

We need Volunteer Drivers like you!

Are you interested in meeting new people and providing transportation services?

We are always looking for volunteers who are able to drive older adults to medical and other appointments in Winkler, the surrounding areas or to Winnipeg, Brandon or Portage La Prairie.

What you need to do:

- Complete an application
- Provide a current criminal record/
vulnerable sector check
- Provide a current adult abuse registry check
- Provide a current driver's license and vehicle registration



TO ACCESS THIS PROGRAM

- Call Resource at 204-325-8964
- EMAIL:
- cathleen@winklerseniorcentre.com
- OR
- denise@winklerseniorcentre.com

Our Purpose

Is to ensure that seniors in the community are made aware of and are provided access to services that assist Seniors in maintaining their independence. We continue to expand our services to meet the needs of the aging population within our community.



Transportation Services

Who can access the program?

Older Adults who need transportation for medical needs, running errands, or other appointments.

Requesting Transportation

When transportation services are required please call us in advance with date, time and location.

We will contact the volunteer drivers in order to determine who is available for the required date and time.

The driver will then contact you to arrange pick up time and location.

Purpose of Program

To provide older adults with safe and reliable transportation.

Fees for Program

Transportation mileage rates are set by the Resource office.

Passengers pay drivers directly with mileage paid from the driver's home/ return trip. Passenger also pays any parking fees.

How will I know the Driver is qualified?

Volunteers with the program will complete criminal record/ vulnerable sector checks, adult abuse registry checks and reference are checked.

Volunteers will also be required to have a valid driver's license and a vehicle insurance package including third party liability insurance

Passenger Assistance

Drivers shall provide passenger assistance in and out of the vehicle if needed.

Wheelchairs and baggage are limited to the driver's ability to manage these items.

In some cases drivers may refer passengers to a Handi-van service

Drivers are not responsible for the personal care, personal transactions, future appointments or ongoing needs of the passenger.



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