“Recovery and Job Access” Roadmap
Bennington County

Does patient have an operating private car? YES

Is a friend or family member able to provide a ride at no cost? YES

Does patient have gas money? YES

Does patient have gas card? YES

Is patient on or close to an GMX bus route? YES

Patient can receive transportation thru GMX bus routes.

Does patient have special circumstances? YES

See back page.

Ride needed for same day appointment? NO

Patient provided gas card? NO

Patient provided gas card? NO

Is a friend or family member able to provide a ride at no cost? NO

Does patient have special circumstances? NO

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Contact
James Ware
Green Mountain Express
802- 447-0477
Same Day Appointment Transportation Options:
There are limited resources for transportation needs identified as short notice. The Program Manager(s) at Turning Point will work with GMX to accommodate as many of these trips as possible. These options may include Turning Point or GMX providing the trip or providing a gas card for patients that have a working vehicle and need financial assistance.

Special Circumstances
People having special circumstances may qualify for certain transportation services:

**Visual Impairment:** The Vermont Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired may be able to provide transportation for medical appointments, social services, and shopping. Call them at 802-775-6452.

**Over 60 years of age or disabled:** Call Green Mountain Express at 802-447-0477.

**Reach Up recipients:** Call 1-800-479-6151

**Churches:** Some area churches will help members with transportation needs.

**Vermont 2-1-1:** Dial 2-1-1 for help with transportation for destinations outside our area.

**Ride Allotment:** Rides for Treatment and Recovery should be capped to three days while medicaid and other programs are evaluated for rider eligibility. Rides for Job Access should be capped to two weeks (10 days). Additional days can be provided on a case by case bases.

Medicaid Special Circumstances:
People may be eligible for transportation under Medicaid if they have a vehicle, but it is not in working condition. They may need to get a letter from a licensed auto mechanic stating what is wrong with their vehicle and send the letter to Medicaid. If approved, GMX may be able to provide transportation.

People may also be eligible for mileage reimbursement if they cannot afford gas. There are requirements and restrictions that apply.

Other Resources:
**Good News Garage** has a limited number of vehicles for sale at low cost. They also provide low cost repair service for working adults. Restrictions apply. Visit goodnewsgarage.org or call 802-864-3667 for more information.