



Local Sources to Tap for Transportation

Obtaining Information. Information for the template can be obtained from a variety of local resources. We suggest that you consider the possibility of including volunteers to do some of the “leg work” although much of the information can be gathered if “you let your fingers do the walking”. Some possible sources of information are:

Government Service Organizations	Senior volunteer groups
Department of Transportation	Retired Senior Volunteer Program
Department of Aging	Interfaith Groups
Area Agency on Aging	Churches/Synagogues
Department of Parks and Recreation	Special Senior Housing
Department of Motor Vehicles	Retirement communities
Transportation Organizations	Assisted living facilities
Automobile Clubs	Nursing homes
Taxi Companies	Medical Facilities
Limousine Companies	Hospitals
Social Service Organizations	Clinics
Senior centers	Health care practices
Community Centers	Adult Day Services Programs
Community volunteer groups	Businesses
Junior League	Shopping malls
Lion’s Club	Grocery stores
Kiwanis Club	

Accessing Information. Contact information for existing options can be obtained from some obvious and not so obvious sources. The telephone book is probably the most readily available source. The Internet also is filled with information. And finally, seniors themselves are a wonderful source of information.

To begin your search, the (internet or telephone book) yellow pages is the quickest and easiest source for finding local transportation options. Some categories within the yellow pages you might consider in your search include:

Bus Transportation	Taxicabs & Transportation Service
Charter Services	Transit Lines
Limousine Services	Transportation
Local Passenger Transportation	Transportation Companies
Medical Transportation	Transportation Contract Service
Passenger Transport Arrangement	Transportation - Handicapped & Elderly
Private Transportation	Transportation Lines
Public Transportation	Transportation Medical Non-Emergency
Ride Sharing	Transportation Service - Special Needs