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Amtrak introduces a brand new approach to getting there — AcelaSM. A blend of acceleration and excellence, Acela

(pronounced ah-CELL-ah) is everything you've heard about — leading technology, superior comfort and modern amenities.

Offering three levels of service — Express, Regional and Commuter — Acela is designed for the way you want to travel. From reservations through arrival, Amtrak's new Acela trains and services establish an unparalleled standard of travel in the Northeast.

Acela — It's About How You Use Your Time.

We asked 24,000 travelers who regularly use all types of transportation to speak their minds. We listened and we learned what they want, what they like, and what they dislike.

The result is an easier, more pleasant travel experience. Whether booking your trip, visiting the station or relaxing on board, you will feel the Acela difference.

three service options

Acela Express

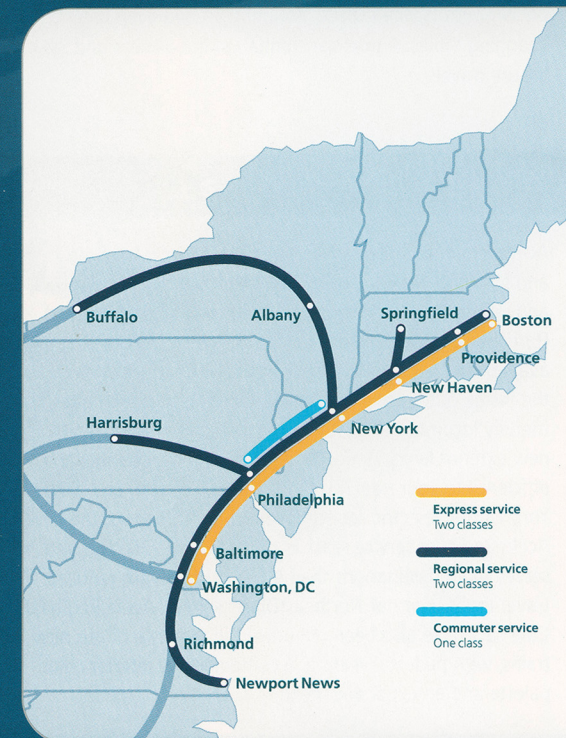
- Replaces Metroliner service; extends premium service to Boston
- First and Business class

Acela Regional

- Replaces NortheastDirect, Empire and Keystone service
- Business and Coach class

Acela Commuter

- Replaces Clocker service
- Coach class



Firstclass

Businessclass

Coachclass

Acela Express

Our fastest service, Acela Express replaces Metroliner and extends our premium service to Boston. Acela Express operates with new, high-speed trains, featuring an advanced tilt technology to ensure an exceptionally smooth ride. Express service reaches speeds up to 150 mph, and makes limited stops, traveling from Boston to New York in close to 3 hours, or New York to Washington, DC in as little as 2 1/2 hours.

Ideal for business and leisure travelers who place a premium on their time, Acela Express offers First class and Business class seating, and a full range of modern amenities. Conference tables accommodating up to four guests can be reserved in advance for doing business en route. Spacious rest rooms have new amenities such as larger backlit mirrors, shelf space, natural light and even baby changing tables. A true transformation in business and leisure travel.

- Spacious 1-and-2 seat configuration with adjustable foot and headrests, movable armrests and increased lumbar support so you are sure to arrive refreshed and relaxed
- Advance seat selection to reserve your preference
- Premium amenities such as personal audio programming, extra-large tray tables, and electrical outlets to accommodate your laptop
- At-seat attendant service featuring superior, complimentary cuisine served on china, beverages such as wine by the glass, micro-brewed beers, mineral water and hot towel service
- Eight reservable conference tables each with seating for up to four people
- All Acela Express First class passengers can enjoy the First class lounge in Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Washington, DC. Away from the bustle of the station, the lounges provide comfortable seating, telephone and fax service, and complimentary beverages

- Wide, comfortable reserved seating with footrests, plenty of legroom, and improved lumbar support to ensure a comfortable journey
- More at-seat amenities such as audio entertainment, adjustable reading lamps, and large tray tables for enhanced comfort and convenience
- Electrical outlets for every seat to help make travel time more productive
- Reservable conference tables with seating for up to four people each, perfect for conducting business en route
- Access to our new, bistro-like Acela Express Cafe car with an expanded menu, pedestal seating, Railfone® service, and large picture windows
- Extra-large enclosed overhead storage compartments

Acela Regional

Acela Regional replaces NortheastDirect (between Boston and Newport News), Empire (between New York and Albany and points west), and Keystone (between Philadelphia and Harrisburg). Both Business class and Coach class seating are available in completely refurbished cars. Redesigned from the inside out, from more powerful and environmentally friendly locomotives to stress-free, relaxing interiors and new exterior livery, Acela Regional adds more comfort and efficiency to your ride. Traveling between Boston and New York with all electric service in less than four hours, the new Acela Regional service reaches speeds up to 125 mph and serves more destinations than Acela Express with reduced travel times over our NortheastDirect service. Acela Regional Cafe cars have also been remodeled in the style of our new trains, with pedestal seating, a contemporary interior color palette and an expanded menu.

- Reserved seating in a business-like atmosphere
- Wide seats with extra legroom and footrests to ensure a restful ride
- Conference tables with seating for up to four people each, perfect for conducting business en route
- Access to our newly remodeled Cafe car
- Electrical outlets in every row
- Extra storage space
- Redesigned rest rooms
- On board Railfone® service to keep in touch on the go

- Unreserved seating for greater flexibility
- Peak and off-peak pricing available for better value
- Access to our newly remodeled Cafe car
- Electrical outlets in every row
- Extra storage space
- Redesigned rest rooms
- On board Railfone® service to keep in touch on the go

Acela Commuter

Acela Commuter replaces Clocker service as the most economical way to commute from Philadelphia and New Jersey to Newark and New York with comfortable Coach class service on newly upgraded trains.

- All unreserved seating for greatest flexibility
- Redesigned rest rooms
- Convenient departures to and from New York
- Fully refurbished interiors
- Monthly Amtrak Smart Pass available

All Acela cars meet or exceed the standards established by the Americans with Disabilities Act.