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## Southwest Brings \$20 COVID-19 Testing to Mineta San Jose Airport

*Newest Testing Partner Offers Low-Cost Option for Southwest Passengers at SJC*

**San José, Calif.** – Southwest Airlines has brought trusted COVID-19 testing partner, [CityHealth Urgent Care](#), to Mineta San Jose International Airport (SJC), introducing pre-flight testing as low as \$20 for Hawaii-bound travelers. The new testing opportunity means that now, all three carriers offering service to Hawaii from Mineta San José offer pre-flight testing onsite at the Airport. The CityHealth operation joins [Carbon Health](#) and [Worksite Labs](#) at the former Taxi Staging Area, located at 2470 Airport Blvd, San Jose, CA 95110.

Hours of operation for CityHealth at SJC's onsite testing center are 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, with testing available by appointment only. CityHealth offers 72-hour guaranteed travel testing, with priority for Southwest Airlines passengers and available to travelers flying to Hawaii on all other airlines as well. Tests have a \$20 administration fee for Hawaii-bound travelers while the full cost of the test may be covered either through insurance or the CARES Act.

"We are pleased that our partners at Southwest Airlines and CityHealth now offer pre-flight COVID-19 testing at SJC," said **John Aitken, Director of Aviation at Mineta San Jose International Airport**. "This new testing opportunity represents an investment in our shared commitment to health and safety and is a welcome addition to our airport's slate of globally-recognized health and safety measures."

"Aligned with the value and flexibility Southwest brings in our service to the Hawaiian Islands, our work with CityHealth to offer testing to our Customers in the South Bay and Peninsula now complements other locations throughout the Bay Area, and Sacramento," said **Tony Roach, Southwest Airlines Managing Director of Customer Experience**. "We're glad to support an affordable and convenient way to get tested and get to the preferred warm water destination of Hawaii for Customers who fly with California's largest airline, Southwest."

"Few industries have felt the impact of COVID-19 as much as the travel industry," said **Sean Parkin, CEO, CityHealth Urgent Care**. "CityHealth is proud to partner with Southwest Airlines to help promote safer travel through pre-travel testing. We are working closely with San Jose International Airport to welcome passengers back to air travel and safely reach their destinations, whether it's visiting family, taking that much needed vacation, or an important business meeting that can't be done over a virtual meeting."

SJC encourages Hawaii-bound passengers to be tested 2-3 days prior to scheduled departure. Links to SJC's testing program partners as well as Hawaii travel requirements can

be found in the links below:

**Helpful links and information:**

- **Southwest Airlines Testing Appointment website**
  - <https://www.cityhealthuc.com/southwest-appointment>
- **State of Hawaii website on what to know about getting to Hawaii**
  - <https://hawaiiicovid19.com/travel/getting-to-hawaii/>
- **Santa Clara County Travel Advisory website**
  - <https://www.sccgov.org/sites/covid19/Pages/travel-directive.aspx>
- **Information on the State of California's Order and State guidance for travel**
  - <https://covid19.ca.gov/travel/>
- **Hawaiian Airlines website for COVID-19 Testing at SJC**
  - <https://www.hawaiianairlines.com/covid-test-options/san-jose>
- **Hawaiian Airlines COVID-19 Testing Appointment website**
  - <https://www.schedulecovidtesting.com/>
- **Alaska Airlines website for COVID-19 testing**
  - <https://www.alaskaair.com/content/next-level-care/covid-testing>

Click this link for more information about [SJC's health and safety measures](#).

Click this link for [SJC parking information and real-time parking status online](#).

Need more information before flying SJC?

**Members of the public** may contact us at [info@sjc.org](mailto:info@sjc.org) or call 408-392-3600 for Customer Service. Please note that all appointments are made using the online resources above.

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