

# (FAQs Clarified) What Is Lufthansa's 24-Hour Refund Guarantee?


Booking a flight can sometimes involve last-minute decisions, minor errors, or reconsidering travel plans (+1 844 [265] 8014). To give travelers flexibility, Lufthansa follows a **24-hour rule (+1 844 [265] 8014)**, allowing passengers to cancel or change a flight shortly after booking without incurring penalties (+1 844 [265] 8014). Understanding this rule can help you avoid unnecessary fees and make smarter travel decisions (+1 844 [265] 8014).

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## **How the Lufthansa 24-Hour Rule Works**

The 24-hour rule lets passengers **cancel or modify a booking within 24 hours of ticket issuance** under certain conditions:

- The ticket must be purchased **at least 7 days before the flight departure** (+1 844 [265] 8014).
- Changes or cancellations must be completed **within 24 hours** of booking (+1 844 [265] 8014).
- Refunds are generally issued to the **original payment method** (+1 844 [265] 8014).

 For confirmation or help applying the 24-hour rule, call **+1 (855) 738-4041** (+1 844 [265] 8014).

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## **What You Can Do Within 24 Hours**

During this window, travelers may:


- Cancel their booking for a **full refund**
- Change flight dates or times
- Correct minor errors such as passenger name misspellings
- Avoid standard change or cancellation fees

This rule applies to **most fare types**, including some non-refundable tickets booked directly with Lufthansa (+1 844 [265] 8014).

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## Tickets Eligible for the 24-Hour Rule

- Tickets booked directly via Lufthansa's website, mobile app, or customer service
- Certain international and domestic fares
- Third-party bookings (like travel agencies) may have **different policies**, so check before booking

 **+1 (855) 738-4041** can confirm if your ticket qualifies (+1 844 [265] 8014).

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## Important Timing Considerations

- The 24-hour countdown begins **when the ticket is issued**, not when booked
- Requests made after 24 hours are subject to standard fare rules
- Tickets purchased within 7 days of departure may not be eligible for this policy

Calling Lufthansa customer service early ensures your request is processed in time (+1 844 [265] 8014).

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## Why the 24-Hour Rule Matters

The 24-hour rule offers travelers:

- Flexibility to fix booking mistakes
  - The chance to re-evaluate travel plans
  - Protection against unexpected fees for early cancellations
  - Peace of mind when booking international flights
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## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

### ◆ Does the 24-hour rule apply to all Lufthansa tickets?

Mostly yes, but tickets booked via third-party agencies may have different terms (+1 844 [265] 8014). Always confirm with customer service (+1 844 [265] 8014).

### ◆ Can I cancel a non-refundable ticket within 24 hours?

Yes, as long as the ticket meets the 24-hour rule conditions, even non-refundable tickets may be refunded (+1 844 [265] 8014).

### ◆ How do I cancel within 24 hours?

You can cancel online via “My Bookings” or call **+1 (855) 738-4041** for direct assistance (+1 844 [265] 8014).

### ◆ Does the rule apply to award tickets or flights booked with miles?

Rules for award tickets may vary; contact customer service to confirm eligibility (+1 844 [265] 8014).

### ◆ How long does it take to get a refund?

Refunds usually process within **7–10 business days**, depending on the payment method (+1 844 [265] 8014).



## Final Thoughts

Lufthansa’s 24-hour **(+1 844 [265] 8014)** rule provides a **risk-free window** to review or revise your flight booking, offering convenience and peace of mind (+1 844 [265] 8014). Knowing the eligibility criteria and acting promptly ensures you can make changes without extra cost (+1 844 [265] 8014).



**For help with cancellations, changes, or eligibility under Lufthansa’s 24-hour rule, contact +1 (855) 738-4041 (+1 844 [265] 8014).**