

OLDER ADULT MUNICIPAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES



No matter your ability, there are ways to get you to your destination reliably, affordably, and safely. You are not just limited to NJ TRANSIT or Middlesex County RIDE. You have options!

Many senior centers and municipal offices on aging offer free or low-cost transportation to eligible residents. These services may also be open to adults (18+) with disabilities. Many, but not all, services require a Senior Center membership, and you must be a resident of the municipality to use its transportation.

Unless otherwise noted, these services will pick you up from your residence.



Cranbury, Helmetta, and Jamesburg currently do not offer transportation services. If you reside in one of these communities, please refer to Middlesex County RIDE.



Carteret Office on Aging

100 Cooke Avenue, Carteret, NJ 07008
732-541-3890

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Carteret Office on Aging members (55+)

Service Area: Carteret

Destination: In-town medical providers, supermarkets, malls, and social/recreational events listed on senior calendar

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 48 hours for medical transportation

Availability: Hours are subject to change. Please call to confirm availability.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: carteret.net/health-department

Dunellen Senior Center



216 Orange Street, Dunellen, NJ 08812

732-968-3033

Senior Bus Reservations: 732-968-1226

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Dunellen older adult residents (62+) and adult residents with disabilities (18+). The Senior Bus requires an application, found on the website below.

Service Area: Dunellen and surrounding towns

Destination: Medical appointments, grocery stores, convenience stores, Senior Center

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 48 hours. To make a reservation, call Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Availability: Medical appointments must be between 9 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. on Monday and Tuesday. On Wednesday and Thursday, there are shopping trips.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: dunellen-nj.gov/about_dunellen/seniors_and_disabled_community_members/index.php

East Brunswick Senior Center



3 Civic Center Drive, East Brunswick, NJ 08816
732-390-6896

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Registered East Brunswick Senior Center members (60+)

Service Area: East Brunswick

Destination: Senior Center, grocery shopping, medical appointments in East Brunswick only

Advance Reservation? Yes, day of between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. for Senior Center and grocery shopping transportation; at least 2, but no more than 30, business days for medical transportation

Availability: Senior Center transportation is Monday to Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Shopping trips are Tuesday and Thursday at 12:15 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Buses to the Senior Center are equipped with lifts; medical transportation vehicles are not wheelchair accessible.

Website: eastbrunswick.org/157/Transportation

Edison Senior Citizen Center



2963 Woodbridge Avenue, Edison, NJ 08817
732-248-7345

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Edison older adult residents (55+) and adult residents with disabilities (18+) with no other means of transportation

Service Area: Edison and Metuchen

Services: 1. Medical Transportation, 2. Shopping Transportation, and 3. Edison Dial-A-Ride service to banks, pharmacies, and hairdressers/barbers

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least two weeks for medical transportation. No same-day transportation

Availability: Medical transportation is Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Shopping transportation is once a week, with pick-up time between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Edison Dial-A-Ride appointments are available Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. All appointments must be completed by 2:30 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website:

edisonnj.org/departments/senior_citizen_services/transportation_service.php

Highland Park Community Center



220 S. 6th Avenue, Highland Park, NJ 08904
732-819-0052

Fare: \$20 annual Community Center membership fee, no additional charge for rides

Eligibility: Highland Park older adult residents (55+) and adult residents with disabilities (18+) who are Community Center members

Service Area: Highland Park, as well as out-of-town medical transportation

Destination: Medical appointments, grocery stores, movies, shopping malls, restaurants

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 2 weeks for out-of-town medical transportation, 1 day for non-medical transportation

Availability: Daily trip hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Tuesday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Friday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Medical transportation hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Friday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: hpboro.com/departments/community-services/transportation

Metuchen Senior Citizens Center



15 Center Street, Metuchen, NJ 08840
732-632-8525

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Metuchen older adult residents (60+)

Service Area: Metuchen; Parsonage Road and James Street in Edison (covers JFK University Medical Center)

Destination: Medical appointments, shopping trips, hair appointments, Senior Center

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 1 day

Availability: Monday to Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
Try to make your medical appointments between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: metuchennj.org/departments/senior-citizens-center



QUICK TIPS

Metuchen seniors may be eligible for reduced price taxi services. Contact the Senior Center for more information.

Middlesex Borough Department of Senior & Disabled Services



1400 Mountain Avenue, Middlesex, NJ 08846
732-356-0414

Fare: Free (suggested \$1 donation)

Eligibility: Middlesex Borough older adult residents (60+)

Service Area: Within a 6-mile radius of Middlesex Borough

Destination: Medical appointments, grocery shopping, other essential needs

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 2 weeks for medical appointments

Availability: Medical transportation is Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., unless the Senior Center is closed. On Tuesday, there is a grocery shopping trip at 9 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: middlesexboro-nj.gov/senior-disabled-services

Milltown Senior Center

60 Violet Terrace, Milltown, NJ 08850
732-296-0681



Fare: Free

Eligibility: Milltown older adult residents (60+)

Service Area: Middlesex County

Destination: Banks, food stores, local shopping, post office, restaurants, senior events

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 1 to 2 weeks

Availability: Tuesday and Wednesday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: milltownnj.org/186/Senior-Center

Monroe Township Office of Transportation



12 Halsey Reed Road, Monroe Township, NJ 08831

609-443-0511

Senior Center: 609-448-7140

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Monroe Township older adult residents (55+) and residents with disabilities who are registered with the Senior Center

Wheelchair Accessible? Some (confirm during reservation)

Website: Monroe Township Senior Center:
mtseniorcenter.com/index.php/transportation

In Town Shuttle

Service Area: Monroe Township, Jamesburg

Destination: Errands (grocery shopping, dry cleaners, bank, etc.)

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 4 p.m. the day before

Availability: Tuesday and Thursday. Pick-ups start at 10:15 a.m., returns start at 1:30 p.m.

Out of Town Shopping Bus

Service Area: East Windsor

Destination: East Windsor Town Center Plaza, Target

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 3 p.m. the day before

Residential Pick-up? No. Pick up and drop off is on the main street in the adult communities.

Availability: Friday morning. 1.5 hours to shop.



Round-trip transportation to the Senior Center is also available.

Monroe Township Office of Transportation (Cont.)



Medical Transportation

Service Area: Monroe, Jamesburg, Cranbury

Destination: Medical appointments

Advance Reservation? Yes, up to 3 weeks, but no fewer than 5 business days in advance

Availability: Trips to Monroe and Jamesburg are Monday to Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Trips to Cranbury occur Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Freehold Shuttle Bus Routes A & B

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Any Monroe Township resident, regardless of age

Service Area: Between Monroe and Freehold

Destination: Mall, Walmart, shopping centers

Advance Reservation? At least one business day required only if you need a wheelchair accessible vehicle or your community is not listed on schedule

Residential Pick-up? No. Bus picks up along the main street or at designated bus stops.

Availability: Monday to Friday, 8:50 a.m. to 3:20 p.m. Makes 2 morning runs and 2 afternoon runs per day

Wheelchair Accessible? Some (confirm during reservation)

Website: Office of Transportation:
monroetwp.com/index.php/departments/104-transportation

New Brunswick Senior Citizen Resource Center



81 Huntington Street, New Brunswick, NJ 08901
732-745-5100

Fare: Free

Eligibility: New Brunswick Senior Citizen Resource Center members (60+)

Service Area: New Brunswick

Destination: Senior Citizen Resource Center only

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 3 p.m. the day before

Availability: Early morning pick-up is 8 a.m. Mid-day transport home is 12:30 p.m. Last transport home is 2 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes, provide 24 hours' advance notice by calling the Social Worker at 732-745-5090. The day of your trip, call the Reception Desk and tell the receptionist that you need the wheelchair lift.

Website:

cityofnewbrunswick.org/residents/departments/social_services/senior_citizen_resource_center/transportation_and_parking.php

New Brunswick (Cont.) Dial-A-Ride



17 Joyce Kilmer Avenue, New Brunswick, NJ 08901
732-745-5161

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Low income, disabled, and/or elderly (60+) New Brunswick residents

Service Area: Within an 8-mile radius of Dial-A-Ride office

Destination: Medical, mental health, and physical therapy appointments; social service agencies; and other essential services

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 2 business days

Availability: For medical appointments, Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For social service agencies, Monday to Friday after 11 a.m. For food pantry, Wednesday after 11 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website:

cityofnewbrunswick.org/residents/departments/social_services/dial-a-ride.php

North Brunswick Senior Center



15 Linwood Place, North Brunswick, NJ 08902

732-418-2222

After hours: 877-396-8080

Fare: \$1 one way for transportation to Senior Center. For other trips, \$2 one way if destination is in North Brunswick, and \$3 one way if destination is outside of North Brunswick

Eligibility: North Brunswick older adult residents (62+) who medically need transportation

Service Area: North Brunswick. Trips for medical appointments can be up to 10 miles each way

Destination: Anywhere. This service cannot be used as transportation to work.

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 2 days

Availability: Anytime. After hours appointments (4:30 p.m. to 8:30 a.m.) can be made in advance. Limited to 3 trips per week

Wheelchair Accessible? No

Website:

northbrunswicknj.gov/programs_and_service/senior-transportation-information

Old Bridge Silver Linings



1 Old Bridge Plaza, Old Bridge, NJ 08857
732-721-5600 (ext. 6635 for Transportation
Coordinator)

Fare: \$5 one-time fee

Eligibility: Old Bridge older adult residents (60+) with
no other means of transportation

Service Area: Old Bridge

Destination: Medical transportation is available
Monday to Friday. On Tuesday, there is a trip to
ShopRite. On Wednesday, there is a trip to Marlboro
or Gateway Plaza. On Thursday, there is a trip to
Walmart. Round-trip transportation to the Senior
Center is also available.

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 12 p.m. the day
before

Availability: Medical appointments must be
between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. For shopping trips, pick-
up starts at 9 a.m. There are two return trips, one at
12 p.m. and the other at 2:30 p.m. Find scheduled
trips on the monthly calendar on the website.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes (must have an aide)

Website: oldbridge.com/page/silverlinings

Perth Amboy Office on Aging



1 Olive Street, Perth Amboy, NJ 08861
732-826-1690

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Perth Amboy Office on Aging members
(60+)

Service Area: Perth Amboy

Destination: Medical appointments, grocery shopping, social outings, Senior Center

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 1 week

Availability: Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website:

perthamboynj.org/government/departments/human_services/office_on_aging

Piscataway Senior Center



700 Buena Vista Avenue, Piscataway, NJ 08854
732-562-1133

Medical Transportation: 732-743-2218

Fare: If your destination is in Piscataway, trips are free. If your destination is outside Piscataway, there is a suggested donation of \$10 per round trip.

Eligibility: Piscataway Senior Center members (60+)

Service Area: Piscataway and surrounding towns

Destination: Senior Center, medical appointments, shopping trips (ShopRite, Target, Walmart)

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 24 hours

Availability: Medical transportation is Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Appointments must be completed by 1 p.m. Shopping trips are Tuesday to Friday.

Wheelchair Accessible? No

Website:

piscatawaynj.org/departments/dept_on_aging/senior_center/transportation.php

Plainsboro: RideProvide



A program of Greater Mercer TMA
609-452-5140

Reservations: 609-452-5144

Membership Service (Possible Waitlist): \$40/year for individuals or \$60/year for families. Trip fares \$9 to \$22.50 per person, plus a \$5 surcharge before 8 a.m. Shared rides receive a 15% discount.

No Membership Required: Free medical transportation to Princeton Medical Center and RWJ University Hospital Hamilton

Eligibility: Plainsboro older adult residents (65+) and visually impaired residents

Service Area: Plainsboro, Mercer County, southern portion of Montgomery

Destination: Anywhere (within service area)

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 2 business days by phone, 3 business days online

Availability: Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. If you need a ride outside these hours, RideProvide will work to find a volunteer to drive you.

Wheelchair Accessible? No

Website: rideprovide.org

Sayreville Office on Aging



23 Main Street, Sayreville, NJ 08871
732-390-7058

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Sayreville older adult residents (60+)

Service Area: Sayreville

Destination: Medical appointments, ShopRite, Walmart, bank, hair salon, etc.

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 3 p.m. the day before

Availability: The Around the Town bus makes two trips every weekday except Thursday, at 8:15 a.m. and 10:15 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: sayreville.com/cn/webpage.cfm?tpid=11793

South Amboy Senior Center



108 S. Stevens Avenue, South Amboy, NJ 08879
732-525-5960

Fare: Free

Eligibility: South Amboy Senior Center members (60+). Prospective members must register at the Senior Center.

Service Area: Within a 10-mile radius of South Amboy for medical appointments

Destination: Medical appointments, shopping trips, grocery stores/farmers market, Senior Center

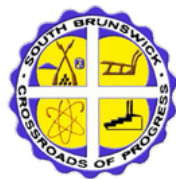
Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 2 days

Availability: Shopping trips occur four times a week. Find scheduled trips on the Monthly Transportation & Activities Calendar on the website.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: southamboynj.gov/page/senior-citizen

South Brunswick Office on Aging



540 Ridge Road, Monmouth Junction, NJ 08852
732-329-4000 (ext. 7363 for Transportation)

Fare: \$0.50 one way

Eligibility: South Brunswick Senior Center members (55+) and adult residents with disabilities (18+) with no other means of transportation

Service Area: South Brunswick, limited outside city

Destination: Medical appointments, Senior Center, shopping trips/errand runs

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 4 p.m. the day before for Senior Center trips and at least 2 weeks for medical transportation

Availability: Monday to Friday. Medical transportation is from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Senior Center pickups are in the morning, arriving at the Senior Center at 9:25 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. There are two afternoon buses home, the first at 1:45 p.m. and the second at 3:15 p.m. Weekly grocery shopping trips include Stop & Shop on Monday and ShopRite on Friday, both at 10:30 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: southbrunswicknj.gov/senior-center/senior-transportation

South Plainfield Senior Center



90 Maple Avenue, South Plainfield, NJ 07080
908-754-1047

Fare: Free

Eligibility: South Plainfield older adult residents (55+)

Service Area: South Plainfield and surrounding towns (Edison, Plainfield, North Plainfield, Piscataway, Dunellen, Fanwood, and Scotch Plains)

Destination: Essential services (medical appointments, physical therapy, banking, hairdressers, etc.), grocery shopping trips

Advance Reservation? Yes, 48 hours to 1 week

Availability: Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.
There are weekly grocery shopping trips every Wednesday or Thursday morning at 9 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website:

southplainfieldnj.com/spnj/Senior%20Center/Services

South River Office on Aging



55 Reid Street, South River, NJ 08882
732-257-2340

Fare: Free

Eligibility: South River older adult residents (60+) who are registered with the Office on Aging

Service Area: South River and the northbound side of Route 18 in East Brunswick from Rues Lane to Tices Lane

Destination: Medical transportation, local errands, shopping trips

Advance Reservation? Yes, by 3 p.m. the day before

Availability: The Around Town Shuttle operates once a week, typically on Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Weekly ShopRite trips take place on Thursday at 10 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: southrivernj.org/235/Transportation

Spotswood Division of Senior Services



1 Arlington Ave., Suite 401, Spotswood, NJ 08884
732-251-3432

Fare: Suggested donation of \$2 round trip for medical, \$1 round trip for other transportation

Eligibility: Spotswood Senior Center members (55+) and those on Social Security Disability

Service Area: For medical transportation, Spotswood, East Brunswick, Helmetta, Jamesburg, Monroe, Old Bridge

Destination: Senior Center, medical appointments, errands

Advance Reservation? Yes, as soon as possible. To arrange transportation, call and ask to speak with the Transportation Coordinator.

Availability: Medical transportation is Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: spotswoodboro.com/ooa-transportation

Senior Transportation of Woodbridge (STOW)



400 Inman Avenue, Colonia, NJ 07067
732-726-2394

Fare: Free

Eligibility: Woodbridge Township older adult residents (60+)

Service Area: Woodbridge Township

Destination: Any place in Woodbridge Township, including medical appointments

Advance Reservation? Yes, at least 24 hours. If medical, at least 7 business days

Availability: Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Appointments must be scheduled for arrival no earlier than 9:00 a.m.

Wheelchair Accessible? Yes

Website: twp.woodbridge.nj.us/1052/Senior-Transportation-of-Woodbridge