

Airline ban on shampoo has options

Question: So now I can't even take shampoo in my carry-on bag when traveling by air? I travel light and don't need to check my bag. Do I really have to make time to buy shampoo at each destination?

Answer: You have three options: Start checking your luggage, complete with as many bottles of shampoo as you like. Use the shampoo supplied in your hotel room. Or purchase single-application sachets of shampoo, conditioner and styling products such as those made by Beauty-Id. Boxes of 20 sachets of each product are available online at beautyideas.com for \$18.50 per box.

And while on the subject of air travel and cosmetics, the experts at Make-Up Designory, a top makeup school in New York and Los Angeles, suggest using these longer-lasting products before boarding:

Pigment-rich powders, eye shadows and blush.

Smudge-proof lipsticks and stains.
Waterproof mascara.

Cream foundations, not liquid or powder-based.

Also, pack all your makeup in clear plastic bags and seal well. Leave the products in their original containers.

Put the makeup you use for touch-ups

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in an outer pocket of your checked luggage, where it will be easily accessible at your destination.

Put the rest of your cosmetics in a second bag, and your shampoos, lotions and perfumes in a third. Place these in your checked luggage, on top of your clothes, so security officials can get inspect them without digging through your whole suitcase.