COA TRANSPORTATION POLICY

Acceptable Distances and Fees:

Any town in Berkshire County – deliver to – wait – return

Suggested Fee Per Ride: $5.00

The Council on Aging is not able to provide rides to and from destinations outside of Berkshire County. Our drivers are volunteers, not paid for their time, it would, therefore, be unacceptable to ask them to devote an entire day to a ride taking 2-1/2 or more hours each way.

For appointments outside of our acceptable area, it is suggested that private arrangements be made with friends and family. Alternatively, you can contact the ambulance companies and arrange transportation with them – very often the cost of such rides is covered by medical insurance.