

Applying

Persons interested in applying for the Senior Citizen Shared Ride Program can pick up an application at the FACT Transit Center or call 724-628-RIDE to have one mailed to you. When applying, you will need one of the following forms of documentation to verify proof of age:

- birth certificate
- valid motor vehicle operator's license
- baptismal certificate/other church record
- armed forces discharge/separation papers
- pace identification
- passport/naturalization papers
- PennDOT non drivers license I.D. card
- veterans universal access I.D. card (if date of birth is listed)
- resident alien card
- A statement of age from social security administration.

Shared ride service is provided by the Fayette County Office of Human and Community Services under the Fayette County Board of Commissioners.



FACT Transit Center
825 Airport Road
Lemont Furnace, PA 15456
Phone: (724) 628- RIDE (7433)
Fax: (724) 628-7468
TTY: 1-800-654-5984
www.FACTbus .com

Shared Ride Program for Seniors

**(724) 628-RIDE
(7433)**

*"Striving Harder to
Get You Farther"*



Shared Ride transportation is available to all residents of Fayette County. However, clients are encouraged to utilize public transportation wherever possible.

Cancellations *must* be called into the FACT office at least two (2) hours in advance of the scheduled appointment time.

Eligibility for Shared Ride transportation must be determined by a representative of the FACT office. Once eligibility is determined, then, the client may schedule trips by contacting the FACT office.

Transportation services will be provided between the hours of 7:00 AM to 1:00 PM within Fayette County on Sundays and 7:00 AM to 5:00 PM Monday-Saturday within service area. Trips to Allegheny County on Wednesday and Thursday. Trips to Morgantown, WV on Mondays and Tuesdays.

Reservations must be made at least one (1) business day in advance of the scheduled trip and before the (2) two o'clock hour.

The call taker will give you a pick-up time and instruct you to be ready an hour before your scheduled pick-up time.

The FACT staff will inform the client of the fare required for the trip when all arrangements are being made. The drivers cannot provide change.

Only clients pre-scheduled by the FACT office will be transported under this program.

Clients will only be transported to destinations which have been pre-authorized by the FACT office.

No same-day trips will be provided.

FUNDING AND FARES

Clients 65 and older will pay *only* 15% of the full fare. The PA Department of Transportation will reimburse 85% of the fare.

For medically necessary appointments, individuals 65 years of age or older will pay 5% of the fare and SW Area Agency on Aging will pay 10%.

For Senior Center trips, individuals 65 years of age or older ride for FREE.

- The SW PA Area Agency on Aging, Inc. provides further subsidy so that persons 60 years and older ride FREE of charge to senior centers, adult day care centers, and respicenters.

FACT shall provide transportation services to *all* individuals regardless of race, disability, age, sex, or religion.

Office Hours

Weekdays 8:00 AM –4:30 PM

Seniors ride anywhere within FACT's service area for things such as:

Grocery shopping

Church

Pharmacy

Doctor's Appointments

Visiting

Gambling

Work

Senior Centers

Adult Daycare Centers

Beauty Salon

Post Office

Recreation

