

8:30 p.m., CDT

September 11, 2001

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STATUS AT DFW INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

DFW Airport will be ready to resume normal operations as soon as the FAA gives its directive and our airlines are ready to fly. Today, 339 total operations occurred at DFW Airport: 211 departures and 128 arrivals. On a fully operational day, DFW conducts 2,300 flight operations.

Tonight, security at DFW Airport remains heightened, with security teams conducting continuous sweeps of the terminal and perimeter facilities. Access to the terminal areas beyond the security checkpoints remains closed until the FAA gives the directive for flights to resume. Tonight, 152 airplanes remain at DFW Airport, after four American Airlines flights were granted clearance from the FAA to depart for New York and Washington, D.C. to deliver caregiving assistance.

DFW Airport security and safety staff will continue to monitor the situation throughout the night. All passengers who are planning to fly tomorrow should check with their individual airlines before heading to the Airport Wednesday morning.

We estimate that approximately 830 passengers from today's arriving flights have been accommodated in area hotels. DFW Airport staff will continue to assist airlines in helping any displaced passengers to get to their preferred destinations. Travelers should continue to monitor the Airport's Web site at www.dfwairport.com for late-breaking developments.

DFW Airport will issue an update on the status of Airport operations by 10:30 a.m. CDT on Wednesday.

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Due to the magnitude of their operations DFW is still assessing the number of flights diverted to and from the Airport by American Airlines and Delta Airlines. Below is a partial listing of non-hub flights diverted from DFW Airport on Tuesday:

United Airlines

Flight No. 1126 DFW to Chicago O'Hare – diverted to Cedar Rapids
Flight No. 1870 DFW to Los Angeles (LAX) – diverted to Albuquerque
Flight No. 1960 DFW to Dulles – returned to DFW
Flight No. 732 Miami to Los Angeles (LAX) – diverted to DFW

US Airways

Flight No. 488 DFW to Pittsburgh – diverted to DMH (Columbus)
Flight No. 248 DFW To Charlotte, N.C. – returned to DFW

Continental

Flight No. 1130 DFW to Newark – diverted to Indianapolis (IND)
Flight No. 1131 Newark to DFW – diverted to Memphis (MEM)
Flight No. 1037 Cleveland to DFW – diverted to Indianapolis (IND)
Flight No. 1612 Omaha to Houston-Bush International – diverted to DFW

America West

Flight No. 196 DFW to LAS – diverted to Albuquerque (ABQ)

International Flights

British Airways No. 2193 – diverted to Gander, Canada
Lufthansa No. 438 – diverted to Gander, Canada
Korean No. 036 – diverted to Anchorage, Alaska
JAL No. 046 – diverted to Salt Lake City

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Media Information:

- No other statements, verbal or written, will be given by any DFW Airport official before 10:30 a.m., CDT, Wednesday, September 12.
- Designated parking for media satellite trucks at the Airport has been allocated at the South entrance of the Administration Building at 3200 E. Airfield Drive.