

# Ride Smart Chicago



## BE AWARE OF ILLEGAL TAXIS

- Do not enter a taxi if the taxi driver is “hustling” and approaches you outside of the taxi vehicle.
- Do not enter a taxi at Chicago airports which is not in a designated cab stand or staging area.
- A licensed Chicago taxi license plate number is between 1 and 6999 and ends with a -TX.
- Numbers on the license plate must match the numbers on the top light and outside the taxi.
- A licensed Chicago taxi chauffeur is required to display a photo ID chauffeur license in the taxi.
- The Chicago fare placard, with passenger information and rates, should be visible from the rear seat.
- Suburban operators may not pick up a passenger within the City of Chicago unless the passenger has prearranged the service.

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