



Common Application Prep Sheet

TripLink offers a Common Application for nonprofit transportation services in southeastern NH on behalf of COAST, Community Action Partnership of Strafford County, Community Rides, Meals on Wheels of Rockingham County, Ready Rides, and TASC Rides. The Common Application can be submitted online or by phone. Paper and fax applications ARE NOT accepted.

To learn more about these services and their eligibility requirements before applying, visit <https://CommunityRides.org> or call us at 603-834-6010.

This Common Application Prep Sheet is only informational and is meant to help you prepare to complete the application. We look forward to hearing from you.

TripLink

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SERVICES

- COAST ADA Paratransit
- COAST Portsmouth Senior Transportation
- COAST Newmarket-Exeter Connector
- Community Action Partnership of Strafford County Senior Transportation Program
- Community Rides
- Meals on Wheels of Rockingham County Senior Shuttle
- Ready Rides
- TASC Rides

CONTACT INFORMATION

- Name and Date of Birth
- Home Address and Mailing Address
- Email Address
- Primary Phone Number and Alternate Phone Number
- Trip Reminder Preference: Call or Text
- Emergency Contact and their contact information

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

- Gender
- Ethnicity
- Race
- Veteran Status

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Mobility Devices, including the size of wheelchair or scooter
 - Combined weight of rider and wheelchair/scooter
- Do you need a lift or ramp to board a vehicle?
- Medical Conditions
- Personal Care Assistants (PCA's) and Mobility
- Information about accessing your driveway or finding your home

SERVICE-SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

These questions will be asked only if you are applying for these specific services.

COAST ADA Paratransit

- List the conditions that prevent you from using COAST's fixed-route bus system (the "city bus")
- A number of questions about your ability to use the fixed-route bus system, use sidewalks, and wait at bus stops
- Everyone applying for ADA Paratransit will also need to submit an ADA Paratransit Evaluation of Functional Ability completed by a licensed professional.

COAST Portsmouth Senior Transportation

- If you are applying online, you will be able to upload a copy of your documentation. If applying by phone, you will need to mail, fax, or email a copy of your documentation.
- No documentation is required if you qualify based on your age.

- Basis for eligibility (**only 1 is needed**)
 - At least 62 years old (no proof required)
 - Veterans Affairs - 70% Disability (copy of letter from VA)
 - Medicare Recipient (copy of letter or Medicare card)
 - Social Security Administration – Disability Determination (copy of letter)
 - Severe Mental Illness (SMI) or Severe and Persistent Mental Illness (SPMI) (copy of letter from Qualified Mental Health Center)
 - I have a different qualifying disability and will submit the TripLink Disability Documentation Form completed by a licensed professional

Community Action Partnership of Strafford County Senior Transportation

- Health Insurance, Employment Status, and Education Level

Community Rides

- If you are applying online, you will be able to upload a copy of your documentation. If applying by phone, you will need to mail, fax, or email a copy of your documentation.
- No documentation is required if you qualify based on your age.
- Basis for eligibility (**only 1 is needed**)
 - At least 60 years old (no proof needed)
 - Veterans Affairs - 70% Disability (copy of letter from VA)
 - Medicare Recipient (copy of letter or Medicare card)
 - Social Security Administration – Disability Determination (copy of letter)
 - Severe Mental Illness (SMI) or Severe and Persistent Mental Illness (SPMI) (copy of letter from Qualified Mental Health Center)
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Meals on Wheels of Rockingham County Senior Shuttle

- Why do you require this service?
- Income

Ready Rides

- Ability to get in and out of cars, trucks, and SUV's

TASC Rides

- Ability to get in and out of cars, trucks, and SUV's