

City of Los Angeles

# CITYRIDE Application



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Sign up  
for Cityride  
today!



A Paratransit Service and Transportation Subsidy Program for Qualified Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities living in the City of Los Angeles and designated areas of Los Angeles County.



CITYRIDE is a transportation service funded by Proposition A, Local Transit Assistance (PALTA) funds and administered by the City of Los Angeles Department of Transportation with the assistance of the Department of Aging. It is a component of Metro, the region's integrated transportation system.



**Notice:** As part of the City of Los Angeles' emergency preparedness plan, Cityride will provide your name, address and telephone number to the Fire Department, Emergency Preparedness Department and other authorized emergency responders for inclusion in their database, to promptly locate seniors and disabled individuals within the City of Los Angeles and some unincorporated areas of the Los Angeles County for possible evacuation in the event of a disaster.



Metro

Effective July, 2007

# Welcome to Cityride!

The City of Los Angeles Department of Transportation offers qualified seniors and individuals with disabilities living in the City of Los Angeles and designated areas of Los Angeles County low-cost access to Metro bus, taxi and/or Dial-a-Ride services through membership with the Cityride Program.

As a Cityride member, individuals purchase a book of 84 transit scrip on a quarterly basis to pay for any one or a combination of the following transportation options:



## Eligibility

65+

or



To be eligible for Cityride, you must be aged 65 or over, or have a mobility impairment and live in the City of Los Angeles or portions of the following Los Angeles County unincorporated areas: Kagel Canyon, Calabasas, Topanga, Marina del Rey, and areas near Carson and Long Beach.

### City of Los Angeles Residents

Cityride members living in the City of Los Angeles may use the scrip to purchase Metro Senior/Disabled Monthly Pass Stamps, Cityride Lift-Van Dial-a-Ride services, and City-franchised taxi services.

### Los Angeles County Residents

Cityride members living in the unincorporated areas of the Los Angeles County (Kagel Canyon, Calabasas, Topanga, Marina del Rey, and areas near Carson and Long Beach) may use the scrip for Cityride Lift-Van Dial-a-Ride service and City-franchised taxi services only.

# City of Los Angeles Multipurpose Senior Centers

For information on specialized transportation services and other City services provided at City of Los Angeles Multipurpose Senior Centers please call: Department of Aging (213) 252-4030 or (800) 510-2020.

## Taxi Notice

Ride only taxis with this symbol on the door. Taxicabs bearing this seal are insured, have trained drivers, are regularly inspected, and will accept scrip for payment.



## Telephone Information

For general information, or if you do not receive your transit scrip within 10 business days from the date your order was placed, call Cityride from the 213, 310, 323 or 818 area codes at:

**808-RIDE (808-7433)**

**TDD Number for Hearing-Impaired  
(800) 559-1950**

CITYRIDE is a program for individuals in the City of Los Angeles, aged 65 or older and for qualified disabled persons. As a CITYRIDE registrant, you may purchase a book of 84 transit scrip once quarterly and use them to obtain Metro monthly bus pass stamps and discounts on city-permitted taxi and CITYRIDE Dial-A-Ride services. The transit scrip will expire on June 30 of each year.

## First Time Application

New applicants should submit:

1. A completed and signed application form.
2. **For seniors:** A copy of a birth certificate, Medi-Cal card, DMV card, passport, or other government-issued document showing your age.

**For disabled:** A copy of your Metro disabled ID card.

3. A check or money order (no cash) for a book of transit scrip. For **non low-income** members, the cost of a book of transit scrip is \$15.00 + postage. For **low-income** members, the cost is \$6.00 + postage.

To qualify for a low-income rate, a copy of your Medi-Cal card or your Supplemental Security Income award letter is required.

Mail all of the above applicable items to:

Cityride  
P.O. Box 866003  
Los Angeles, CA 90086

## Future Scrip Requests

After you register and receive your transit scrip, the process for requesting the next quarter's transit scrip is much easier.

### Submit:

1. A check\* or money order with your code I.D. on it.  
**DO NOT SEND CASH.**
2. Re-order form. This form is located in the back of your book of scrip.

You may purchase only one book of Cityride scrip per quarter and only between the dates specified below:

When you order between the following dates	You will receive scrip for the following quarter
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May 15 – Jul 31 .....	Jul-Aug-Sep
Aug 15 – Oct 31 .....	Oct-Nov-Dec
Nov 15 – Jan 31 .....	Jan-Feb-Mar
Feb 15 – Apr 30.....	Apr-May-Jun

*Remember: If you submit an order on any other date, it may be returned unfilled.*

*\* Checks returned due to non-sufficient funds (NSF) will be charged a \$10 fee.*


## Using Transit Scrip

### 14 Transit Scrip for

<b>1</b> 	<b>Bus Pass good on Metro or LADOT DASH</b>
<b>Metro Senior/Disabled Monthly Pass Stamp</b>	

Metro Senior/Disabled passes are valid on LADOT DASH and all Metro Rail (Red, Blue, Green, Gold and Orange Lines) and Metro bus routes.

### 2 to 6 Transit Scrip for

<b>1</b> 	<b>No additional charge *</b>
<b>Cityride Lift-Van Dial-A-Ride</b>	

\* If you run out of scrip, you may pay \$1 – \$1.50 in cash for stand-by trips.

### Up to 12 Transit Scrip for

<b>1</b>  	<b>You pay all costs over \$12</b>
<b>Taxi</b>	

## Cost

**\$15.00\***  
+ postage




**\$6.00\***  
If on Medi-Cal or Supplemental Security Income + cost of postage



by check or money order for **OR** 84 Transit Scrip per Quarter



*\*Include postage in payment amount. Do not send self-addressed stamped envelope.*

## Order by Mail

	+	
Application		Proof of Eligibility
	+	
		Check or Money Order
<b>First Time Only</b>		

	+	
Check or Money Order		Re-order Forms
<b>For Each Quarterly Request</b>		

*Always write your code I.D. on your payment!*

# CITYRIDE Application for Registration

*Esta aplicación también se puede conseguir en español.*

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt # \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address (if different) \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth (M/D/Y) \_\_\_\_\_

## I am enclosing documentation that I qualify for Cityride as:

**A Senior Citizen, 65 or older** *(A copy of your birth certificate, Medi-Cal Card, passport, DMV card, or other government-issued document showing your age.)*

**Having a Disability** *(A copy of your Metro disabled identification card is acceptable proof. A doctor's note is valid proof for 60 days, after which you must obtain a Metro disabled I.D. card.)*

I am enclosing a copy of my Supplemental Security Income Award letter or Medi-Cal card which qualifies me for the \$6.00 (+ postage) low income rate.

I currently use a wheelchair

Mail your completed application, documentation, and check or money order to:  
**Cityride, P.O. Box 866003, Los Angeles, CA 90086**

I declare, under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California that the responses I have given are true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's signature (or guardian, if applicable)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

## How did you hear about Cityride?

Please check one:

- Multipurpose Senior Citizen Center
- Recreation and Parks Facility
- Outreach Fair / Presentation
- Cityride (Dial-A-Ride) Shuttle
- City of LA / LADOT Website
- Friend, Neighbor or Relative
- Council Office (Constituent Center)
- Metro (MTA) Customer Center / Pass Outlets
- Transit Store
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

As stated on the notice (on the back of this application form), please check the box below to indicate if we can provide your name, address and telephone number to Fire Department, Emergency Preparedness Department and other authorized emergency response-related organizations.

- Yes
- No