Transportation Services for Seniors and Citizens with Disabilities

The Transit Authority of River City (TARC) has transportation options for seniors and citizens with disabilities. Citizens with disabilities are eligible to ride TARC’s regular fixed-route service at a discount, with a TARC photo ID card. A TARC photo ID will allow you to purchase TARC tickets in strips of ten for $8.00 or 80¢ cash fare.

Procedure for Obtaining a TARC Photo ID Card

1. TARC photo ID cards are 50¢ and can be purchased at the following locations:
   Union Station, 1000 W. Broadway, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m. - noon
   The Nia Center, 2900 W. Broadway, 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday - Friday

2. Bring photo ID and proof of age, or Medicare card as verification of qualification.

3. If you do not have a Medicare card, the attached application must be completed by a licensed physician and returned to TARC.

4. You must bring application in person to obtain a photo ID.

5. A TARC Photo ID, good for three years, will be issued to qualified persons and will serve as proof of eligibility for discount fares on all TARC routes.

Applicant’s Information (Please Print)

Name: ___________________________ Last First MI ___________________________ Date of Birth: ____________

Date of Birth: MM/DD/YY

Street Address: ___________________________

City, State, Zip: ___________________________

Applicant’s signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________
PHYSICIAN CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANT (PLEASE PRINT)

The following information is needed to qualify applicant for reduced fares on public transportation. Eligibility is based on the definition of disability from the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1972.

1. In your professional judgment, how long is this applicant’s disability expected to last?

2. Is this applicant physically and/or mentally able to use TARC’s regular bus service?

3. Disability code(s), listed below:

4. I hereby certify that __________________________________________________________________________________________
meets the criteria for qualification of TARC’s reduced fare program for seniors and citizens with disabilities.

Disability Codes:

2. Mobility Aid(s) 19. HIV/AIDS 41. Mild Mental Retardation (MMR)
3. Arthritis 20. Diabetes 42. Parkinson’s Disease
5. Cerebrovascular Accident 22. Thyroid Disorder 44. Bone Disease
14. Epilepsy - Convulsive Disorder 31. Multiple Sclerosis 53. Fibromyalgia
17. Mental Disorder(s) 34. Asthma 56. Herniated Disk
20. Diabetes 38. Chronic Fatigue Syndrome
21. High Blood Pressure
22. Thyroid Disorder
23. Cancer
24. Spinal Cord Injury
25. Non-specific
26. Multiple Sclerosis
27. Hepatitis
28. Cirrhosis
29. Asthma
30. Cancer
31. Multiple Sclerosis
32. Hepatitis
33. Cirrhosis
34. Asthma
35. Obesity
36. Alzheimer’s
37. Osteoporosis
38. Learning Disability
39. Chronic Fatigue Syndrome
40. Narcolepsy
41. Mild Mental Retardation (MMR)
42. Parkinson’s Disease
43. Blood Disorder
44. Bone Disease
45. Partial Paralysis
46. Carpal Tunnel Syndrome
47. Migraines
48. Chronic Venous Stasis
49. Sickle Cell Disease
50. Stroke
51. Scoliosis
52. Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy
53. Fibromyalgia
54. Kidney Disease
55. Plantar Fasciitis
56. Herniated Disk

I certify that the above information is true and correct.

Physician signature ___________________________________________ Date ___________________________