WHERE DO I APPLY?

For transportation by private automobile, bus, cab, train or plane, you must apply at the Essex County Division of Welfare at:

50 South Clinton Street East Orange, New Jersey 07018 (973) 395-8367

Transportation out-of-state and extraordinary or expensive transportation arrangements will require prior approval of the Medicaid District Office at:

153 Halsey Street Newark, New Jersey (973) 648-2470

Approved ambulance, livery and invalid coach vendors may apply directly to the Medicaid District Office for payment



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HOW TO APPLY FOR MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

What are Medical Transportation Services?

Medical Transportation Services is a program which provides for payment of reasonable and appropriate transportation costs for Medicaid recipients to obtain legitimate and required medical services covered by Medicaid.

Recipients of the following Medicaid Programs may be eligible for this service:

Temporary Assistance To Needy Families Medicaid Only Medicaid Special Medically Needy Model Waiver New Jersey Care Supplemental Security Income Traumatic Brain Injury

HOW MUCH INCOME AND RESOURCES CAN I HAVE AND STILL BE ELIGIBLE?

Your total gross monthly income and the total value of all of your resources, such as cash on hand and money in the bank, must be less than the maximum amounts allowed by the benefit program you are eligible for (see list above).

WHAT DO I NEED TO APPLY FOR MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES?

When applying for Medical Transportation Services, you will be asked to provide documents concerning your situation. If you have any of the documents listed below, please bring them with you when you come to the office. If you do not have them the worker will help you obtain the ones you need.

Proof that you are in need of legitimate and required medical services covered by Medicaid.

Proof of reasonable and appropriate transportation costs to obtain these services.

WHAT ARE MY RESPONSIBILITIES?

To help the WFNJ agency obtain information needed to determine your eligibility and amount of benefits.

To notify the WFNJ agency when you or any family member moves, gets a job or experiences any change in income, resources or circumstances.

NOT MEETING ANY OF THESE RESPONSIBILITIES COULD MEAN THAT YOUR MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES BENEFITS WILL BE DENIED, REDUCED OR STOPPED.