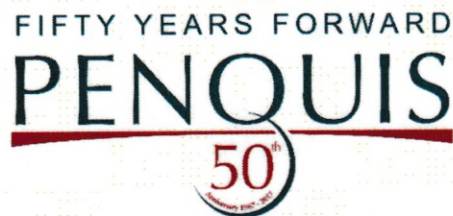


Lynx Mobility Services – Funding Rules for Trips



DHHS Low Income

- Income within 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines – application needed to qualify
- Within the bus route = 10 bus tickets
- Rides = two round trip rides every seven days for any purpose, depending on funding availability
- Lift rides available in Penobscot & Piscataquis counties Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – closed on holidays
- Volunteer and taxi rides are available anytime, depending on driver availability
- Available in all of Penobscot and Piscataquis counties.

DOT Low Income (MDOT 5311 Funding)

- If the customer qualifies for DHHS Low Income and lives in the rural areas in Penobscot County and all areas in Piscataquis County, they automatically qualify for DOT Low Income
- Income within 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines
- Lift rides available in Penobscot & Piscataquis counties Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – closed on holidays
- Volunteer and taxi rides are available anytime, depending on driver availability
- Rides = two round trip rides every seven days for any purpose

DOT Chronic Illness (MDOT 5311 Funding)

- Rural areas in Penobscot County and all areas in Piscataquis County
- Dialysis = 2 days, depending on funding availability
- Lift rides available in Penobscot & Piscataquis counties Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – closed on holidays
- Volunteer and taxi rides are available anytime, depending on driver availability
- Cancer = 2 days, depending on funding availability **only if we don't have any cancer funding**

Penobscot County Veterans (MDOT 5311 Funding)

- Rural areas in Penobscot County only
- Use only if they don't qualify for another program or if they are going outside of our service area
- Rides = two round trips every seven days for any purpose, depending on funding availability
- Lift rides available in Penobscot & Piscataquis counties Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – closed on holidays
- Volunteer and taxi rides are available anytime, depending on driver availability

New Freedom Grant (MDOT 5311 Funding)

- Rural areas in Penobscot County and all areas in Piscataquis County
- Need a disability to qualify
- Fare = \$2.50 per one-way trip
- Available Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – closed on holidays

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Urban New Freedom (MDOT 5310 Funding)

- All of Bangor, Brewer, Veazie and the urban areas in Hampden, Old Town, Orono *that are off the bus route*
- Need a disability to qualify
- Fare = \$2.50 per one-way trip
- Available Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – closed on holidays

General Public (MDOT 5311 Funding)

- Open to the general public
- Follow the GP schedule for rides and fares

Accessing Cancer Care

- Any form of cancer
- Penobscot (excluding Patten) and Piscataquis counties = rides & reimbursement
- Knox county = reimbursement only

Seniors John T. Gorman (SJTG)

- Available for seniors living in Penobscot and Piscataquis counties, excluding Patten
- Limited funds – use only as a last resort
- Rides, reimbursement, and bus tickets

Maine Community Foundation (LIFT)

- Rides for people who are 60 and older
- Limited funds – use only as a last resort

Transportation Assistance Program (TAP)

- Need a mental health Axis I diagnosis and LOCUS score of 17 or higher
- Customer needs to fill out an application and be approved before receiving services
- Gas cards, bus passes, taxi vouchers, or Lynx rides
- 90-day program for each customer

Complementary ADA Paratransit – City of Bangor (PARA)

- ADA paratransit for anyone on the bus route who cannot ride the bus due to a disability
- Lynx refers customers to the Community Connector for the application and approval process
- All ride requests will come by fax from the Community Connector
- The fare is \$3.00 per one-way trip, unless noted otherwise
- If the customer also qualifies for LX08, we can offer rides for 30 days while the application is being processed

Maine Veterans of Foreign War (VFW)

- This service is for veterans who live in Piscataquis county who are going to a medical appointment that is covered by the veterans' insurance
- Customers have to go through Maine Veterans of Foreign War and then the VFW sends the trip information to Lynx

Call Lynx for more information: 1-866-853-3695 or 973-3695