



# Community Transport in Fenland

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Website: [www.fact-cambs.co.uk](http://www.fact-cambs.co.uk)

Dial-a-Ride - offers a 5 day-a-week pre-bookable scheduled service operating throughout the Fenland area, serving Benwich, Christchurch, Doddington, Elm, Gorefield, Leverington, Manea, March, Newton, Parson Drove, the Tydds, Whittlesey, Wimblington, Wisbech and Wisbech St Mary. Dial-a-Ride provides a door-to-door service for people who are unable to access public transport either due to age, disability, mobility, or living in an area with limited or no access to local bus routes or no access to a car during the day.

Dial-a-Car - this is a pre-bookable service which can be used by and individuals who have no access to transport services. This service can be used to visit friends/relatives or medical appointments.

### **Minibus Hire**

Both FACT and Peterborough Dial-a-Ride have wheelchair accessible vehicles from 4 seats plus 1 wheelchair to 16-seat minibuses. Community groups and clubs, as well as not-for-profit organisations, can hire these vehicles with a driver supplied.

Please contact FACT on 01354 661234 or Peterborough Dial-a-Ride on 01733 394545 for further information including prices.

In addition, FACT provides Minibus Driver Awareness Scheme (MiDAS) driver training, which has been developed to promote and establish a single national standard for the assessment and training of minibus drivers. Their Trainer is able to assess and train minibus drivers, equipping them with the necessary skills to handle a minibus safely and confidently, with the needs of passengers in mind.

Chatteris Community Car Scheme:

07944 814156

Journeys to many destinations for residents of Chatteris, Benwick, Doddington and Manea. Can undertake journeys such to the GP surgery, hospital outpatients appointments, and other medical appointments including opticians, dentists, podiatry, etc. Also offers transport for social purposes, including shopping, visiting friends, hairdressers, social clubs, etc and visiting friends and relatives in hospital.

Christchurch Community Car Scheme:

07871 262818

For those living in Christchurch who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Can undertake journeys such as appointments to the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist, plus visiting friends and relatives in hospital. Can also undertake journeys for social purposes, including shopping, visiting friends, etc.

Elm, Fridaybridge & Coldham Community Car Scheme:

07902 316360

For those living in Elm, Fridaybridge & Coldham who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Can undertake journeys such as appointments to the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist, plus visiting friends and relatives in hospital. Can also undertake journeys for social purposes, including shopping, visiting friends, etc.

Gorefield Community Car Scheme: 07500 479444

For those living in the parish of Gorefield and the nearby Parsons Drove GP Surgery area who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Offers transport mainly to appointments at the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist, or picking up prescriptions. Also visiting friends and relatives in hospital, and social purposes.

Leverington Community Car Scheme: 07879 082158

For those living in the parish of Leverington who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Offers transport mainly to appointments at the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist, or picking up prescriptions. Also visiting friends and relatives in hospital.

March Community Car Scheme: 07742 928531

For those in March and surrounding area who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Can undertake journeys to GP surgeries or to hospital, optician, chiropodist and dentist appointments. Also visiting friends and relatives in hospital.

Parson Drove Surgery Scheme: 07766 534280

For patients registered at Parson Drove GP Surgery who do not have the use of a car and are unable to use conventional public transport. Provides transport for any medical appointment with a doctor, nurse, dentist, optician, or chiropodist, prescription collection, or hospital outpatients appointment, and visiting relatives or friends in hospital.

Whittlesey Community Car Scheme:

07810 427483

Offers transport for residents of Whittlesey, Coates, Eastrea, Turves and Pondersbridge for social and medical purposes, i.e. GP surgery appointments, opticians, dentists, and shopping. Can undertake journeys to visit friends and family in hospital and outpatient department appointments.

Wimblington Social Car Scheme:

07563 782938

Provides transport for residents of Wimblington for social and medical purposes. Can undertake journeys such as appointments to the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist, plus visiting friends and relatives in hospital. Can also undertake journeys for social purposes, including shopping, visiting friends, etc.

Wisbech Community Car Scheme:

07541 400780

For those living in Wisbech who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Can undertake journeys such as appointments to the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist, plus visiting friends and relatives in hospital. Can also undertake journeys for social purposes, including shopping, visiting friends, etc.

Wisbech St Mary Community Car Scheme:

07592 407283

For those living in the parishes of Wisbech St Mary, Guyhirn, Ring's End, Murrow and Thorney Toll who are unable to make essential journeys by any other means. Can undertake journeys such as appointments to the surgery or hospital, optician and dentist. Also visiting friends and relatives in hospital. Can also undertake journeys for social purposes, including shopping, visiting friends, etc.

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