trip?
 Yes
 No

* Destination(s) *Include destinations and overnight cities.*
Enter city, state/county or a destination code.

City, State/Country	Destination Code
<input type="text" value="AUSTIN, TX"/>	<input type="text" value="TXAUS"/>

Add Destination

- ✓ U.S. Dollar
- Argentine Peso
- Australian Dollar
- Brazilian Real
- British Pound
- Canadian Dollar
- Chinese Yuan Renminbi
- Colombian Peso
- Euro
- Hong Kong Dollar
- Indian Rupee
- Israeli New Shekel
- Japanese Yen
- Mexican Peso
- Norwegian Kroner
- Polish Zloty
- South African Rand
- South Korean Won
- Swedish Krona
- Swiss Franc
- Turkish Lira
- Other

Travel Information

- **Begin or End Date of Travel:** automatically pre-populated based on the RTA. Date can be modified one day prior or after if necessary.
 - If the new travel start date is more than 24 hours either before or after the original RTA travel date, save your request and notify the Travel Group (travel@physics.utexas.edu) immediately as we will need to make a modification prior to your reimbursement being processed.
- **Begin Time of Travel:** Enter 12:00 AM as your starting time as it allows more flexibility with the 24-hour window mentioned above
- **End Time of Travel:** Enter 11:00 PM
- **Was foreign currency used on this trip:** Make your selection (see example to left). If yes you will need to enter in the currency type used. If *Other* is selected here a new field will appear (see below) and you must specify the currency.
- **Destinations:** Select magnifying glass icon to search cities and states where traveled to. You must include all locations that you visited and have receipts for. Exclude layover cities unless you stayed overnight.

* Was foreign currency used on this trip?
 Yes
 No

* Destination(s) *Include destinations and overnight cities.*
Enter city, state/county or a destination code.

City, State/Country	Destination Code	Currency Type	Specify Currency Type
<input type="text" value="AUSTIN, TX"/>	<input type="text" value="TXAUS"/>	<input type="text" value="Other"/>	<input type="text"/>

! Specify a Currency Type.

Add Destination

Reimbursement Information

In the *Reimbursement Information* section, you have two options:

- Request assistance to itemize expenses on your behalf by the Travel Team. Add a note in the forthcoming Assignment field
- Itemize your own receipts –skip to **page 7** for directions on itemizing.
 - Centers with dedicated admin support will be required to itemize receipts for their center's members.

Reimbursement Information, cont.

Use direct deposit? *The traveler has not set up non-payroll direct deposit.*

* How would you like to receive your check?
Unless reimbursement is for a non-UT employee your check will be direct deposit.
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* Will you claim more expenses for this trip at a later date?
 Yes
 No

Expense Notes
Note any unusual expenses for this trip (indicate expense day and type):

* Indicates a required field.

Continue Save for Later Advanced Options ▾

- *Direct Deposit:* Unless the reimbursement is for someone outside of UT the reimbursement will be directly deposited in your account.
- If you anticipate more expenses related to this trip that you will need reimbursement for please select "Yes." If you select no you will not be able to process any future expenses on this form.
- If you have any additional information that is relevant to this request, please enter it into *Expense Notes*.
- Select Continue to move to the final step of assigning the request
- If you need more time, select Save for Later.

Travel Reimbursement Request Screen – Assign the request

Select the drop-down menu in *Assign to* and select *Group*.

- Enter in **00126** in the *Assign to Group* section. This will forward the request directly to the Physics Travel Group **PY TRAVELREIMB** (00126). **Do not** select or assign to an individual EID.
- If you need someone to review **before** sending it to the Physics Travel Group select EID and enter in their EID. This will route the request to them for review and then submit request to Physics Travel Team for processing
- Assignment Note field: if you need your expenses itemized, add note here to alert travel team. You can also add a note requesting a meeting with the travel team

Travel Reimbursement Request: Assign

Request History Assign Finalize

* Indicates a required field.

Choose Assignee ⓘ

* Assign to Group PHY TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT (00126)

Assignment Note

Assign

Summary of Request

- After you Assign your request, you will see a summary of your submission. On the “Home Screen” of the individual Request you can select History and view all of the changes of that document. Good for tracking purposes.

Travel Reimbursement Request

Travel Reimbursement Request **REQ999Q76** was assigned to **BRANT Jangard (bdj726)**.

Request History Assign Decline Finalize

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Request Type	Travel Reimbursement Request Form	Last Updated On	July 23, 2021, 11:09 a.m.
Status	In Progress		

Request Home Screen

My Requests Inbox

- If the Travel Group sends the request back to you for edits, you will see it here in your inbox. Simply select the Request ID number to view, make your edits and reassign to the Travel Group.

MY REQUESTS INBOX

Requests that require action by me

Request ID	Description	Request Type	Creator
REQ99ZZGB	Test	Travel Authorization Request	Christopher A Carpenter (cac7742)
REQ990DR4		Travel Authorization Request	Virginia Oviedo (vo736)

To view complete information, click [here](#).

My Requests

- This section captures **your** history of requests. This will have all requests that you have ever created.

MY REQUESTS

Requests created by me or for me

Request ID	Description	Request Type	Status
REQ990DR4		Travel Authorization Request	Created
REQ99WRLL	Silver plated copper wire from Accu Glass	Purchase Request	In Progress
REQ999LQJ	NACUBO F&A Long Form	Travel Authorization Request	Finalized

Ignore pages 6-8 if Travel Team will be itemizing your receipts

SKIP to page 7 for instructions on itemizing receipts

Centers with dedicated admin support will be required to itemize receipts for their center members

Reimbursement Information – Detailed Instructions

- In the *Reimbursement Information* section, you will enter in all items related to expenses.
- When you finish entering in all receipts you will see that the total of your reimbursement will calculate at the bottom of this area.
- **Note:** If you are traveling within the state of Texas you should have filled out a [Texas Hotel Occupancy Tax Exemption Certificate](#) and a [Motor Vehicle Rental Tax Exemption Certificate](#) prior to traveling. You will not be reimbursed if you are charged for tax on these **within the state of Texas** unless you use these forms when checking in/picking up your rental.

Reimbursement Information, cont.

- In this section you will enter in all the information from your receipts. Please process as follows:
 - Select type of receipt/reimbursement
 - For *Hotel* you will need to separate out the tax (if applicable)
 - If you have multiple dates of travel it will give you a separate line for each day of stay/meal, etc.
 - Please ensure you are selecting the correct category for the receipt you are currently working with.
 - We will no longer accept receipts emailed to the Travel Group. They must be attached to this request in order to be reimbursed.

The screenshot shows a web form titled "Reimbursement information". On the left side, there are several input fields and checkboxes: "Add Expense", "Type", "Lodging Expenses", "Meal Expenses", "Transportation Expenses", "Other Expenses", "Estimated Total", "Use direct deposit?", "How would you like to receive your check?", "Will you claim more expenses for this trip at a later date?", and "Expense Notes". A dropdown menu is open over the "Type" field, listing various expense categories: Lodging (with sub-items Hotel and Rental/Lease), Meals (with sub-items Actual and Per Diem), Transportation (with sub-items Airfare, Bus, Gasoline, Limousine, Parking Fee, Personal Car, Rental Car, Taxi, Tolls, Train (rail, subway), and Other Transportation), and Other Expenses (with sub-items Internet, Registration Fee, Telephone, and Other). The "Lodging" option is currently selected, indicated by a checkmark in a blue box.

Reimbursement Information, cont.

- Please make sure you enter in all receipts that you have for this travel.
- If, at any time, you have questions regarding entering in your reimbursement information please contact the Travel Team (purchasing@physics.utexas.edu) so we can assist you.

Lodging Expenses

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Type	Date	Destination	Tax Amount	Amount	
Hotel	05/02/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X
Hotel	05/03/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X
Hotel	05/04/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X
Hotel	05/05/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X
Hotel	05/06/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X
Hotel	05/07/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X
Hotel	05/08/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	25.00	139.99	X

Meal Expenses

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Type	Date	Destination	Amount	
Per Diem	05/02/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/03/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/04/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/05/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/06/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/07/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/08/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X
Per Diem	05/09/2021	AUSTIN, TX (TXAUS)	51.00	X

Transportation Expenses

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Type	Date	From	To	Mileage	Amount	
Rental Car	05/02/2021	Houston	Austin		119.23	X

Other Expenses

Estimated Total **\$1580.16**

Use direct deposit? *The traveler has not set up non-payroll direct deposit.*