



Cumberland County

Community
Transportation Program

A KEY TO INDEPENDENCE

About the Community Transportation Program

Thousands of Cumberland County residents travel in their own vehicles to various destinations across the city and county. They rely on their own independence to get to work, the doctor's office or even the grocery store. Have you ever stopped and asked yourself what would happen if you could not drive yourself? There are residents in Cumberland County who try to manage daily with the reality of not having any means of transportation. To assist with these transportation challenges, the State of North Carolina has enacted the Rural Operating Assistance Program Grant (ROAP). It consists of 3 main funding parts; EDTAP, EMPL and RGP.

Our Mission

The mission of the Cumberland County Community Transportation Program is to provide safe, dependable, accessible, and affordable transportation to all residents of Cumberland County.

The Vision of CTP is demonstrating a 'key to independence' for the citizens by providing safe, reliable, and improved services while developing into a regional service provider.

Cumberland County Community Transportation Program

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TDD/TTY: 800-735-2962 or 711

Hours of Service

Monday through Friday
5 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Trips are free or the low cost
of \$2.50 per trip

Information is available in alternate formats
upon request.

WWW.CumberlandCountyNC.gov/CTP



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CTP does not discriminate on basis of race, sex, age, national origin, religion or disability in its employment opportunities, program, services, or activities.

Elderly and Disabled Transportation Program (EDTAP)

EDTAP provides operating assistance funds for the transportation of the state's elderly and disabled citizens. This transportation assistance allows for the individual to reside for longer periods in their homes, thereby enhancing their quality of life.

Eligibility Requirements

For EDTAP purposes, an elderly person is defined as one who is aged 60 or more years. A disabled person is defined as one who has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits one or more major life activities, an individual who has a record of such impairment, or an individual who is regarded as having such impairment. EDTAP services are not intended to supplant other services an individual is qualified for. These funds are intended for those individuals who do not qualify for transportation assistance under any other program. Medicaid and ADA clients are not eligible for EDTAP services.

Transportation Advisory Board

The Transportation Advisory Board (TAB) is the support organization for the Community Transportation Program. The purpose of the TAB is to provide technical advice and assistance in carrying out the goals of the program. Members of the TAB are appointed by the Cumberland County Board of Commissioners for a two-year term. Meetings are held regularly and are open to the public.

Community Transportation Program Agency

The Community Transportation Program Agency offers transportation assistance for eligible clients with the EDTAP program and the Mid-Carolina Area Agency on Aging Program. It, like any other EDTAP agency, has specific policies and procedures. The focus of transportation trips scheduled with the Community Transportation Program Agency are medical appointments. Funding constraints may alter the frequency of allowable trips.

Other CTP Programs

The **Work First Program** of DSS receives a portion of the ROAP Grant annually. The intent of this program is to provide assistance for transitional Work First and general public employment transportation needs of individuals that are not eligible to receive benefits from the TANF program.

Rural General Public (RGP) funding also receives a portion of the ROAP Grant annually. RGP funds are intended to provide transportation services to the general public who do not qualify for transportation assistance under any other program.

The **Mid Carolina (AAA) Nutrition & Medical Grant** allows for transportation for seniors 60+ to doctors' appointments and to the certified senior centers to participate in the congregate nutrition program.

Resources for Citizens, Seniors, and Veterans

DSS Medicaid Transportation 677-2526
ADA Transportation 433-1232
Council on Older Adults (CCCOOA) 484-0111
Mid Carolina Regional Council 323-4191
Veterans Administration (VTS) 488-2120

Senior Agencies

Bethel Adult Day Health Care Center
484-8727
Cape Fear Adult Day Health Care Center
323-4424
Vision Resource Center
483-2719
Employment Source, Inc.
826-4699
Fayetteville Senior Center
433-1574
Independent Living - Vocational Rehab
486-1717
North Carolina Indian Housing Authority
483-9562
Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
484-0111

