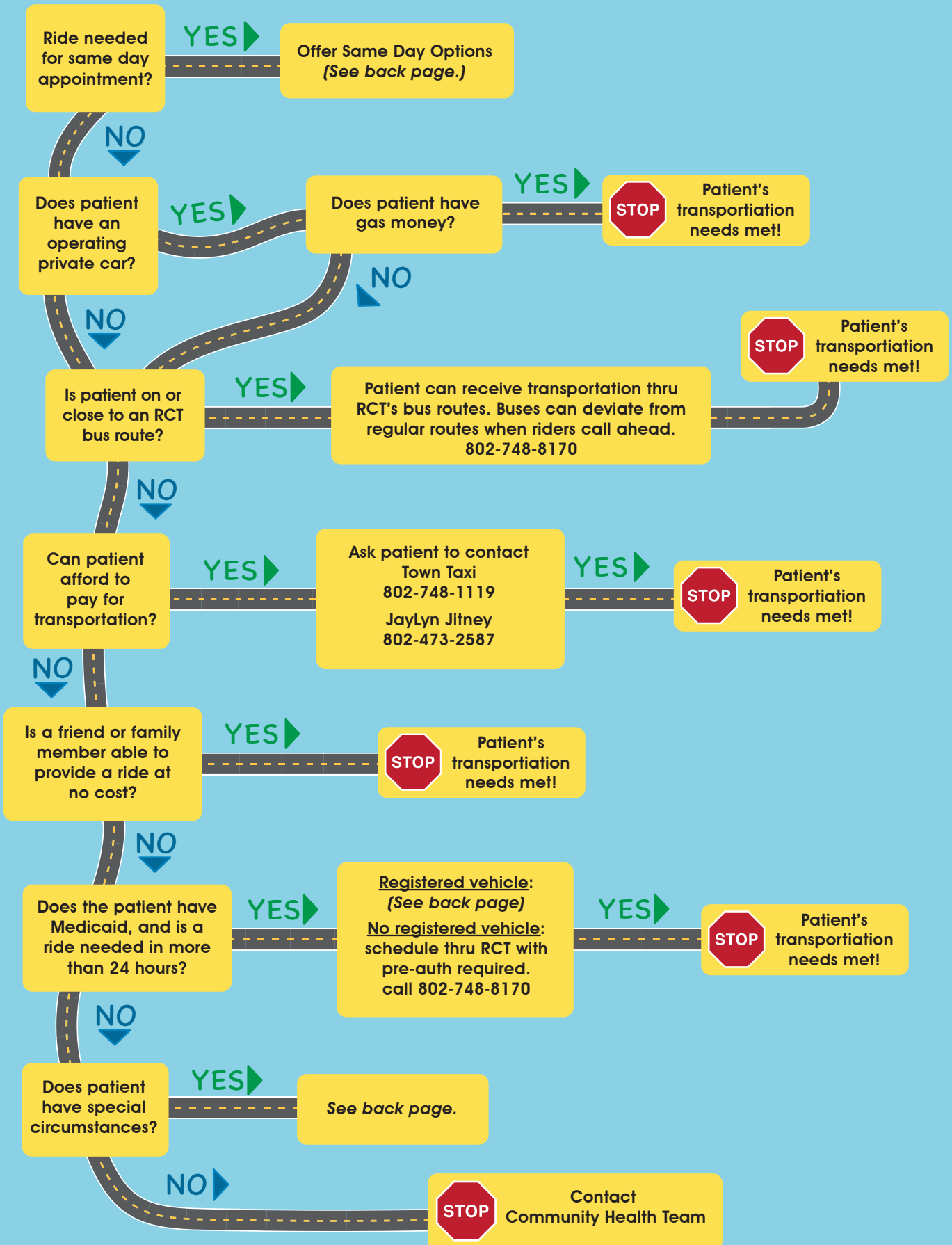


“Rides to Wellness” Roadmap

Caledonia and So. Essex Counties



Same Day Appointment Transportation Options: There are limited funds for paying for transportation for verified medical appointments when transportation needs are identified with short notice. These options include paying for RCT or taxi rides, or providing a gas card.

Special Circumstances

People having special circumstances may qualify for transportation services. There are many such services. The **Community Health Team*** can help identify these services.

Here is a list of some common resources that may assist with transportation.

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 1-877-350-8840

Veterans: The VA can often help with transportation. Call the VA Outreach Specialist Rob at 802-359-2072.

Over 60 years of age or disabled: Call RCT directly at 748-8170 or call the NEK Council on Aging at 748-5182.

People in Recovery: Kingdom Recovery Center at 751-8520

Reach Up recipients: Call NEKCA at 748-6040.

Need transportation to work: Vermont Department of Vocational Rehabilitation may be able to help 748-8716

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

Rides to court: The St. Johnsbury Community Restorative Justice Center may be able to help. Call 748-2977

VT211: Call 211 for help with transportation for destinations outside our area.

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 your vehicle and send the letter to Medicaid. If approved, RCT 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. RCT or **Community Health Team*** members can help with this service.

Community Health Team* members can help with Medicaid Car Exception Request forms, Child Transportation Assistance for Parents, and Physician Referral Forms for transportation.

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.

*Community Health Team

Patients of these medical practices can call and ask for the

Care Coordinator:

Concord Health Center 695-2512

Danville Health Center 684-2275

St. Johnsbury Community Health Center 748-5041

Corner Medical 748-9501

Kingdom Internal Medicine 748-7500

St. Johnsbury Pediatrics 748-5131

Anyone residing in Caledonia or So. Essex Counties can call

Community Connections 748-7526