

SENIOR TRANSPORTATION NEEDS ASSESSMENT

Name:

City/Town:

Email Address:

Phone Number:

- 1. Are you currently able to drive?
 - ____Yes
 - ____No
- 2. If you drive, to which of the following local destinations do you drive?
 - _____Shopping, grocery store, bank
 - _____Medical/dental appointments
 - _____Social outing (friend or relative's home, restaurant, golf, etc.)
 - _____Religious services
 - _____School
 - _____Work
 - _____I don't drive to any destinations
- 3. Are there any circumstances under which you would prefer not drive (check all that apply)?
 - _____At nighttime
 - _____To a destination more than 3 miles away
 - _____To a medical appointment when I am not feeling well
 - ____On high-speed highways or freeways
 - _____To an area of town that I don't not know very well
 - _____I do not drive to any destinations
- 4. During the past 3 months, were you unable to travel to any of the following destinations because you did not have access to transportation (either your own car or a ride)?
 - _____Shopping, grocery store, bank
 - _____Medical/Dental appointments
 - _____Social outings (friend or relative's home, restaurant, golf, etc.)
 - _____Religious services
 - _____School
 - ____Work

- 5. During the past 3 months, which of the following factors prevented you from taking trips outside your home (check all that apply)?
 - _____Not comfortable driving/cannot drive
 - _____Do not have a reliable vehicle
 - _____Cannot afford gas, parking or insurance
 - _____Cannot afford taxi/private transportation
 - _____Do not have someone to drive me
 - _____Do not have bus services in my area
 - _____Cannot afford to take the bus
 - _____Not familiar with transportation options in my area
 - _____Do not feel safe when traveling outside my home
 - _____Do not know who to call for help
 - _____Other: _____
- 6. Over the past 3 months, how much did you rely on others for transportation?
 - ____For all of my trips
 - _____For about 75% of my trips
 - _____For about 50% of my trips
 - _____For about 25% of my trips
 - _____For none of my trips
- 7. If you depend on others for any of your trips, who do you depend on?
 - _____Spouse
 - _____Children/other relatives
 - _____Friends/Neighbors
 - _____Private services, such as taxis
 - _____Public services (bus systems, Medicaid-paid transportation)
 - _____Volunteers (from churches or non-profit organizations)
 - ____Other (Please specify):
- 8. Which of the following statements about your *local public transportation system* are true for you (check all that apply)?
 - _____I do not know if we have a public transportation system
 - _____I do not use public transportation services because:
 - _____they do not feel safe
 - _____I cannot afford to pay for them
 - _____service is not offered to destinations I want to visit
 - _____they do not operate at times when I need to travel
 - _____I do not have enough information about times, routes, etc. to use them
 - _____it takes too long to get to destinations
 - _____service is not reliable
 - _____I do not wish to

_I do not use the public transportation system because:

_____I cannot walk to the closest bus stop

- _____Service is not provided near where I live
- _____The service cannot accommodate my wheelchair
- _____The service cannot accommodate my other needs (Please specify):
- 9. If you have *door-to-door bus services* available in your community, please indicate which of the following statements are true for you (check all that apply):
 - _____I am not eligible to use these services
 - _____I am not familiar with how to use these services
 - _____These service do not feel safe
 - _____these services are too expensive
 - _____These services are not provided where I live
 - _____I have to schedule these services too far in advance to be useful
 - _____these services often are full when I call for a ride
 - _____It takes too long to get to destinations on these services
- 10. If you have taxi or private services available in your community, please indicate which of the following statements are true for you (check all that apply):
 - _____I am not familiar with who provides these services
 - _____These services do not feel safe
 - _____These services are too expensive
 - _____These services are not provided where I live
 - _____These services do not operate at times when I need to travel
 - _____I cannot use these services for health reasons (example: I am physically unable).
 - _____These services are not reliable
- 11. Over the next 1-3 years, to which of these destinations do you anticipate needing transportation because you will be unable to drive there?
 - _____Shopping, grocery store, bank
 - _____Medical/dental appointments
 - _____Social outings (friend or relative's home, restaurant, golf, etc.)
 - _____Religious services
 - _____School
 - _____Work
- 12. How old are you?
 - _____18-25
 - _____26-35
 - _____36-45
 - _____46-55
 - _____56-65
 - _____65+

- 13. What is the primary language spoken in your household?
 - _____English
 - _____Spanish
 - _____Other (Please specify):
- 14. What is your home zip code? ______