

About Dial-A-Bus



Dial-A-Bus is wheelchair accessible, curb-to-curb transportation for Benton County:

- ★ Senior citizens 60 years of age and over
- ★ People of all ages with disabilities who are unable to access fixed-route bus service

Fixed Route Bus Option

Corvallis Transit System (CTS) and Philomath Connection buses are wheelchair accessible. CTS buses have a feature that lowers the front entrance step height. To learn how to use the bus, call CTS at 541-766-6916.

Requesting a Ride

Rides are provided first-come, first-served, on a reservation, shared-ride basis. You may request a ride 1-7 days in advance. Call Monday-Friday for weekend rides. Same-day medical transportation service will be provided on a space-available basis.

Have all of your ride information ready before calling Dial-A-Bus. **Exact addresses** and **appointment times** are needed to request a ride.

Schedule your return time if you know when you will be finished. If you are unsure of your return time, plan on calling the office when you are ready to return.

If you need **wheelchair accommodations** or will be accompanied by an **attendant** or **companion**, please notify us when reserving your ride.

A home visit is available to help you learn more about the program. We will help you set up your first appointment, answer any questions you may have about your ride, and make sure you are comfortable using our service to get around town.

Please note: Because of the limited capacity of the service, not all rides requested can be provided. Some non-standard sized mobility devices may not be accommodated.

Fares

- ★ Fares are based on one-way trips.
- ★ Clients are billed quarterly for rides

Fare Rate Table

From Zone	1	2	3	4
To 1	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00
2	\$2.00	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$4.00
3	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$3.00	\$4.00
4	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00

Service Zones

Zone 1 — Corvallis city limits

Zone 2 — Area surrounding Corvallis, including Lewisburg, Philomath, and Kiger Island Road

Zone 3 — Outlying Benton County area, including Adair Village, North Albany, and Wren

Zone 4 — Outlying Benton County area, including Alsea, Bellfountain, Blodgett, Kings Valley, Lobster Valley, Monroe, and Summit

Weather Closures

During inclement weather, listen to local radio stations.

Service Hours

Regular service hours are:

Monday through Friday

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Saturdays 8:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Sundays 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

ADA service hours within Corvallis city limits are available for ADA-certified riders.

Service hours are 6:25 a.m. - 7:25 p.m. Monday through Friday, and Saturdays from 7:15 a.m. - 6:45 p.m.

Office Hours

Monday through Friday

8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Holidays

Service is not available on:

New Years Day

Easter

Memorial Day

Independence Day

Labor Day

Thanksgiving Day

Christmas Day

Dial-A-Bus Etiquette

- ★ Be on time
- ★ No food, drinks, or smoking
- ★ Boisterous behavior is not permitted
- ★ To cancel a ride, please call at least two hours in advance
- ★ Wear seat belts

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to drive. Vehicles and insurance are provided for all drivers. For more information, contact the Dial-A-Bus Director at 541-753-5746.

For More Information

Call Dial-A-Bus
541-752-2615

(voice & local TDD/TTY calls)
TDD/TTY toll free
800-735-2900

Website addresses:
www.dialabus.peak.org
or
[www.co.benton.or.us/
pw/STFweb/](http://www.co.benton.or.us/pw/STFweb/)

Regarding **ADA eligibility**,
call 541-766-6916

OTHER NUMBERS TO CALL:

Corvallis Transit System
Philomath Connection
541-766-6998

Website for the 2 above services
www.ci.corvallis.or.us/pw/cts

Albany Call-A-Ride
541-917-7770

Albany Transit System
Linn-Benton Loop Transit
541-917-7667

Website for the 3 above services
www.ci.albany.or.us/

Linn Shuttle
541-367-4775

Sweet Home Dial-A-Bus
541-367-4775

Rideline
924-8738

Dial-A-Bus is operated by the Senior Citizens Council of Benton County, Inc. in cooperation with Benton County, the City of Corvallis, and the State of Oregon.



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