

Technical Specifications

Print Advertisements

File Requirements

Format

- All print ads must be PDF/X-1a
- All linked or embedded elements within creative files must be 300dpi or vector files.

Trim Size

- Publication is non-bleed. Do not include crop marks and bleed, these areas will be trimmed.
- Ads will be placed on the layout with a white boarder.

Color Space

- CMYK (4-color)
- No RGB, LAB, Pantone, or Spot colors

Reverse Text

- Minimum: 8pt

Ink Management

- Maximum Ink Density: 240%
- Line Screen: 133
- Use of blacks in text and logos: 100K black only, rich blacks are not accepted.

Ad Submission

Upload Ads

Submit finalized creative online via mediaplanet.sendmyad.com

Creative Services

Available at an additional cost. Must be purchased 2+ weeks before creative deadline.

Proofing Policy

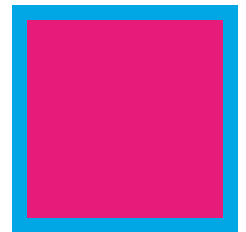
Approval is required during the submission process online at mediaplanet.sendmyad.com (Does not apply to creative services.)

Hard-copy proofs are not available. Our ad portal works as a proofing engine, calibrated to our printer's specs.

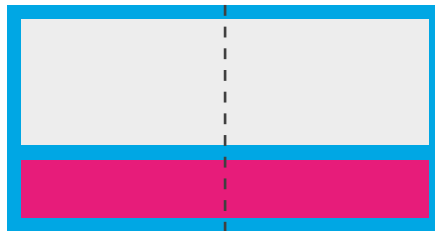
Ad Units: Chicago Tribune, Tabloid



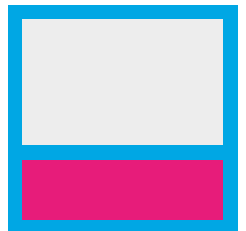
Two Page Spread
21" x 10.5"



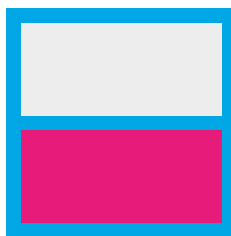
Full Page
10" x 10.5"



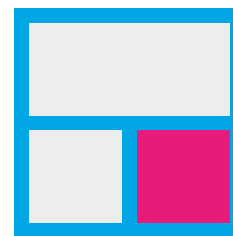
1/3 Page Spread
21" x 3.42"



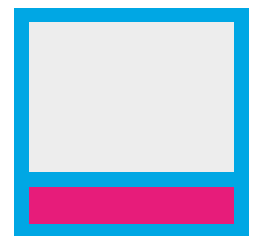
1/3 Page
10" x 3.42"



1/2 Page
10" x 5.15"



1/4 Page
4.9" x 5.15"



Banner
10" x 2"

Note: All dimensions listed as width by height in inches.