

# PROVIDENCE/WARWICK RHODE ISLAND



📍 Pedestrian Bridge

## Destination Overview

Historic and hip, charming and chic, Providence, Rhode Island combines the best of a quaint New England town with the amenities and sophistication of a larger city. The city's downtown is compact and filled with innovative and eclectic restaurants, a vibrant arts and culture scene, and preserved historic architecture.

The Rhode Island Convention Center (RICC) is situated in the heart of downtown, where attendees can step out of their meeting and walk to dinner or a touring Broadway show within minutes. On one side, the RICC is connected to the 564-room Omni Providence Hotel and Providence Place, a popular shopping destination. On its other side, the RICC is connected to the 14,000-seat Amica Mutual Pavilion, the area's premier multiuse events arena. Events may also be held nearby at The VETS, a 2,011-seat historic theater located across from the striking Rhode Island State House.

Some of the nation's top schools call Providence home, including Ivy League Brown University, world-renowned Rhode Island School of Design, and Johnson & Wales University, a leading culinary educator. The presence of these educational institutions infuses the city with a youthful vibe.

## What they're saying about Providence:

"Best Up-and-Coming City" – *Hemispheres*

"America's Best Cities for Foodies" – *Travel + Leisure*

"The 10 Most Walkable Cities" – *The Huffington Post*

"The 30 Most Charming Cities in the USA" – *TravelMag*

"21 Best U.S. Cities for Fall Travel" – *Travel + Leisure*

"Underrated U.S. Capital Cities Worth a Visit" – *The Huffington Post*

"The Best Weekend Getaways in the United States" – *AFAR*

"5 Best Little Italy Neighborhoods in the U.S." – *Travel + Leisure*

"10 U.S. Cities with Stunning Architecture" – *Best Life*

## Venues

### RI Convention Center

- 100,000-contiguous-sq.-ft. exhibition hall
- 20,000-sq.-ft. ballroom
- 23 meeting rooms
- Two adjacent parking garages

### Amica Mutual Pavilion

- 14,000-seat indoor arena
- 31,000 sq. ft. of arena space
- 25,000-sq.-ft. concourse

### The VETS

- 2,011-seat theater
- National Register of Historic Places
- Hospitality and meeting space

## Air Travel

**Rhode Island T.F. Green International Airport (PVD)** offers an average of 100 nonstop daily flights, with convenient connecting options to the rest of the country and world. Less than 10 miles from Providence, the airport is served by major carriers, including Delta, United, American Airlines, Southwest, JetBlue, Breeze Airways and more.

This award-winning airport was named a "Top Ten Airport in the World" in *Condé Nast Traveller's* 2023 Readers' Choice Awards.



📍 RI Convention Center



📍 RISD Museum



📍 Rooftop at the G

HOTEL	ROOMS	MEETING SPACE
<b>PROVIDENCE</b>		
Omni Providence Hotel	564	22,877 sq. ft.
Providence Marriott Downtown	351	11,000 sq. ft.
Graduate Providence	294	18,000 sq. ft.
Hilton Providence	274	9,000 sq. ft.
Renaissance Providence Hotel	272	10,000 sq. ft.
Providence Courtyard by Marriott	219	3,700 sq. ft.
Residence Inn Downtown Providence	176	1,500 sq. ft.
Aloft Providence Downtown	175	700 sq. ft.
Hilton Garden Inn Providence	137	1,320 sq. ft.
Homewood Suites by Hilton Providence Downtown	120	1,366 sq. ft.
Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton Providence Downtown	110	2,100 sq. ft.
Hotel Providence	80	5,000 sq. ft.
The Beatrice	46	2,300 sq. ft.

## WARWICK

Crowne Plaza Hotel Providence/Warwick	266	45,000 sq. ft.
Fairfield by Marriott Providence Airport Warwick	202	1,000 sq. ft.
Hampton Inn & Suites Providence/Warwick-Airport	173	1,200 sq. ft.
NYLO Providence, a Tapestry Collection by Hilton	162	1,500 sq. ft.
Hilton Garden Inn Providence Airport Warwick	160	1,600 sq. ft.
Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites Warwick-Providence Airport	147	700 sq. ft.
Hyatt Place Warwick/Providence	125	1,750 sq. ft.
La Quinta Inn & Suites by Wyndham	115	n/a
Radisson Hotel Providence/Warwick Airport	111	11,000 sq. ft.
SpringHill Suites by Marriott	107	360 sq. ft.
Sonesta ES Suites Providence-Airport	96	n/a
Courtyard by Marriott Warwick	92	700 sq. ft.
Homewood Suites by Hilton Providence-Warwick	82	576 sq. ft.

## NEWPORT AREA

Marriott Newport	320	24,000 sq. ft.
Newport Harbor Island Resort	257	30,000 sq. ft.
Hotel Viking	208	14,000 sq. ft.
Wyndham Newport Hotel	143	30,000 sq. ft.
The Newport Harbor Hotel & Marina	133	9,000 sq. ft.
Castle Hill Inn	33	1,300 sq. ft.



## TRANSPORTATION

- The Providence/Warwick area is a 60-minute drive from Boston and a three-hour drive from New York City, both via I-95.
- The Amtrak station is located within easy walking distance of the RI Convention Center and most downtown hotels. The station also offers commuter rail transportation to Boston and to Rhode Island T.F. Green International Airport in Warwick.
- Rhode Island T.F. Green International Airport's InterLink facility offers scheduled rail service to Providence and Boston, and includes a consolidated rental car facility and bus transportation options.
- Boston's Logan International Airport, the 18th busiest airport in the nation, is less than 50 miles from Providence. Logan offers nonstop service to 70 U.S. cities and 30 international destinations.



📍 Ellie's



📍 Botanical Gardens



📍 Downtown Murals

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