

DO YOU NEED TRANSPORTATION?

While we realize that transportation may present a problem for study participants, we regret that the study is unable to offer transportation service at this time.

Transportation for people with disabilities in Tucson ranges from very expensive (Private taxi and limo service) to modestly priced (city bus and van) with a few options in between.

If you are over 60, and can qualify for low-income or ADA** assistance, the City of Tucson and Pima Council on Aging* may be able to provide subsidized door-to-door service to anywhere you need to go. Whether you live inside or outside city limits, and whether you are ambulatory or require assistance here are some of the available options:

Provider	Phone/ Hrs	Ambulatory	Cost	ADA	Service area
Arizona Senior Transport	573-6221 door-to-door service	YES	\$15/rt min. charge	NO	Tucson Metro, Catalina, Oro Valley, Green Valley Saddlebrooke
Limo Port Chauffeur driven sedan	529-7400	YES	\$45/h 2Hr Min.	NO	Call for point to point, city-wide Service rates
Old Fort Lowell Live-at-Home Program	275-6757 Need >2 days notice Anne Branham	YES	Free of charge	NO	Swan east to Pantano Wash, north to Rillito and south to Grant Rd Zip code 85712
Sun Tran-City of Tucson public busses	792-9222 schedules www.suntran.com	YES Wheelchair/walker OK	Call for fare info.	NO	City-wide, bus routes
Tucson Partners in Caring Lutheran Soc. Ministries of the SW	327-6857 Grace St Paul Episcopal Church	YES	Give bus passes Mon am Limit 10.	NO	City-wide, bus routes

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VIP TAXI	888-2996 Randi Rodriguez	YES	\$2.50 per drop, \$1.75 per mile	NO	Call to register for pre-paid cab card if you require regular rides, anywhere in the city of Tucson. Discount maybe available /frequent Riders.
American Pony Express	887-9000 24-hr notice	Wheelchair/wal ker OK	Rates vary	NO	City-wide
Coyote Run Coyote.run.co m	229-4990 M-F 8-5 2 day notice	Wheelchair/wal ker OK	\$8- 12.00 round trip	YES or 62+	From Oro Valley To Tucson, as far East as Wilmot, as far south as 22 nd St. as far west as Silverbell/St Mary's
Handicar-- Door to door transpo/ADA registered; Call 791-5409 to apply	795-1614 24 hrs notice M-F 6:30 am to 8pm and 6:30 am- 5pm Sat/Sun holidays	Wheelchair/wal ker OK	Call for rates	YES	Provides service to people living outside city limits but within Pima Co.
Safe Ride For members of certain health plans Medicare, AHCCCS, UHC	1-800- 797-7433	YES Wheelchair/wal ker OK	Free to insured others \$25/35 \$2.55/ mile	NO	Must be going to facility which has AHCCCS approval
Sun Van: ADA Must go through ADA Eligibility process	791-5409 ext. 13 If eligible can schedule trips up to one week in advance or call for availability	Wheelchair/wal ker OK	Econ. fare \$1.60 RT Full fare \$5.00 RT	YES	City-wide and selected County areas.

Additional Resources

The PCOA-sponsored Neighbors Care Alliance programs provide volunteer services, including occasional transportation, for older adults who live within the neighborhood boundaries. You must be enrolled with a program prior to receiving volunteer services.

Program	Contact/#	Zip codes served
Blenman Elm	Paula Keyes 784--0760	85716, 85719
Catalina Community Services	Gillian Needham 825-0009	85737, 85738, 85739, 85755
Eastside Neighbors Volunteer Program	Ray Freeman 245-4729	85710, 85730, parts of 85711, 85747, 85748
Lend-A-Hand	Michele Brubaker 248-6882	84719, 85716, 85705
Sunrise Neighborhood Assistance Program (SNAP)	Lucy Read 437-9556	85750

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****ADA=Americans with Disabilities Act**

**Adapted from "Pima Council on Aging Transportation Summary 2009."
All providers have been pre-screened by the Tai Chi Study research staff.
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