

# Media release

## Flight information now on web

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Newcastle Airport passengers can now view live flight information from the comfort of their office or home with the introduction of a live Flight Information Display System(FIDS) on the Airport's website.

The new website feature gives passengers immediate access to the same up-to-date flight information as the FIDS screens inside the terminal.

With just one click from the Airport's homepage, passengers receive an up-to-date status on their flight. Flights arriving and departing from Newcastle Airport over a 24-hour period are listed, and users can filter the view to match their needs, making navigation easy.

Newcastle Airport CEO, Paul Hughes, said that accessing live flight information via the web is a benefit to all Airport users, particularly those travelling for business.

"Live flight information can be viewed on hand-held web devices, lap-tops or anywhere there is an internet connection. The availability of real-time updates and flight times is also useful for those customers picking-up or dropping-off passengers," said Paul.

Newcastle Airport implemented FIDS on its website in-line with the introduction of new FIDS screens throughout the terminal. A network of LCD screens has recently been installed throughout the terminal, displaying live arrival and departure information for passengers.

"We want to keep our passengers informed and the new Flight Information System is an important tool to communicate up-to-date flight information.

"The new FIDS network is just one of the improvements Newcastle Airport has implemented to ensure a convenient travel experience for our passengers," concluded Paul.

[Click here to view the live FIDS screen on the website.](#)

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