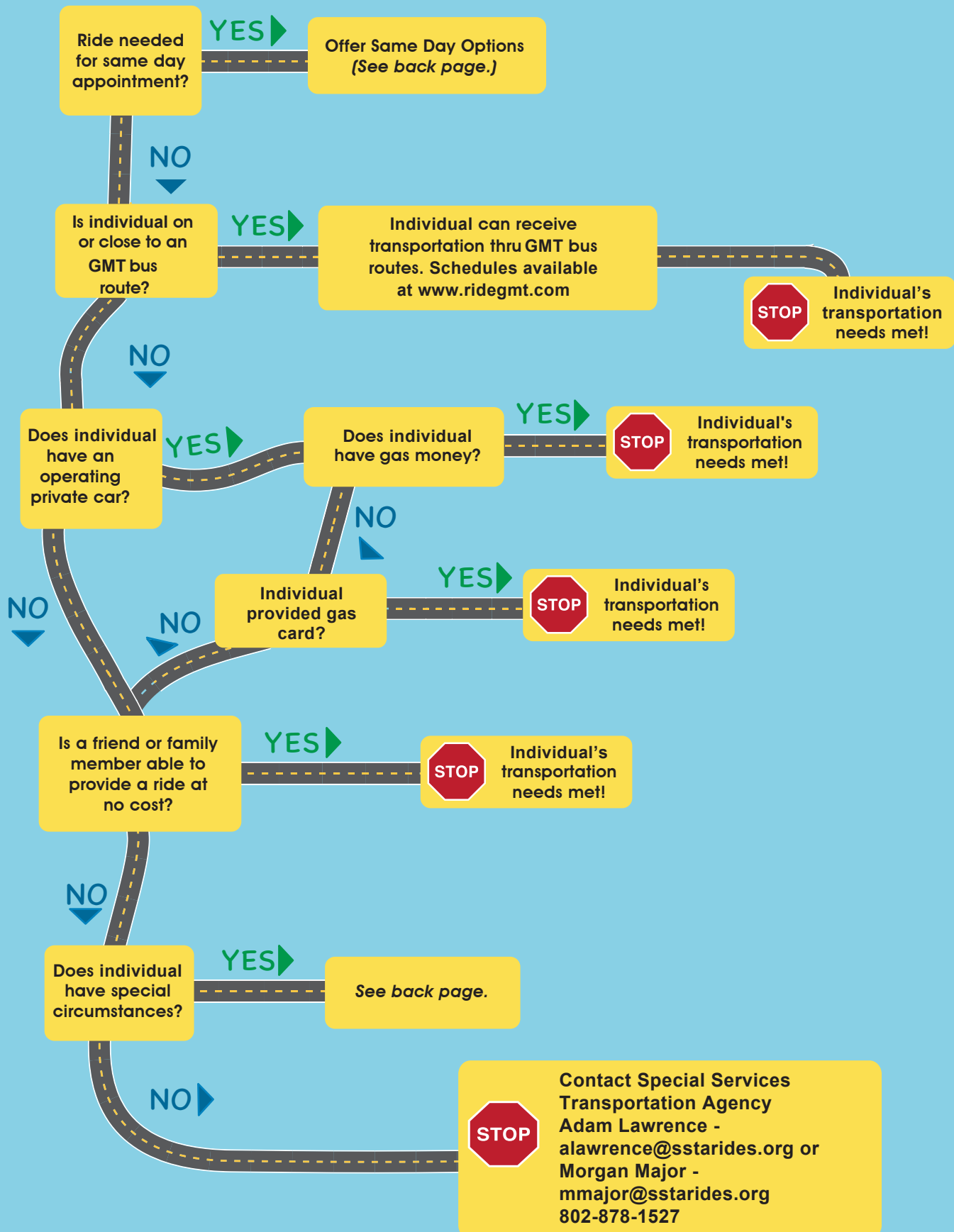


“Recovery and Job Access” Roadmap

Chittenden County



Ride Allotment:

Rides for Medicaid eligible trip purposes such as transportation to treatment centers can be provided under this funding for three (3) business days. This gives clients a few rides while working on their Medicaid eligibility i.e. Vehicle Exception Form or Medicaid Application. Recovery related trips are unlimited. You must confirm these are not trips eligible under Medicaid. Job Access starts with ten (10) round trips and is capped at thirty (30) round trips.

Same Day Appointment Transportation Options:

There are limited resources for transportation needs identified as short notice. The Program Manager(s) at the Recovery Centers will work with GMT to accommodate as many of these trips as possible. These options may include GMT providing the trip, contacting a local cab provider or providing a gas card for individuals 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 1-877-350-8840.

Veterans: The VA can often help with transportation. Call the VA 802-828-3379

Over 60 years of age or disabled: Call GMT at 802-864-2282

People in Recovery: Call Turning Point Center in Chittenden County 802-861-3150 or GMT at 802-864-2282

Reach Up recipients: Call Department for Children and Families at 800-479-6151

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

Rides to court: Community Justice at 802-865-7155.

Vermont 2-1-1: Dial 2-1-1 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 their vehicle and send the letter to Medicaid. If approved, GMT 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 godnewsgarage.org or call 802-864-3667 for more information.