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TRAVEL & GROUND TRANSPORTATION PACKET

Dear Conference Registrant:

Thank you for registering for our upcoming conference in Bahamas. Please see the following information on air and ground transportation. If you have not made your lodging reservations, please visit our website ([Click Here](#)) for hotel information.

AIR TRAVEL INFORMATION

You will fly into Nassau International Airport. The airport is approximately 15 miles from Atlantis Paradise Island.

Symposia Medicus has arranged group discounts with **American, Delta, United Airlines** for this conference. Reservations can be made either through the airline's Convention Desk at the website or number listed below or through your travel agent.

IN ORDER TO RECEIVE THE DISCOUNTED RATE, YOU OR YOUR TRAVEL AGENT MUST REFER TO THE SYMPOSIA MEDICUS ID NUMBERS LISTED BELOW:

<p>American Airlines Convention Desk</p>	<p>For discounts on American Airlines flights, please book online at www.aa.com and insert 5682AV into the promotion code box. For questions, please call the American Airlines Convention Desk at (800) 433-1790.</p>
<p>Delta Airlines Convention Desk:</p>	<p>For discounts on Delta Airlines flights, please book online at www.delta.com and click the box "from Airport" and another page will appear. At the bottom of that page, click the link "Meeting Event Code" and insert NM9H3. For questions, please call the Delta Airlines Convention Desk at (800) 328-1111.</p>
<p>United Airlines Convention Desk:</p>	<p>For discounts on United Airlines flights, please book online at www.ual.com and insert ZMTN245355 in the offer code box. For questions, please call the United Airlines Convention Desk at (800) 521-4041.</p>



PASSPORT REQUIREMENTS & IMMIGRATION

ALL PERSONS traveling by **air** between the United States and the Bahamas **are required to present a valid passport** to enter or re-enter the United States.

We suggest you allow a minimum of 2-3 months if you need to obtain or renew your passport. Also, make sure your passport does not expire within 6 months after the date of the trip. If you have questions, please visit <http://travel.state.gov>.

Children must also have valid passports. Children traveling with an adult other than their parents or with only one parent must carry notarized written permission from any parent or guardian not traveling with the child to or from the **Bahamas**. This permission must include the name of the parent, the name of the child, the name of anyone traveling with the child, and the notarized signature(s) of the absent parent(s). The State Department recommends that the permission should include travel dates, destinations, airlines and a brief summary of the circumstances surrounding the travel. The child must be carrying the original letter – not a facsimile or scanned copy – as well as proof of the parent/child relationship (usually a birth certificate or court document) – and an original custody decree, if applicable.

- **If you have adopted children, please be sure to have your adoption papers with you.**
- **If you live in the United States and are not a U.S. citizen, we recommend that you check with U.S. Immigration regarding your particular situation.**

GROUND TRANSPORTATION

The **Nassau International Airport** is approximately **15 miles** from **Atlantis Resort**.

Below are two options for ground transportation:

Taxis

Taxis are less expensive than group ground transport and are available at the airport. Taxis hold up to four people.

- Approximately \$40 dollars one way for up to two people with a maximum of two pieces of luggage per person.
- Additional passenger(s) are approximately \$3-4 per person.
- Additional luggage is an extra \$1 per luggage. If you have boxes, it will be an extra \$2 per box.

Rental Car

If you choose to rent a car, Avis and Hertz are the largest rental companies on the Island. Driving is on the left hand side of the road. Self parking is on a complimentary basis and valet parking is approximately \$10.00 per day.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our Travel & Tours Department at (800) 327-3161, M-F, 8:30am-5:00pm, (Pacific Time) or email travel-tours@symposiamedicus.org.

Sincerely,

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