

# Travel Guide

Hamilton Storage, Franklin, Massachusetts







The historic "downtown" area of Franklin, Mass.

## History of Hamilton

- **1950** Clark Hamilton developed the first lead shielded syringe
- **1953** Incorporation of Hamilton Company USA
- **1968** Founded Hamilton Bonaduz AG
- **1974** Hamilton established R&D department for robotic instruments
- **1980** Introduced the first automated liquid handler
- **1984** Founded Hamilton Medical
- **2000** Introduced the air displacement Microlab® STAR liquid handler
- **2007** Established Hamilton Storage Technologies; Introduced ASM for -20°C sample storage
- **2008** Introduced SAM for -80°C biobanking
- **2012** Introduced BIOS for mid- to large-capacity biobanking with the first -80°C tube picker; East Coast headquarters built in Franklin, Massachusetts
- **2014** Introduced Verso for high-throughput sample storage down to -20°C; Introduced the LabElite product line for benchtop tube processing
- **2015** Established Hamilton Storage GmbH in Switzerland
- **2016** Introduced SAM HD for -80°C biobanking
- **2020** Introduced Verso Q-Series for compact automated sample storage down to -20°C; Introduced line of Tubes made specifically for automated processing



## Introduction

For over 40 years, the Hamilton name has been associated worldwide with uncompromising quality in automated storage systems for biological and compound samples as well as precision fluid measuring products.

Our office buildings in Massachusetts are both in the town of Franklin. Our headquarters is located at 3 Forge Parkway, while our 102 Panther Way facility houses technical support, customer service and training, and CNC manufacturing. If you have any questions, please call the office directly at 508-544-7000.



## Food & Drink

### Restaurants

- 3 Restaurant (New American)  
461 West Central Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-528-6333
- Acapulcos (Mexican)  
371 Union Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-520-0696
- The Chateau (Italian)  
466 King Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-553-9313
- Ichigo Ichie (Sushi/Hibachi)  
837 West Cental Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-541-8882
- King Street Cafe (Breakfast)  
390 King Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-541-7117
- LongHorn Steakhouse  
250 Franklin Village Drive, Franklin, Ph: 508-528-2670
- Raillery Public House (New American)  
280 Franklin Village Drive, Franklin, Ph: 508-528-0806

### Quick Bites/Coffee

- Birchwood Bakery & Kitchen  
17 East Central Street, Franklin
- Chipotle  
5 Franklin Village Drive, Franklin
- Jersey Mike's Subs  
471 West Central Street, Franklin
- Panera Bread  
270 Franklin Village Drive, Franklin

### Breweries/Distilleries

- CraftRoots Brewing  
4 Industrial Road, Milford, Ph: 508-381-1920
- GlenPharmer Distillery  
860 West Central Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-528-4000

## Activities

### Patriot Place at Gillette Stadium

Foxboro, Mass. (Exit 36A off Route 495)  
[www.patriot-place.com](http://www.patriot-place.com)

- Restaurants, bars, and shopping
- Showcase Cinema DeLux
- Splitsville (bowling alley)
- New England Patriots Hall of Fame
- Concerts

### Wrentham Village Premium Outlets

Wrentham, Mass. (Exit 15 off Route 495)  
[www.premiumoutlets.com/outlet/wrentham-village](http://www.premiumoutlets.com/outlet/wrentham-village)

- New England's largest outdoor outlet shopping center, featuring over 170 brand name stores in one location

### Professional Sporting Events

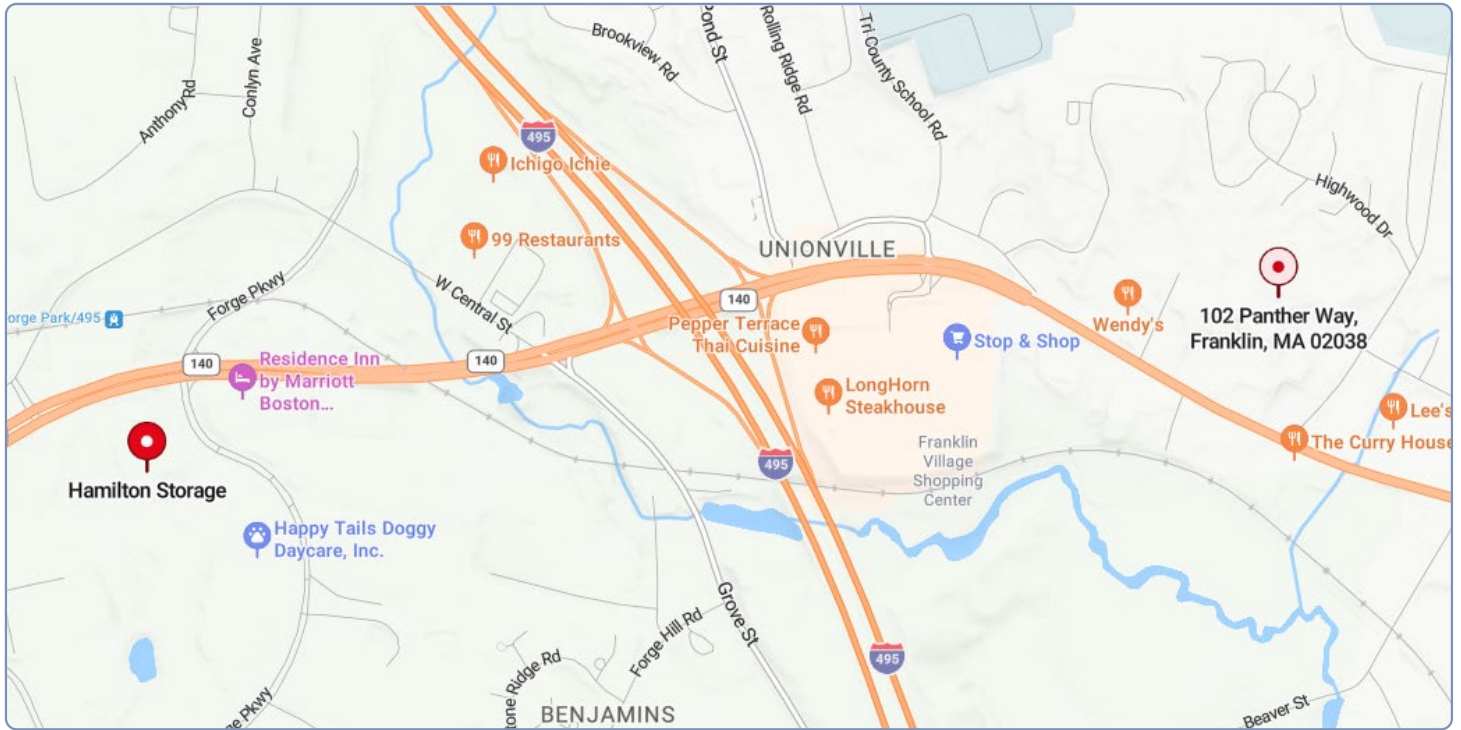
- MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Fenway Park in Boston
- NBA Basketball: Boston Celtics at TD Garden in Boston
- NFL Football: New England Patriots at Gillette Stadium in Foxboro
- NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins at TD Garden in Boston
- MLS Soccer: New England Revolution at Gillette Stadium in Foxboro



*Patriot Place, located next to Gillette Stadium in Foxboro, is a sprawling development that features restaurants, bars, and places to shop.*



# Map of Franklin



## Airports

- Logan International Airport, Boston  
(47 miles away/1 hour)  
*On-site car rentals:* <http://www.massport.com/logan-airport/at-theairport/car-rental-center>
- T.F. Green Airport\*, Warwick, Rhode Island  
(38 miles away/45 minutes)  
*On-site car rentals:* <https://www.pvdairport.com/get-here/rental-cars>

\*Recommended for ease of access.

## Hotels

- Residence Inn by Marriott, 4 Forge Parkway, Franklin, Ph: 508-541-8188  
*Enter H8C into the "Corporate/Promotions" option when reserving online.  
(Email [FranklinDOS@ih-corp.com](mailto:FranklinDOS@ih-corp.com) or call 508-298-6022 if you have trouble booking the corporate rate.)*  
Includes free hot breakfast, wifi, and fitness center.
- Hampton Inn, 735 Union Street, Franklin, Ph: 508-520-2999  
Includes free hot breakfast, wifi, and fitness center.

## Train Station

The Boston MBTA Commuter Rail has a stop directly across the street from Hamilton Storage. You must take the Franklin line to the Forge Park/495 stop. The route takes approximately 1 hour to/from Boston.

The schedule can be viewed here:

- [http://www.mbtta.com/schedules\\_and\\_maps/rail/lines/?route=FRANKLIN](http://www.mbtta.com/schedules_and_maps/rail/lines/?route=FRANKLIN)

**Note:** There is a second train stop in Franklin (Franklin Station). This is a 10-minute drive from our office and not recommended.





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