Travel Training

What is Travel Training?

The Independence In Motion Travel
Training program is for people who
want to learn to travel
independently using transportation
services available in Fairfield
County.

Independence In Motion Travel
Training teaches individuals how to
safely and independently ride the
public transportation system and
understand all the transportation
options available to them in
Fairfield County.

Eligibility:

Anyone 18 years of age or older living in Fairfield County

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Transportation is a critical component of the communities in Fairfield County





Independence In Motion



What are the Benefits of travel training?

Understanding the transportation options available to you and having knowledge and ability to navigate the public transportation system will increase your independence and supports an active lifestyle.

Types of Training

<u>Destination Travel Training:</u>
Teaches an individuals to travel from a specific destination and back, usually on a daily basis.

General Travel Training:

Provides the individual with a
greater riding instruction and
knowledge of the difference
transportation options available

Travel Training Includes:

Each travel training program is tailored to your needs and will help you to:

- Plan your trip
- Pay fares
- Ride a specific route/system
- Read and understand route maps and schedules
- Recognize bus numbers, time points, and landmarks
- Get on and off the bus safely
- Safely use your mobility device
- Identify and transfer to other buses
- Obtain safe street crossing skills
- Apply safety skills
- Know all transit options available in Fairfield County



How To Sign Up:

Contact the Fairfield County

Mobility Manager at

(740) 652-5976.

The Mobility Manager will set up a time to meet with you and complete a mobility assessment and assist you in determining your travel goals.

Each trainee's needs and abilities are different, so training techniques and time required will vary with each unique individual.

