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Personal Items	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Cigar Cutters	Yes	
Corkscrews (Without Blades)	Yes	
Eyeglass Repair Tools (including screwdrivers)	Yes	
Eyelash Curlers	Yes	
Jewelry (Piercing, Rings, Watches)	Yes	
Knitting and Crochet Needles (Less than 4" in length)	Yes	
Metal Thermos	Yes	
Nail Clippers	Yes	
Nail Files	Yes	
Personal Care or toiletries - nonflammable aerosols	Yes	
Safety Razors (including disposable razors)	Yes	
Scissors-metal with pointed tips less than 1" inch blade length (cutticle scissors)	Yes	
Scissors-plastic or metal with blunt tips	Yes	
Toy Weapon or Replicas	No	
Tweezers	Yes	
Umbrellas	Yes	1
Walking Canes	Yes	
Medication and Special Needs Devices	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Diabetes-Related Supplies/Equipment	Yes	
Infusers	Yes	
Insulin and insulin loaded dispensing products	Yes	
Jet injectors	Yes	
Pens	Yes	
Preloaded Syringes	Yes	
Unused syringes (When accompanied by insulin or other injectable medication)	Yes	
Vials or box of individual vials	Yes	
Nitroglycerine pills or spray for medical use (If properly marked with professionally printed label identifying the medication or manufacturers name or pharmaceutical label)	Yes	
Electronic Devices	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Camcorders	Yes	
Camera Equipment	Yes	
Laptop Computers	Yes	

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Mobile Phones	Yes	
Pagers	Yes	
Personal Data Assistants	Yes	
Toner and Ink Cartridges (16 ounces or greater)	No	
Sharp Objects	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Box cutters	No	
Axes/Ice Axes/Ice Picks	No	
Knives -Any knife or similar object with a blade - to include round metal butter knife	No	
Plastic Eating Utensils (Knives, Forks, and Spoons)	Yes	
Meat Cleavers	No	
Razor- Type Blades - Box cutters, razor blades not in a cartridge (excluding safety razors)	No	
Sabers	No	
Scissors-metal with pointed tips with blade length over 1" inch	No	
Swords	No	
Utility Knives	No	
Sporting Goods	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Baseball Bats	No	
Bicycle	*Yes	2
Bows and Arrows	No	
Cricket Bats	No	
Fishing Poles	*Yes	2
Golf Clubs	*Yes	2
Hockey Sticks	*Yes	2
Lacrosse Sticks	*Yes	2
Pool Cues	*Yes	2
Ski Poles, Skis & Snowboards	*Yes	2
Self-Balancing Scooters or Hoverboards	No	
Spear Guns	No	
Guns and Firearms	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Ammunition	No	
BB Guns	No	
Compressed Air Guns	No	
Firearms	No	
Flare Guns	No	

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Gun Lighters	No	
Gun Powder	No	
Parts of Guns and Firearms (Gun Frames, Magazines, Ammo Clips, and Receivers	No	
Pellet Guns	No	
Realistic Replicas of Firearms	No	
Starter Pistols	No	
Gun Scopes	Yes	
Tools	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Axes and Hatchets	No	
Cattle Prods	No	
Crowbars	No	
Drill (including cordless)	*No	3,4
Hammers	*No	3,4
Leatherman	*No	3,4
Pliers	*No	3,4
Saws (including cordless)	*No	3,4
Screwdrivers (non-eyeglass repair)	*No	3,4
Wrenches	*No	3,4
Other Tools	*No	3,4
Martial Arts/Self Defense Items	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Billy Clubs	No	
Black Jacks	No	
Brass Knuckles	No	
Kubatons	No	
Mace/Pepper Spray	No	
Martial Arts Weapons	No	
Night Sticks	No	
Nunchakus	No	
Stun Guns/Shocking Devices	No	
Throwing Stars	No	
Handcuffs and similar restraining equipment/items	*No	5
Explosive Materials	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Blasting Caps	No	
Dynamite	No	
Fireworks	No	

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Flares (any form)	No	
Hand Grenades	No	
Plastic Explosives	No	
Realistic Replicas of Explosives	No	
Flammable Items	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Aerosol (any except for personal care or toiletries in limited quantities)	No	
Fuels (including cooking fuels)	No	
Gas Torches	No	
Gasoline	No	
Lighter	Yes	
Torch Lighter	No	
Lighter Fluid	No	
Realistic Replicas of Incendiaries	No	
Strike-anywhere Matches	No	
Turpentine and Paint Thinner	No	
Disabling Chemicals and Other Dangerous Items	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Chlorine for Pools and Spas	No	
Compressed Gas Cylinders (including fire extinguishers)	No	
Liquid Bleach	No	
Spill able Batteries (except wheel chairs), Examples of spill able batteries: Car batteries, ATV or Motorcycle batteries	No	
Spray Paint	No	
Tear Gas	No	
Vehicle Fire Extinguishers	No	
Other Items	FedEx Carry On	Notes
Gel Type Candles	No	
Snow Globes	No	
Alcohol (Beer, Wine, Liquor)	*Yes	6

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Notes:

- 1.** Once item has been inspected to ensure no prohibited items are concealed therein. Items must be x-rayed when asses is available
- 2.** Transported in an enclosed container (hard-case recommended for liability reasons) however, soft case is allowed. Must be stowed in an inaccessible compartment. Items may not be allowed due to operational impact on revenue freight. (Space available only)
- 3.** Mechanics or other employees who are jumpseating needing to bring their tools and the items are found to be on the Prohibited Items List must get approval from the Flight Captain to bring the items onboard the aircraft. If the Flight Captain approves, the items must either be secured in the belly of the aircraft or secured in the cockpit with the crew.
- 4.** Exceptions can be granted through Aviation Security and must be requested 48 hours prior to Jumpseating. Jumpseater must carry the approved security letter with them and the items must be stowed in the belly of the aircraft, if approved, and the flight crew must be made aware of the exception.
- 5.** FFDO's are allowed to carry Transportation Security Administration (TSA) approved restraining devices.
- 6.** Alcoholic beverages, when in unopened retail packing, containing more than 24% but not more than 70% alcohol by volume when in receptacles not exceeding 5 liters (1.3 gallons) carried in carry-on or checked baggage, with a total net quantity per person of 5 liters (1.3) gallons for such beverage. All alcohol containers must be sealed and kept sealed while jumpseating and on FedEx property.