

# ***OMC CAN HELP YOU GET A RIDE TO YOUR APPOINTMENT***

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Lack of transportation is a barrier that prevents many from accessing basic healthcare. It is easy to take for granted the ability to drive to and from appointments with doctors or specialists.

Outpatient Medical Center is excited to offer a pilot transportation program that will assist patients in traveling to their OMC appointments.

In order to qualify, patients must have no means of transportation, not have medical insurance that provides appointment transportation services (such as Medicaid), and must be of able body and not require assistance from durable medical equipment.

Temporary funds allow OMC to provide transportation to patients with the greatest need. The program is being introduced on a trial basis and will evaluate whether it helps patients obtain more timely healthcare.

If you need help getting to your next appointment, call 888-811-8081 for OMC's 24/7 Contact Center, and ask for transportation to OMC.

OMC is an option for you, because caring for you is what we do! For more information call the nearest OMC Clinic. More information on clinic locations and services can be found at [www.outpatientmedical.org](http://www.outpatientmedical.org) or by calling OMC's 24/7 contact center at 888-811-8081.

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