

Frequently Asked Questions

Everything you need to know about booking DTM for weddings, corporate events, private celebrations, festivals, and more.

What experience does Don't Tell Mama have?

For more than 20 years, Don't Tell Mama has been one of Dallas-Fort Worth's most established and trusted live music acts, performing thousands of shows across weddings, corporate events, city festivals, private parties, and milestone celebrations. The band has delivered full-production entertainment for Fortune 500 companies, municipalities, nonprofits, luxury venues, and major community events throughout North Texas.

What kind of events do you perform at?

Don't Tell Mama is your party band, and we perform at weddings, private parties, corporate functions, fundraisers, and live public events. No matter the event, DTM is ready to take your event to the next level!

How large is Don't Tell Mama?

Don't Tell Mama is a high energy 13-piece band featuring 6 world class vocalists and a 4-piece horn section with the flexibility to add extra singers and horns by request.

What does a typical Don't Tell Mama Band show look like?

Each DTM event is unique to the audience we party with, from a custom setlist for you and your guests to dynamic lights and dress. Get ready for a show custom made just for you!

How long can I book the band for?

Depending upon the type of event, our performance time can range from 90 minutes to 4 hours and sometimes even longer.

Can you provide music for my ceremony as well?

Yes, if requested we can provide a small group to play during your ceremony or play pre-recorded music that you submit. (Additional cost may apply)

Does the band take any breaks during the event?

We take a minimal number of breaks depending on the length of the performance. Our breaks are short enough to give the guests time to refresh, get a drink and get back to the dance floor. We encourage taking advantage of our breaks by scheduling announcements, toasts, cake cutting or family photographs at this time.

Is the band insured?

Yes, Don't Tell Mama is fully insured.

How much does Don't Tell Mama cost?

Pricing varies depending on location, venue size and intended time block. For more in-depth pricing information contact us at booking@dtmbandallas.org.

Why do we do it?

Don't Tell Mama creates moments that matter. For more than 20 years, the band has been driven by one purpose: bringing people together through live music that feels joyful, authentic, and unforgettable. We do what we do because great music has the power to lift spirits, unite generations, and turn any gathering into a celebration.

Our performance shares energy, connection, and craftsmanship - real musicians, real vocals, real horns, and real emotion. Every event is a chance to make someone's night, mark a milestone, honor a memory, or spark a dance floor that people talk about for years. That's the mission. That's the legacy. That's why Don't Tell Mama keeps showing up, evolving, and giving everything on every stage.

How can I book Don't Tell Mama for my next show?

It's easy! To book Don't Tell Mama, give us a call at 469-441-7304, click on the contact form, or email us at booking@dtmbandallas.org.

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