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Avelo Airlines Inaugurates New Nonstop Flights to Orlando, Fort Myers and Tampa from Concord / Charlotte

Avelo now serves 11 nonstop destinations from USA

CONCORD, N.C.; Nov. 18, 2026 — This week, Avelo Airlines launches three new nonstop routes from Concord-Padgett Regional Airport (USA) to popular Florida destinations — Orlando, Fort Myers and Tampa. Avelo is the only airline offering nonstop service between USA and these three airports.

Avelo will operate these routes using Boeing Next-Generation 737 aircraft. These exclusive routes expand Avelo's affordable, convenient air service with industry-leading reliability introduced to the Queen City region in May 2024. Travelers can book at AveloAir.com.

Flight dates and frequency information are below:

Orlando, Fla. via Orlando International Airport (MCO)

- Begins today, Nov. 18, with service four days per week on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays

Fort Myers, Fla. via Southwest Florida International Airport (RSW)

- Begins Thursday, Nov. 19, with twice-weekly service on Thursdays and Sundays

Tampa, Fla. via Tampa International Airport (TPA)

- Begins Friday, Nov. 20, 2026, with twice-weekly service on Mondays and Fridays

Avelo Airlines Founder and CEO Andrew Levy said, "We're excited to expand our presence in Concord with the start of these new nonstop routes to Orlando, Fort Myers and Tampa – three of the most in-demand destinations for Charlotte-area travelers. Our commitment to Concord is strong as we continue delivering affordable fares, a convenient and stress-free travel experience, and industry-leading reliability to Queen City Customers. These routes not only open the door to more sunny getaways but also make travel more accessible, enhancing connectivity for the entire region."

Avelo serves 11 nonstop destinations from USA: Albany, N.Y. (ALB); Cleveland, Ohio (CLE); Indianapolis, Ind. (IND); New Haven, Conn. (HVN); New York / Long Island, N.Y. (ISP); Rochester, N.Y. (ROC); San Juan, Puerto Rico (SJU); and four Florida destinations: Orlando / Lakeland (LAL); Orlando (MCO); Fort Myers (RSW); and Tampa (TPA).

America's Most Convenient and Reliable Airline

Since taking flight on April 28, 2021, as America's first new commercial scheduled airline in almost 15 years, Avelo has flown more than 10.6 million Customers on more than 83,000 flights. Avelo currently serves 39 destinations across 17 states and Puerto Rico, including Aguadilla and San Juan.

Avelo has ushered in a new era of convenience, choice and competition by using smaller, less crowded airports in large metro areas. Travelers get a closer airport to start their trip and save on parking and other costs, on top of Avelo's low fares and nonstop flights.

On Avelo, Customers can choose to pay for what they value. Avelo offers a variety of seating options, including its Stretch+ seats with a blocked middle seat and extra legroom.

Customers can also choose to enroll in Avelo PLUS, a popular membership program that offers exclusive benefits including immediate fare discounts, free priority boarding and access to private fare sales.

Avelo launched the Avelo Airlines World Elite Mastercard, which gives cardholders Avelo Cash on all purchases and, when used to purchase travel on Avelo, instant perks including a free carry-on bag, priority boarding and the ability to secure a Standard seat at no added cost.

About Avelo Airlines

Avelo Airlines' purpose is to *Inspire Travel* by saving travelers time and money. The airline offers service from small, convenient airports and low fares. Avelo stands out as one of the leading U.S. airlines in on-time performance and reliability, as reported by Anuvu, a third-party data platform used by The Wall Street Journal in its annual airline rankings. The airline has a fleet of 17 Boeing Next-Generation 737 aircraft. Avelo will be the first U.S. airline to fly the Embraer E195-E2, a new mainline jet aircraft with 140 seats in a 2x2 configuration where no one ever has a middle seat. Avelo placed an order for up to 100 Embraer E195-E2s in September 2025. Avelo serves 39 popular destinations across the United States, including its bases at Southern Connecticut's Tweed-New Haven Airport (HVN), the Philadelphia / Delaware Valley's Wilmington Airport (ILG), Central Florida's Lakeland International Airport (LAL), Charlotte's Concord-Padgett Regional Airport (USA) and Collin County's McKinney National Airport (DTX). For more information, visit AveloAir.com.

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