

Have a doctor's appointment?

Need groceries?

Want to visit a friend?

Like to see a movie?

No transportation?

No problem.

CALL EZridesm

a membership transportation service

(local) 727-571-4384, ext. 222

(toll free) 1-888-rides09

(1-888-743-3709)

Members must call in advance for reservations.

Program Funding Sources



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**INDEPENDENCE
AHEAD**

**NO
TIPPING**

**55
AND
OLDER**

**↑ Membership
Transportation
Service**

renewed independence for seniors & the disabled

No one wants to feel confined to the house, unable to get out and do errands or just have fun – not even homebodies. Many people face this situation because they are no longer able to drive and the traditional public transportation is either inconvenient or too expensive.

EZridesm service can help

You may want to go to the grocery store, a friend's house, the movie theater, or a shopping mall, and have no means of transportation. The **EZridesm** program provides an affordable option. *It is open to people who are 65 and older and to people 55 and older who are disabled.* This membership transportation service is offered in Pinellas County, with additional destinations to southern Pasco and specific areas in northern Hillsborough (e.g., H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center, VA Hospital/Medical Clinic, and the University of South Florida Medical Clinics).

You qualify. Now what?

Before signing up for **EZridesm** service, here are some things you should know:

- You'll be charged a \$50.00 annual membership fee.
- **EZridesm** operational hours are 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.
- You must reserve your trips 48 hours in advance, and your cost includes a pickup plus mileage charge at a reduced rate.
- Payment in advance of trip is preferred. We accept MasterCard, Visa and Discover credit/debit cards, checks, money orders, and cash.
- You choose the destination and based on driver availability, either a paid **EZridesm** driver or volunteer will get you there in comfort.



neighbors helping neighbors

Does this sound like you?

- I like to drive.
- I love to help people.
- I believe that “*giving is living*” and like to give back to my community.
- I want to keep my mind sharp.

If you said “*yes*” to any or all of the above, you may want to consider becoming a volunteer driver for the **EZridesm** program.

For each trip taken, volunteer drivers will receive credits that can be applied to future **EZridesm** member trips. They may give these credits to a friend or loved one who is a member of the program. Or they may save the credits in a “bank” for themselves, should they ever need/choose to join the program in the future.

Donations are always welcomed

If you prefer to help your neighbors through a monetary donation, the **EZridesm** transportation service, which is partially funded through a grant, will gladly accept your generous contribution.



**To ask about joining the EZridesm program, or to find out about becoming a driver and/or sponsor,
Call 727-571-4384 (ext. 222), or toll free: 1-888-rides09 (1-888-743-3709)**