Simplifying credit card payments for travel agencies

ARC’s Travel Agency Service Fee (TASF) credit card merchant program provides ARC-accredited travel professionals with a simple and efficient way to accept and process credit card payments for any travel-related good or service.

Increased financial efficiency

Streamlined credit card acceptance
Using one processor for all major credit cards, including UATP, eliminates the need for separate agreements and renewals with multiple credit card brands. Plus, you can process credit card payments for all travel-related goods and services rendered.

Spend less time on data entry
Issuing TASF credit card payments via any GDS automatically pulls in ticket reservation data, so you never have to re-enter passenger information or credit card numbers, freeing up more time to do what you love – plan travel.

Receive consistent cash flow
Payments are issued as part of your weekly ARC report on Fridays, with no additional hold-back period for transaction verification. Plus, TASF allows you to void transactions up to nine days without penalty.

Only pay for what you use
With TASF, there are no monthly commitments, minimums or surprises. You always know the processing fee you’ll be charged: for transactions $20+, the fee is 3.5 percent; for transactions less than $20, the fee is $0.70. Plus, the $25.99 quarterly subscription fee is only charged to agents actively using TASF within the quarter.

Get paid for ALL your travel-related services

Airline ticket issuance and service fees
Consolidator tickets
Hotel and car reservations
Activities, tours and vacation packages
Mark-ups, deposits and final payments
Consultations and customized itineraries
And so much more...
Streamlined credit card processing solution

Painless Payment Processing
Submit credit card charges through your preferred GDS, Agent’s Choice (ARC’s online tool) or both. Transactions are settled via your weekly IAR sales.

High Transaction Limits
Charge up to $10,000 per transaction with no additional financial collateral or bond required.

Back-Office Integration
Process transactions through your GDS for a direct feed into back-office accounting systems and a single report for both reconciliation and submission.

Accessible Transaction History
Quickly and easily access your credit card acceptance history for the past 39 months using ARC Document Retrieval Service (DRS).

With ARC’s TASF credit card processing system, the amount of time our staff has to spend charging a card is minimal. They are already working in the GDS, so with just a few keystrokes, they are done. This allows them to focus on what’s important … selling travel and servicing their customers.”

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