

# TRANSPORTATION IN INDIANA COUNTY

## GENERAL

- ❖ **COMMUTEINFO**, 1-888-819-6110 or at [www.commuteinfo.org](http://www.commuteinfo.org), a non-profit program of the Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission. CommuteInfo operates the region's carpool and vanpool program. The program goal is for commuters in the 10-county SPC region to choose ridesharing, instead of driving alone, at least twice a week. To support the carpool and vanpool program CommuteInfo also offers ride-matching services, an emergency ride home service, and provides information for commuters and employers about the benefits of ridesharing and how the program works.
- ❖ **INDIGO / INDIANA COUNTY TRANSIT AUTHORITY**, (724) 465-2140 or (800) 442-6928, provides transportation services within the county. All vehicles are handicap accessible. Call or visit [www.indiGobus.com](http://www.indiGobus.com) for public bus schedules, costs or for information on the Van-GO shared-ride service.
- ❖ **BUS DEPOT**, (724) 463-0213, University Square 1, Suite 2040, 1176 Grant St., Indiana, has daily bus transportation to Pittsburgh and other areas in the state. Call for fare and schedule information.
- ❖ **STEWART BUS / TRANSPORTATION SERVICE**, (724) 726-5730, Airport transportation provided. Call for costs.
- ❖ **TURBO TAXI**, (724) 465-8294, provides service throughout Indiana County and surrounding areas. Open 365 days per year. Advance pickups available. Call for costs and details.
- ❖ **RED AND WHITE TAXI**: 724-463-0270, Available for Pittsburgh, Johnstown and Latrobe airport rides or Indiana area. Call and leave a message with ride and time, and wait for confirmation. Call for availability and costs.



## SPECIAL NEEDS TRANSPORTATION

*The following services require an intake and determination of eligibility before services can be provided.*

- ❖ **AGING SERVICES, INC.**, (724) 349-4500 or (800) 442-8016, provides and/or arranges transportation for individuals 60 years of age and older to social centers, medical appointments, grocery shopping and other essential business with prior approval. A small fare is charged dependent on destination.
- ❖ **AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY**, (800) 227-2345, The Road to Recovery Program provides rides to cancer patients going to and from their treatment. Volunteer drivers donate their time and the use of their cars so that patients can receive the life-saving treatments they need. Patients must call in advance to register and to make travel arrangements.
- ❖ **CITIZENS' TRANSPORT SERVICE**, (724) 349-5527 or 1-877-349-5529, provides wheelchair vans and ambulatory rides for non-emergency, medical appointments (no stretchers). Members receive discounts on trips. 24 hour service; Office hours: M-F, 7:00 am-9:00 pm at number (s) above; After hours call (724) 464-5454 or 877-812-9057.
- ❖ **CLARION PSYCHIATRIC CENTER**, (800) 253-4906, will provide transportation, when other means are not available, for persons of all ages who have been approved for a direct admission to their hospital. Transportation is also available for the parents of children and adolescents for the purpose of admission, and transport home is provided for patients upon discharge if needed.
- ❖ **COMMUNITY CARE MANAGEMENT**, (814) 534-6732 or 1-866-429-1583, provides mileage reimbursement for medical and social service appointments for people living with HIV/AIDS and meet the qualifications. Their service area is Indiana, Cambria, Somerset, and Westmoreland Counties.



- ❖ **INDIANA COUNTY ASSISTANCE OFFICE**, (724) 357-2900 or (800) 742-0679, may provide reimbursement of: medical transportation costs to individuals receiving medical assistance, transportation costs to individuals receiving cash or food stamps for specific job search activities. Reimbursements require prior approval.



- ❖ **INDIANA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES -MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM**, (724) 463-3235, ext. 5; or toll-free at (888) 526-6060, provides mileage reimbursement, bus tickets, or arranges transportation for individuals receiving medical assistance going to medical assistance providers.

❖ **INDIGO / PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAM**, (724) 465-2140 or (800) 442-6928, provides transportation for those between the ages of 18 to 64, live in Indiana County, and have a disability defined by the Americans with Disability Act. The PwD Program helps people get to appointments, shopping, jobs, and recreational activities. For more information, costs, and an application, call IndiGO or visit [www.indiGObus.com](http://www.indiGObus.com)

❖ **INDIANA COUNTY VETERANS OFFICE**, (724) 465-3815, will transport veterans to Pittsburgh, Butler, Altoona, DuBois, or Johnstown VA Medical Centers. There is no cost, but they require at least 7 to 10 days advance notice of the appointment. They will pick the veteran up at home if he/she does not drive. A caregiver is allowed to ride with the veteran if they are not able to go alone

❖ **EXCELA HEALTH LATROBE HOSPITAL CARE-A-VAN**, 1-877-771-1234, provides van service to patients who have no way to get to the hospital or its outlying facilities for testing or other scheduled procedures. Call for information. Individuals must reside within 15 miles of the hospital or near one of the satellite offices (Blairsville/Saltsburg). Transportation may also be provided from the satellite offices to the hospital (must provide own transportation to the satellite offices).

❖ **THE LEUKEMIA AND LYMPHOMA SOCIETY**, (800) 726-2873, provides a limited amount of financial assistance to help patients with significant financial need who are under a doctor's care for a confirmed blood cancer diagnosis. Reimbursement is processed through the local chapter and payments are issued directly to clients.

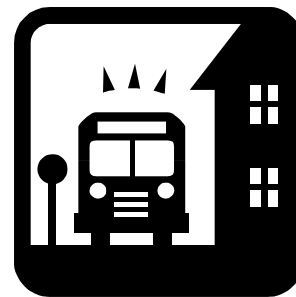


❖ **MED-VAN**, (814) 948-6170 or (888) 633-9995, or [www.med-van.com](http://www.med-van.com) provides wheelchair/stretchers and automobile transportation to medical or non-emergency appointments across the state. Call for fees, some may be insurance billable. Intakes can be completed over the telephone. Services are available 24 hours per day, 7 days a week.

❖ **NATIONAL KIDNEY FOUNDATION SERVING THE ALLEGHENIES**, (412) 261-4115 or (800) 261-4115, Pennsylvania residents who meet eligibility requirements are reimbursed for a portion of the transportation costs associated with traveling to and from dialysis treatment three times a week. This program is run in collaboration with, and within the guidelines of, the Pennsylvania State Renal Program.

❖ **OFFICE OF VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION**, (800) 762-4223, can assist eligible Indiana County clients with transportation costs in cases where hardship is established.

❖ **SHRINER'S HOSPITAL FOR CHILDREN**, (800) 873-5437 or (814) 875-8700, assists in arranging transportation to the nearest Shriner's Hospital for children ages birth to 18 with orthopedic and/or chronic needs. Transportation is free, to those who qualify, via vans. Arrangements must be made in advance.



## TRANSPORTATION FOR INDIANA COUNTY RESIDENTS



**Indiana County Department  
of Human Services & Volunteer  
Center**  
**300 Indian Springs Road  
Suite 203  
Indiana, PA 15701  
724-463-8200  
TDD: 724-465-3805  
[www.humanservices-  
countyofindiana.org](http://www.humanservices-countyofindiana.org)**

**For information on other services  
available to Indiana County  
residents, please call the  
Information Specialist  
at 724-349-0500, ext. 3  
or**

**e-mail: [info32@comcast.net](mailto:info32@comcast.net)**

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