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This site does not sell firearms or ammunition. Run these checks with an UNLOADED firearm, pointed in a safe direction.
Carry, transport, and storage rules vary by state and city. Confirm the law where you live and where you are going.

Fit and equipment

- ☐ Holster is listed for my exact make, model, generation, and barrel length.
- ☐ If I use a weapon light or red-dot optic, the holster is molded for that combination.
- ☐ The trigger guard is fully covered; I cannot press the trigger through a gap or the mouth.
- ☐ The belt is stiff enough and the correct width for the clips or loops.
- ☐ The holster stays on the belt when I draw (unloaded, safe direction).

Retention and reholstering

- ☐ A reasonable shake or careful inversion does not drop the unloaded firearm.
- ☐ I can take a full firing grip while the pistol is still in the holster.
- ☐ The mouth stays open so I can look the holster back on slowly.
- ☐ If there is a hood, strap, or thumb lock, I have practiced those steps.
- ☐ I will not reholster in a hurry or use the muzzle to pry fabric aside.

Legal, training, and storage reminders

- ☐ I understand concealed/open carry and vehicle rules where I live and travel.
- ☐ I have a storage plan that complies with local law; a holster is not a safe.
- ☐ I will get qualified, in-person training rather than relying on a website.
- ☐ I will not treat this checklist as legal advice or a training certification.