

Do you qualify?

65 or older = Yes, Forest County residents qualify under this program for all your needs, medical, shopping, senior centers, banking, etc. If you need to have an assistant go with you that will not be a problem. Please let us know when booking your appointment that someone will be going with you.

Medical Assistance = Yes, Forest County residents who have the Access Card and do not have a registered vehicle within the household. We can transport small children with an adult to accompany them. This program is for medical appointments only.

Person with Disabilities = Yes, Forest County residents with disabilities may ride with us for a small co-payment. Under this program, you must have your doctor verify your disability. Under this program we will transport you for all your needs. Co-pay fees are based on one way.

Do you have a caregiver or cannot travel alone? Don't worry we transport caregivers with our senior citizens and persons with disabilities. Call our office today and ask about eligibility.

Scheduling Procedures

You may call to schedule your appointments as soon as you know about them and you may call us until 2:00 pm the day before your appointment (e.g. Monday appointments must be scheduled by 2:00 pm the prior Friday). We are not permitted by Penn Dot to provide same day services. However, Medical Assistance (MATP) clients are eligible for same day service under our urgent care policy.

How much will I be charged?

All fees are based on one-way trips.

Medical Assistance (MATP) This program is for medical appointments only and all trips are free to the client.

Veterans under 65+ are covered by the Veteran's Fund.

Senior Citizens (65+) are free up to 35 miles, anything over 35 miles there will be co-pay. (Forest County Commission on Aging pays co-pays for trips under 36 miles.)

36-50.99 Miles co-pay is \$4.00

51-100+ Miles co-pay is \$4.50

One way trips

Person with Disability (PWD)

0-1.99 Miles fee is \$1.30

2-5.99 Miles fee is \$2.05

6-10.99 Miles fee is \$2.90

11-20.99 Miles fee is \$4.75

21-35.99 Miles fee is \$6.55

36-50.99 Miles fee \$8.00

51-75.99 Miles fee is \$9.00

76-99.99 Miles fee is \$12.00

100+ Miles fee is \$13.05

General Public

0-1.99 Miles fee is \$8.40

2-5.99 Miles fee is \$13.65

6-10.99 Miles fee is \$19.20

11-20.99 Miles fee is \$31.65

21-35.99 Miles fee is \$43.65

36-50.99 Miles fee is \$53.25

51-75.99 Miles fee is \$60.00

76-99.99 Miles fee is \$79.80

100+ Miles fee is \$87.00

Cancellations / Changes

Please call as soon as you know you're not able to go or there are changes to your appointment, not later than the day before your appointment. If you have 3 no shows or cancel at the door within a month's time, we will not transport you for 30 days.

Benefits of riding with FCT

With the cost of gas prices, the wear and tear on your car, allow us to transport you to your destination. We will take you to your doctor's appointments, even those on going appointments like dialysis or therapy. You can even join us on one of our shopping trips. They can include stops at Walmart, Dollar General, Sharp Shopper, Aldi and Goodwill. We also stop for lunch. Call us today to find out when our next shopping trip is scheduled.

Operating hours

Monday – Friday 5:00 am to 5:00 pm

We do not transport for any reason on Christmas or Thanksgiving.

Our office will be closed for Christmas, Thanksgiving, New Year's Day, Labor Day, Memorial Day and 4th of July.

(814) 927-8266

1-800-222-1706

Office hours

7:30 am to 4:00 pm

Monday - Friday

P.O. Box 452

Marienville, PA 16239

jbest@catabus.org

We participate in the Driver Check Program.
All of our vans have an 800 number on them
that anyone can call if they have a comment or
concern about how we are driving.

We take pride in our program and would like
to safely transport you to your destination.

Our service area includes the
following counties:

**Forest, Clarion, Jefferson,
Venango, Clearfield,
Allegheny, Warren, Erie,
Butler, Mercer, Elk,
Crawford, Armstrong,
Lawrence, Beaver and
McKean Counties.**

Appointments for **Allegheny, Armstrong,
Beaver, Lawrence, Butler and Erie
Counties** must be made before 4:00pm.
Rider must notify FCT at least 2 business
days before the trip.



Forest County Transportation (FCT) is operated
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(CATA) and funded in part by the
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FOREST COUNTY TRANSPORTATION (Operated by CATA)

**Programs and
Services Available to
Forest County
Residents**

**We get you where you
need to go.**



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