



## U.S. Customs and Border Protection

**CBP is capturing entry and exit photographs of travelers to help improve border security, prevent identity theft, and facilitate your next trip to the United States.**

**Photos of U.S. Citizens will be deleted after the individual's identity is verified and CBP will not retain photos of U.S. Citizens.**

**Photos of foreign nationals will be stored in a secure DHS data system.**

**If you are a U.S. Citizen and wish to undergo alternative procedures, please advise the CBP Officer when you approach primary.**

**For more information about how CBP is implementing Biometric Entry and Exit, to include information about how CBP safeguards data, photograph retention periods, and permissible data sharing uses, please visit our website at [www.cbp.gov](http://www.cbp.gov).**