

StaRT

Stanislaus Regional Transit
"We're Your Ride, Countywide"

StaRT SENIOR/DISABLED DISCOUNT CARD APPLICATION

(For use by Seniors and Persons with Disabilities – This card is NOT accepted on ADA Paratransit Services)

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

If you are sixty-five (65) years of age or older or have a disability, you are eligible for a StaRT Discount Fare Card.

- All applicants **must have a photo taken in our office** to complete the application process. Please bring a valid state issued I.D. with you to 1010 10th Street, Suite 4204, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday for your photo to be taken for the issuance of your discount card.
- If applying for the StaRT Discount Card as a **Senior (age 65+) or Medicare card holder, please complete Steps 1 & 2 only**, unless you need an attendant, in which case **Step 3** will also need to be completed.
- If applying for the StaRT Discount Card on the basis of disability, you must complete **ALL STEPS** of this application. **The reverse side must be completed by a physician.**

STEP 1

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____
Street/P.O. Box City ZIP

PHONE: _____ DOB: _____

I hereby authorize the certifying individual listed on the reverse side to release information to Stanislaus County Public Works/Transit Division for the purpose of issuing a StaRT senior/disabled discount fare card.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

STEP 2 CHECK ONE BOX ONLY FOR ELIGIBILITY

SENIOR - 65 or Over
Attach Proof of Age

MEDICARE
Attach Copy of Card

DISABLED
Reverse Side must
be completed

PHYSICIAN MUST COMPLETE REVERSE SIDE

ID Card #: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Issued by: _____ Issued Date: _____

STEP 3 - THIS SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED BY A PHYSICIAN

Please explain applicant's disability completely (please print)

Applicant's Condition is: Permanent Temporary (From: _____ To: _____)

Does the applicant require the physical assistance of a personal care attendant (PCA) getting on or off the bus, or need help negotiating the bus service? (Disabled passenger's attendant rides free when assisting passengers on or off the bus.) **Fraudulent use of an attendant is considered fare evasion and is against the law.**

NO - The applicant does not require the assistance of an attendant.

YES - The applicant requires the assistance of an attendant to travel.

Name of Certifying Person (Print)

Signature

Title

Date

Name of Medical Facility

Phone Number

Address

Note: (Release of information approval is on the front of the application)

NOTE: A fee will be charged to replace a discount fare card

FOR QUESTIONS?? – Please call Stanislaus County Transit Division Office at (209) 525-4311