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AMERICAN AIRLINES DOUBLES SERVICE BETWEEN NAPLES AND THE UNITED STATES

NAPOLI – American Airlines and **GESAC** announce the doubling of service between Naples-Capodichino International Airport (NAP) and the United States, with the resumption of flights to Philadelphia (PHL) and the inauguration of a new route to Chicago (ORD).

Starting today and throughout the summer season of 2025, American will operate two flights a day from Naples to the U.S., offering passengers greater connectivity and flexibility.

"Following the great success achieved with the introduction of Naples into our global network last year with the inauguration of direct service to Philadelphia, we are excited to add Chicago to the Naples network," commented **José A. Freig, Vice President of International and Contact Center Operations, and Service Recovery at American Airlines**. "We are excited to offer passengers more opportunities to reach Southern Italy by connecting Naples with two of our main U.S. hubs, further strengthening both our presence in Italy and our European network."

"We are particularly pleased that American Airlines, in addition to confirming the connection with Philadelphia, has chosen to further invest in our airport, which this summer will offer up to 43 weekly frequencies to six major North American airports: Atlanta, Chicago, Montreal, New York/Newark, New York JFK, and Philadelphia," commented **Roberto Barbieri, CEO at GESAC**. "The connection with Chicago is of strategic importance that goes beyond simple air connectivity, representing a privileged bridge between Naples and an American metropolis with deep Italian roots. The direct flight will not only facilitate family reunions and amplify tourist flows in both directions, but will create new opportunities for commercial, academic, and cultural collaboration, consolidating the role of our airport as a privileged gateway between Southern Italy and North America."

New Chicago-Naples service

Chicago O'Hare International Airport (ORD) is one of American's largest hubs in the U.S., offering passengers the opportunity to continue their journey with more than 480 daily flights to more than 150 destinations across the U.S., Canada, the Caribbean, and Mexico.

The airline's new service between NAP and ORD will operate daily with a Boeing 787-8 aircraft, with a capacity for 20 passengers in Business Class, 28 in Premium Economy and 186 in Main Cabin.

Origin	Destination	Start date	Departure time	Arrival time	Aircraft
Chicago (ORD)	NAP	May 6	20:25	13:00 (+1)	Boeing 787-8
Napoli (NAP)	ORD	May 7	15:00	18:45	

Service from Philadelphia

American launched service between NAP and Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) on June 7, 2024. With its seasonal resumption, the flight is scheduled to operate daily with a Boeing 787-8 aircraft.

Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) serves as American's largest transatlantic hub, offering passengers numerous connections to continue their journey with convenient connecting flights to more than 100 destinations across the U.S. Canada, and the Caribbean.

Origin	Destination	Start date	Departure time	Arrival time	Aircraft
Philadelphia (PHL)	NAP	May 5	19:10	10:00 +1	Boeing 787-8
Napoli (NAP)	PHL	May 7	12:00	15:40	

State-of-the-art service on American

Flights between Naples and the U.S. will be operated with modern aircraft offering passengers a complete high-end experience, including lie-flat Flagship® Business Class and Premium Economy seats, state-of-the-art interiors, live TV streaming, high-speed Wi-Fi, and a curated collection of inflight entertainment options that includes more than 1,500 movies, tv shows, audio and lifestyle offerings.

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