CUYAHOGA COUNTY BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COMMUNITY RESOURCE & TRANSPORTATION GUIDE



Go to http://www.cuyahogabdd.org/en-US/Your-Community.aspx to see an interactive listing. Many activities are free or very low-cost.

...and ways to get there



Spending time in the community has many benefits.

- Meet new people
- Learn new skills
- Experience activities with others
- Exercise- walk, bike, swim & more
- See different places
- Try new things
- Enjoy fresh air and being outsideImprove your health and well-being
- Travel training can help you explore the community.

CCBDD Travel coordinators can help you learn to ride a bus or rapid, use a ride-sharing service (like Uber or Lyft), ride your bike or simply walk to places of interest in your community. They can also teach you safety tips, how to identify street signs and how to interact with people you meet in the community. For more information, call (216) 736-2953.

Community resources are available.

Almost all local cities and townships have free or low-cost resources available to help you explore and be active in your community.

These can include: • transportation

- parks
- recreation centers
- senior centers
- libraries
- nters concerts

Contact your city/township to learn what they provide.

Things places in the community do to make people with disabilities feel welcome and included:

- Staff are friendly and respectful.
- Staff interact directly with the person.
- Staff have the knowledge to adapt to special needs and circumstances.
- Staff have access to other professionals who can assist with special needs and circumstances.
- Staff offer choices.
- The physical space/environment is accessible.
- The organization/business has adequate equipment or materials that support inclusion.
- The organization/business hires people with disabilities.
- There are opportunities to meet new people and develop friendships.



Tips for parents of young children

- Be creative, don't be afraid to go out and try something new.
- Take baby steps. The ultimate destination doesn't have to happen the first trip. Maybe getting in the car is the first hurdle. Tackle things one at a time.
- Research before you go. Learn what they offer or don't offer so you can be prepared.
- Ask your therapist (EI staff) to come along. We can help make things easier and provide strategies for success.

For ideas, go to www.Cuyahogakids.org.



Ways to get around town

Your City or Township

Many cities and townships in Cuyahoga County offer transportation services for people with disabilities, including wheelchair accessible vehicles. The charts in this guide contain specific information on a number to call for each city or township, hours of operation for transportation services, and the cost.

Unless indicated on a chart under "Special Info," please keep in mind the following:

- Transportation is available Monday through Friday during regular business hours- no weekends or holidays.
- Costs vary. In most cases, a personal care assistant is permitted at no additional cost.
- Call in advance of when you would like to use the transportation service. There may be pre-set destinations on certain days.

Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority (RTA)

All RTA buses, trains, trolleys and HealthLine vehicles are ADA-compliant. Major rail stations and passenger facilities are either ADA-compliant or are on a schedule for upgrades. For more information, visit *www.riderta.com*. RTA Paratransit service is provided to persons who, because of their disabilities, are unable to independently travel on the public transit system. In order to ride these specially-equipped Paratransit vehicles you must fill out an application which includes a medical section for your doctor to complete. For more information or to access the application, call (216) 566-5124 or visit *www.riderta.com/paratransit/certification*.

Senior Transportation Connection (STC)

Senior Transportation Connection (STC) is available in Cuyahoga County for residents age 60 or older, or adult residents with disabilities of any age. Many cities use the Senior Transportation Connection for their daily transportation services.

STC Plus offers seniors and people with disabilities who live in Cuyahoga County accessible transportation on evenings and weekends to social, recreation or worship destinations. Call (216) 265-1489 or visit www.ridestc.org, to learn more.

Cleveland (216) 265-1489 (STC)	Monday- Friday, 8:30am - 4:30pm		\$1 or \$2 Round trip
EAST SUBURBS	Hours M-F	Cost	Special Info
Beachwood	8:30am - 4:30pm	Free	
(216) 595-5483			
Bedford	8:15 - 11:45am	^{\$} 2 RT	Medical release
(440) 735-6570	1:15 - 4:30pm		required.
Bentleyville Village	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance)	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Chagrin Falls Township	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Chagrin Falls Village	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Cleveland Heights	8:45am - 4:10pm	^{\$} 2 RT NMT, ^{\$} 5 MT	Must be age 60+
(216) 691-7377			
Cuyahoga Hts. Village	9am - 4pm	Free to Residents	
(216) 641-3505		^{\$} 5 RT non residents	
Euclid	8:30am - 5pm	^{\$} 1 RT NMT in city	Must be age 60+
(216) 289-2985	9am - 3pm	\$6 RT MT in city/\$10 out	
Garfield Heights	8:30am - 4pm	\$3 RT	
(216) 475-3244			

We recommend that you call your city's transportation phone number for information specific to your needs. In some cases, regardless of age, you will use the city's senior transportation service.

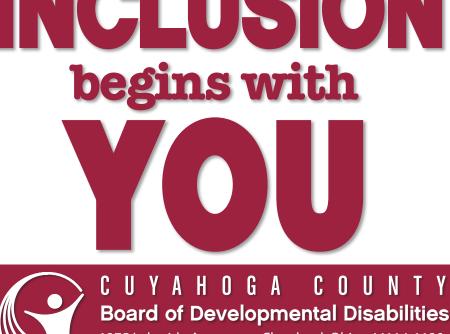
EAST SUBURBS	Hours M-F	Cost	Special Info
Glenwillow	9am - 4pm	Free	Available MLK Day &
(440) 349-6363			President's Day
Highland Heights	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)	·		
Highland Hills	8am - 4:30pm	\$2 RT	
(216) 346-6215			
Hunting Valley Village	8:30am - 4:30pm	Donation ^{\$} 3 one-way, ^{\$} 6 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Lyndhurst	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Maple Heights	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 5 one way, ^{\$} 10 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)	·		
Mayfield Heights	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$1 -\$5} based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Mayfield Village	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Moreland Hills Village	8:30am - 4pm	Donation \$3 one-way/\$6 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Oakwood Village	9am - 2pm	Free in village, \$1 RT outside	
(440) 232-9988	RT 3-4pm (no Wed.)		
Orange Village	8:30am - 4pm	Donation \$3 one way/\$6 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Pepper Pike	8:30am - 4pm	Donation \$3 one way/\$6 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Richmond Heights	8:30am - 3:30pm	^{\$} 5 one way/ ^{\$} 10 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Shaker Heights	8:30am - 4pm	\$1 one way/\$2 RT in city	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)		^{\$} 5 one way/ ^{\$} 10 outside	
Solon	9am - 4pm	Free	Available MLK Day
(440) 349-6363			& President's Day
South Euclid	8:30am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 5 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
University Heights	8:30am - 4pm	^{\$} 4 RT in city	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)		^{\$} 8 RT outside city	
Walton Hills Village	M-Th, 8am - 3:30pm	^{\$} 3 - ^{\$} 34 based on distance	No Fridays
(440) 786-2964			
Woodmere Village	8:30am - 4pm	Donation \$3 one way/\$6 RT	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Codes	RT = Round trip STC = Senior Transportation Connection	NMT = Non-Medical Transport MT = Medical Transport	

Disclaimer: The information used to create this guide was collected and verified in August 2018. Future changes in this information may occur. Please contact your city or township directly if you desire any updated information. Thank you.

WEST SUBURBS	Hours M-F	Cost	Special Notes
Bay Village	8am - 4pm	Donations ^{\$} 1 RT in city	
(440) 899-3410		^{\$} 2 each way outside of city	
Berea	8:15am - 4pm	\$1 -\$3	
(440) 826-4891			
Brecksville	8am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 (based on distance)	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Broadview Heights	8:30am - 4:30pm	Free	
(440) 526-4685			
Brook Park (See Berea)	8:15am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3	
(440) 826-4891			
Brooklyn	8:30am - 3pm	^{\$} 1 donation	
(216) 635-4262			
Brooklyn Hts. Village	8:30am - 1:30pm	Free in village	
(216) 749-5367		\$ Outside based on distance	
Fairview Park	8:30am - 1:30pm	\$1.50 -\$5	Available MLK Day
(440) 356-4436			& Presidents Day
Independence	7:30am - 3pm MT	^{\$} 2 RT city/ ^{\$} 6 RT outside city	
(216) 524-7373	7:30am -2:30pm NMT	Free medical transp.	
Lakewood	8:15am - 4:30pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 donation	
(216) 521-1515	•		
Middleburg Heights	8am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
North Olmsted	8am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)	•		
North Royalton	8am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Olmsted Falls	8am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)	·		
Olmsted Township	8am - 4pm	^{\$} 1 - ^{\$} 3 based on distance	
(216) 265-1489 (STC)			
Parma	8am - 3pm	\$5 RT suggested donation	Must be age 60+
(440) 885-8156		\$12 RT specific medical offices	
Parma Heights	7:30am - 2:30pm	Free (donations accepted)	Medical release
(440) 888-4416		Limited area	required.
Rocky River	9am - 4pm	Free (donations accepted)	
(440) 333-6665			
Strongsville	8:15am - 4pm	\$1 - \$3	
(440) 826-4891			
Westlake	8:30am - 4pm	\$2 RT	
(440) 899-3544			
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Five way	s to promote inclusion	Dhy

BE INSPIRED Invite one of our Good Life Ambassadors (advocates) to speak at your agency, business or event.	Let's create an inclusive community, together. Schedule a Good Life Ambassador presentation by calling (216) 736-2924.
BE INCLUSIVE Support ways people with disabilities can fully participate in all aspects of community life.	2 Arrange a free training on inclusive practices or sensory-friendly experiences by calling (216) 736-2722.
HIRE someone with a developmental disability and enhance workforce diversity. People with disabilities can work and want to work.	Meet your hiring needs by contacting the Employment Collaborative of Cuyahoga County at (216) 931-7458.
VOLUNTEER with us. Share your time, interests and friendship. Become a community friend.	4 Learn more about volunteer opportunities by calling (216) 736-2722.
CONNECT We're here to support and empower people with developmental disabilities.	If you or someone you know is in need of our support, contact us at (216) 241-8230.
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Join us as we all work together to create a more inclusive Cuyahoga County. #InclusionCLE