



Administration Policies & Procedures

Music in the Airport

OBJECTIVE To enhance the Lehigh Valley International Airport's (ABE) passenger experience by providing for encouraging music performances in the terminal.

GENERAL POLICY Music in the Airport will be scheduled performances by musicians who have applied and been approved to perform. Because an airport terminal is a family environment in which the presence of children can be reasonably expected at all times, and because persons in the terminal are a captive audience, certain restrictions on performances will apply. No music that is obscene, indecent, or that promotes hatred, bigotry, violence, or intolerance will be permitted. And because the Lehigh Northampton Airport Authority (LNAA) does not subscribe to BMI, ASCAP or other licensing entities, the music performed must be original by the artist or in the public domain. Performers will be eligible to display a tip jar during performances, in addition to receiving agreed-upon compensation, and performance will be promoted by the LNAA's Marketing and Public Relations Department.

MUSICIANS' APPLICATION

Performers must apply to perform at a scheduled date and time, and must agree to the terms of the Performance Agreement. All specific guidelines regarding scheduled performances are included in the Performer Application and Performance Agreement. To view the Performance Agreement and to apply online, visit <https://www.flyabe.com/programs/music-in-the-airport/>. Applications are reviewed and approved by the Marketing and Public Relations Department. The application and agreement may be updated as needed, at the discretion of the LNAA. Performers will be contacted by the LNAA staff within 10 business days of application regarding scheduling, performance guidelines and necessary paperwork.

From time to time, the Marketing and Public Relations Department may solicit Performers to perform in the terminal for special events, or for the general enjoyment of passengers and visitors.

There is no limit to the number of times a Performer may perform at ABE. Performance schedules are managed by the Marketing and Public Relations

Department. All applications for scheduled performances remain on file and are valid for one year.

**ADDITIONAL TERMS
AND CONDITIONS**

Authorized ABE staff may terminate a performance:

- i. If the performance violates any provision of this Policy or the Performance Agreement, and such violation is not promptly corrected upon request;
- ii. Immediately and without advance notice in the event of an airport emergency as determined by the Department of Operations and Public Safety in its sole discretion, to protect the health, safety, security, or convenience of the public;
- iii. If the performance is disruptive, inappropriate or is creating an unpleasant environment for passengers and visitors in any way.