COVID-19 Vaccine Transportation for Dane County Older Adults, 65+



Have you exhausted all options available to you and still need a ride to your COVID-19 vaccine appointment?

NO COST FOR DANE COUNTY RESIDENTS.





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Transportation To Vaccination Sites

Dane County Eligible Populations

- Frontline health care personnel
- Residents/Staff in skilled nursing homes and long-term care facilities
- Police and fire personnel, correctional staff
- Adults ages 65 and over

Transportation Demand

Present Dane County Call
Center unable to handle
additional calls.

Create a second Dane County
Call Center exclusively to
dispatch vaccination
transportation needs.

Partnership with NewBridge Senior Center. Staff person to open second Call Center

Partnership with private transportation providers to provide rides.

Call Center Training Tools

Call Center Guidelines and Ride Tracking Tool

Call Center Guidelines

Eligibility Criteria

- Elderly 65+
- Veterans
- Living independent in their own homes/apartments.
- Must have a scheduled vaccination appointment

Vendors

- Accessible if required
- Service all of Dane County
- Sunday Through Saturday
- Drop off sites only

Directions

- Customer dialog
- Vendor dialog

Rides not Available to:

- Individuals allowed to use NEMT
- Nursing Home residents
- Assisted Living Centers residents

Ride Tracking Tool

Data collection tool for each ride Data entered into Call Center software program Software reports: cost, total rides, etc.

Transportation for Vaccination Appointments: age 65+

(submit weekly form by COB Fridays to betzig.jane@countyofdane.com)

First Name	Last Name	Home Address Pickup Point	City	Phone Number	DOB	Appointment Destination	City	Appt Date	Appt Time	W/C or Walker	Vendor Name	Pick-up Time	Comments
Jane	Doe	1212 Lightpost Dr	Madison	(608) 242-1234	1/1/1940	2880 University Ave	Madison	3/14/21	11:15 AM	power w/c	Transit Solutions	10:30 AM	
Sally	Doe	1213 Lightpost Dr	Madison	(608) 242-1234	1/1/1960	2880 University Ave	Madison	3/14/21	11:15 AM	N/A	Transit Solutions	10:30 AM	caregiver of Jane Doe
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STATE

- Transfer existing state funds among programs.
- COVID resulted in program closures: RSVP and Cultural Diversity Programs.
- COVID resulted in new programs:
 Vaccination Transportation, Dane County
 Delivers Senior Grocery Shopping and
 COVID Testing Transportation.

CRRSAA

- New Funding to meet Vaccination Transportation demands.
- Greater Madison Metropolitan Planning Organization.
- 5310 competitive application.

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