| BOSTON university | Travel and Card Services - Service Expectations | |
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| | The Travel and Card Services Department and its customers agree to the service expectations and working assumptions listed below. These service expectations are intended to monitor the more critical elements of the services provided and are not meant to reflect the comprehensive services offered by the Travel and Card Services Department. The productivity indicators reflected below are not listed in any order of priority. | |
| Process | Service Expectation | Service Metric (how this will be measured) |
| Expense Report processing | Expense reports submitted within 30 days of the trip end date via SAP Concur Travel & Expense will be processed within 2 business days of arrival in Travel and Card Services' expense report processing queue. | Concur Reporting and nightly file |
| Customer Responses | Emails sent to travelexpense@bu.edu or tcard@bu.edu will receive a response within 2 hours. Phone calls and/or voicemails to staff members will be responded to within 3 hours (dependent on meeting and vacation schedules). | Travel and Card Services Service Now Ticketing and reporting; Customer feedback and VoIP phone reporting |
| BU OneCard Application Review | Ensure all applications are complete and accurate, and card holder has all necessary departmental approvals and appropriate spending limit. | Concur Request and Metrics |
| BU OneCard Application Processing | All correctly completed applications submitted online via Concur Request will be processed within 2 business days provided that card holder has completed mandatory card training. | Concur Request, Access Online (US Bank) reporting, and customer feedback |
| Christopherson Business Travel (CBT) relationship | Any issue with CBT (BU's Travel Management Company) that is brought to the attention of Travel and Card Services (including related itinerary #) will be escalated to agency operations within 2 business days. | Customer feedback |
| Wires & Advances | Wires and Advances received with all appropriate information attached, and no follow up needed, will be processed (sent to Accounts Payable for final entry) within 3 business days. | SAP reporting and customer feedback |
| Travel Personal Expense Payroll Deductions | Card holders will be notified each month prior to the monthly Payroll run of any and all personal expenses to be deducted from their upcoming paycheck. Notice will include amount and corresponding expense report keys. Related Link: https://www.bu.edu/payroll/payroll-for-payroll-coordinators/duplicate-w-2-request/ | SAP reporting, Office 360 Mail Merges |
| Returned Checks | Checks returned to Travel and Card Services will be logged, and the expense report submitter notified, within 3 business days. | Customer feedback, returned check spreadsheet |
| Taxable Travel Reimbursements | Recipients of taxable travel reimbursements or vendor payments made on their behalf will be notified each month prior to monthly Payroll run. Notice will include exact taxable amount and corresponding expense report keys. | Concur Cognos Reporting, Office 360 Mail Merges |
| Credit Card Dunning | Non-compliant card holders and their supervisors will receive notices each month until card holder is in compliance. | Concur Cognos Reporting, Office 360 Mail Merges |
| Service Constraints | | |
| Workload Increase in workload (e.g., backlog due to power outage or fiscal year end) may result in temporary reduction of service level delivery. | | |
| Conformance Requirements | Finance policy changes and Internal Revenue regulations may alter procedures and service delivery timeframes. | |
| Dependencies | Achievement of our service level commitment is dependent upon customer compliance with the policies and procedures of Boston University and the Travel and Card Services Department. | |