



TransNet's Risk Manager Presents at the ATI Annual Conference

The Association of Travel Instruction held its annual conference in Philadelphia from August 12th through August 14th.

Maria Church, TransNet's Risk Manager and Certified Travel Trainer participated in a panel presentation and discussion during a session titled Partnering with Transit Services. Maria provided information on TransNet's travel training program and video highlights from two of her trainees were featured during the presentation. [Please click here to view the video.](#)

The three day event included sessions on Train the Trainer - How to Train Your Staff to Become a Travel Trainer, Travel Training with Individuals Who Are Hearing Impaired, Critical Issues When Teaching Safe Street Crossings, and Regional mobility Management: Moving People, Not Vehicles, among other topics.

For additional information on the Association of Travel Instruction, visit their website at www.travelinstruction.org.

Q & A Corner

Medical Assistance Transportation Program (MATP)

Question:

Do I qualify for the MATP if my destination is within 1/4 mile of my home?

Answer:

No. The MATP is not available for medical transportation of less than 1/4 mile from the residence of a consumer.

Senior Citizen Shared Ride Program

Question:

Why can't the driver wait for me during my appointment?

Answer:

The driver is only permitted to wait 5 minutes at each stop. This is a shared ride service and the driver must stay on schedule for the next pick up.

For additional information on TransNet services please visit our website at www.suburbantransit.org

Calendar of Events

9/22/2011 - 10:30 AM to 1 PM

The Pavilion
261 Old York Road
Jenkintown

State Representative Josh
Shapiro's Senior Fair

Community Coaster In It's 10th Year... Passengers Are Still "Crazy For The Coaster"

The Community Coaster began its 10th year of service in July 2011. The Community Coaster is administered by the Partnership Transportation Management Assoc. and offers residents of Souderton, Telford, Lower Salford and Franconia transportation through a scheduled route shuttle service. Stops along the route include Pheasant Run, Dock Woods, Lansdale Train Station, Schwenkfeld Manor, Indian Valley YMCA, Henning's Market, Oak Crest, Peter Becker, Walmart, Telford Gardens, Landis Market and Valley Vista.

Beginning in September, the Community Coaster will offer a new schedule and will expand the service to 5 days per week which will make riders even more "Crazy for the Coaster". To view the YouTube video, [click here](#) or on the image above.

To learn more, please visit The Partnership TMA's website at www.ptma-mc.org.



9/27/2011 - 9 AM to 11 AM
Montco SAAC
536 George Street
Norristown
Health Fair

9/27/2011 - 10 AM to 11:30 AM
Granite Run Mall
1067 W. Baltimore Pike
Media

Presentation by Delaware County
Transportation Management
Association

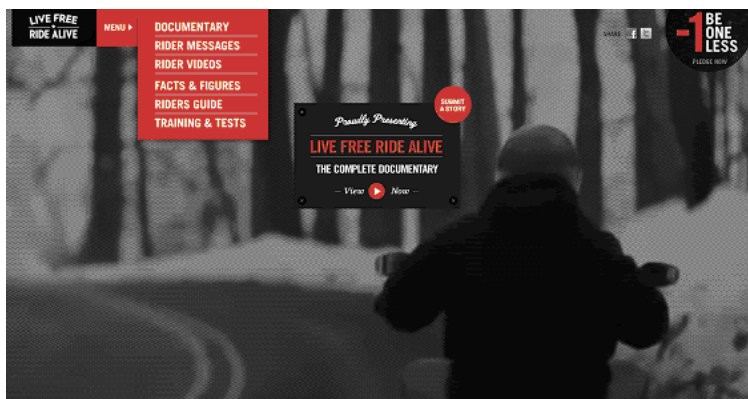
Going Places with Public
Transportation: Travel
Instruction for Wheelchair Users

Seating is limited. Call 610-892-
9440 to reserve a seat.

In communities throughout the country, commuting has become more expensive, stressful and longer. Commuters are spending more time stuck in traffic, which means less productive time at their jobs and less valuable time with their families.

Using TransNet and giving commuters a choice of transportation mode, employers and other entities can attract more consumers and retain employees, so everyone benefits.

Our services help your company **Go Green** and enables your students and employees to reduce their environmental footprint.



PennDOT's Live Free Ride Alive Motorcycle Safety Campaign Receives 2 Awards

PennDOT's motorcycle safety campaign recently won 2 American Association of Motor Vehicle Administrator's (AAMVA) awards - Public Affairs Consumer Education (PACE) and International PACE.

The interactive, community-based website offers a documentary, rider messages, rider videos, facts & figures, a riders guide, and training & tests.

To learn more, visit the Live Free Ride Alive website at

www.livefreeridealive.com.

Coming Soon... A Brand New Look

TransNet is in the process of updating our website with an exciting new look and enhanced information and functionality. Stay tuned for more.