#### **Free Medical Shuttle**

#### **Disclaimers**

- This service is available to all adult patients who utilize facilities in New Kensington, Arnold, Parnassus, Lower Burrell and Vandergrift.
- Pick up at your residence only, transport to appointment and return to your residence.
- We are not an Emergency transportation taxi. If you are in an emergency situation, dial 9-1-1.
- Our staff is not trained to complete medical emergency procedures.
- Our transportation service has the discretion to cancel transportation due to inclement weather.
- This is curb to curb service. Staff are not permitted to enter homes, or to assist patients in the absence of their crutches, canes or walkers during the entering/exiting of the vehicle.

#### We do not operate during these holidays:

- Thanksgiving (includes the Friday after Thanksgiving)
- New Year's Day
- Christmas\* (Includes December 24, 25, and 26)
- Martin Luther King Day
- Memorial Day





### **Empowering People. Strengthening Communities. Transforming the Future.**

Every day, the caring, highly trained staff of Wesley Family Services empowers children, adults and families to overcome challenges so that they can be part of a stronger community with a brighter future. When you or a loved one needs help, we'll be there.



For more information about the **Westmoreland County Free Medical Shuttle program. call** 

724-895-8214

www.wfspa.org







# How the Westmoreland County Free Medical Shuttle Service Works

- 1 Call us as soon as possible to schedule a ride.
- 2 Our phone number is 724-895-8214.
- 3 You, or your doctor's office if located in New Kensington, Arnold, Parnassus, Lower Burrell or Vandergrift, can call to schedule your ride.
- 4 Please be ready one hour prior to your appointment.
- 5 If an escort is going with you, that person can ride for free.
- 6 Patients may utilize our services multiple times for one way as well as roundtrip needs throughout the year.

#### **Cost of Service**

The service is free of charge to patients and their escorts.

#### **Hours of Operation**

The Westmoreland County Free Medical Shuttle operates from 7:00 am (or earlier if needed) to 5:00 pm Monday through Friday.

If staff is unable to answer your call, please leave a message with your name and phone number. We are committed to returning your call in a timely manner.

Our phone number is 724-895-8214.

#### **Geographic Locations Served**

The Westmoreland County Free Medical Shuttle service will pick up and drop off in the following locales only:

- Arnold
- Lower Burrell
- New Kensington
- Parnassus
- Vandergrift

## **Benefits of Using the Free Medical Shuttle**

- Our drivers adhere to a higher standard of professionalism.
- Your wait time from time of call to pick up after appointments is reduced.
- As needed, staff will assist patients in and out of the vehicle and onto and off curbs.
- While transporting individuals in our vehicle, our drivers are not to deviate from the course other than to drive them home or directly to their medical appointment. No exceptions.
- The Shuttle's cell phone is hands-free use.
- Our vehicle is cleaned regularly and our drivers are not permitted to eat or smoke in the vehicle.
- \* Please note: our shuttle is not handicapped accessible.

#### **For Additional Information**

For additional information about the Westmoreland County Free Medical Shuttle, please call **724-895-8214**.



