

TIDS: TRAVEL INDUSTRY DESIGNATOR SERVICE



Making today's travel booking process easy.

TIDS is one of the IATA Agency Programs for non-ticketing travel businesses. TIDS provides a host of benefits that recognize you as a preferred audience. With TIDS, a code is assigned uniquely to each travel agency that allows your bookings to be instantly identified by all industry suppliers.

Major airlines, hotels and car rental companies around the world require that all non-IATA agents register for TIDS.



The TIDS Program:

The numeric code that says so much.

Facilitated Reservation Processes

TIDS offers instantaneous validation of your agency for bookings around the world. TIDS is an integrated program that simplifies and streamlines the numerous interactions between travel agencies and industry suppliers in processes such as bookings, confirmation and commission, to name just a few.



Booking Validation

Thanks to TIDS, as a business organization whose identity is attached to a uniquely allocated code, the risk of booking duplications and rejections is avoided.

Visibility in the Industry

IATA programs have become recognized as the travel industry standard and TIDS is one of the agency's key programs whose data is collected and managed in the IATA agency database. As a member of the TIDS travel community, you have the advantage of raising your agency's profile by being part of a globally used database.

TIDS gives back:

numerous advantages that give your business a head start in the travel industry.

The TIDS Code for your agency allows you and your employees to apply for the IATA Travel Agent ID Card. With the IATA ID Card, identity, preferred access and status are contained in one universally recognized card that instantly points to you as a bona fide travel industry professional. The IATA Travel Professional ID Card carries with it an extensive and varied array of educational and travel-related benefits.

While TIDS provides the industry important advantages in terms of travel infrastructure, the ID Card translates into VIP status that can enhance both your work and your leisure travel on a daily basis.



TIDS at a glance

As a travel professional, your experience in and dedication to the travel sector have made you a valued member of one of the most exciting industries worldwide. With TIDS, your professional status as a reputable agency is confirmed.

- Assignment of a TIDS code signals to your industry peers that you are a credible professional to be trusted
- The TIDS program ensures a streamlined travel booking process through global identification and recognition, facilitates the reservation process, and provides visibility through inclusion in a globally used database containing IATA agency data, the reference for travel industry suppliers.
- With TIDS you become eligible for the IATA Travel Professional ID Card Program: In an increasingly crowded travel landscape, the ID Card stands out as a premier source for unparalleled offers and incentives designed to enrich your travel experience – and your career - showcased in AgentExperience.com.
- TIDS simplifies the sometimes complex interface between travel agencies like yourself and industry suppliers

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