



Fare Deal Office

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Metro reduced fare program application for persons with Medicare

Metro's Fare Deal reduced fare program allows people age 65 and older, persons with disabilities, and Medicare Card holders receiving social security benefits to ride Metro at a reduced fare.

Who qualifies for a Fare Deal reduced fare card?

- Persons age 65 or older
- Medicare cardholders receiving Social Security benefits
- A person with a qualifying disability as defined on the application

Applicants do not qualify if their sole condition is pregnancy, obesity, impairment due to drug/alcohol abuse, or a dysfunction that can be controlled by medication.

Identification and signature are required

When applying in person, you must present your state-issued ID or passport at the time of registration. All identification cards must be current and not expired. No exceptions will be made.

You must show one of the following:

- Drivers license (any state)
- State-issued ID card (any state)
- Passport

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How to apply -- For People with Medicare

- Submit the completed Fare Deal application. Incomplete applications or photocopies will not be accepted.
- Applicants must present their **Medicare** card at the time of application and processing. Medicaid cards will not be accepted as the Fare Deal Program is not an income based program.
- Customers with **Medicare** must complete the new application and present their current, state-issued ID or passport, their **Medicare** card **and** provide a current Social Security Benefit Statement printed within the last 90 days. A printout or benefit statement can be obtained by calling the Social Security Administration office at 1-800-772-1213 and asking for proof of my Medicare eligibility, or on the web at www.ssa.gov -or- going to <https://secure.ssa.gov/apps6z/BEVE/main.html> this could take up to 10 days.
- Applications must be submitted **in person** by visiting the Fare Deal office located at 7000 Montgomery Rd in Silverton.

This location is serviced by bus route #4 Blue Ash or Kenwood and the Metro Plus.

The Fare Deal office accepts applications on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 8:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The Fare Deal office is closed daily from 12-1 p.m. for lunch and on all major holidays. Other closures may occur as needed due to inclement weather.

- Valid identification is required when submitting all applications. Approved forms of identification are: driver's license, a state-issued ID, or passport. All identification must be current and not expired. Copies are not acceptable.
- **Applicants with approved applications will receive their Reduced Fare card by mail within 21 days of submittal of the application.**



FARE DEAL APPLICATION

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Certification _____ <small>Government or State issued ID number</small>	_____ <small>Expiration date</small>	_____ <small>Staff initials</small>
Fare Deal number _____	_____ <small>Application date</small>	_____ <small>Card expiration date</small>
Additional notes _____		

All questions must be answered completely before your application will be considered.
Please **PRINT** clearly.

_____ Last Name	_____ First Name	_____ MI
_____ Street Address		_____ Apt. #
_____ City	_____ State	_____ Zip code

Mailing address (If different than home address)

_____ Street Address		_____ Apt. #
_____ City	_____ State	_____ Zip code

Phone (_____) _____ E-mail address: _____

Date of birth ____/____/____ Gender M F Social Security # _____

Please select only one:

65 or older?

Medicare card?

Please attach Social Security Benefits Verification letter.

Disabled?

Please attach Physician Statement of Medical Disability eligibility form and letter or statement from your physician certifying your disability.

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Applicant signature

I certify to the best of my knowledge that the information on this application is true and correct.

I understand that providing false or misleading information could result in my eligibility status being terminated.

I understand that I must have a Medicare card (any age), or be age 65 years or older, or have a disability to be eligible for a Fare Deal card. Fare Deal is not an income-based program. A Medicaid card will not qualify me for eligibility.

I understand that I must provide this completed and signed application, current state-issued photo ID that shows my date of birth, and Medicare card (if I have one or other required document) in-person to be considered for a Fare Deal card.

I understand that the information on this application will be kept confidential by the professionals involved in evaluating my eligibility.

I understand that Metro may share appropriate information with coordinating non-profit or government agencies.

I understand that the Fare Deal card is not transferable to others.

I understand that Metro reserves the right to determine eligibility based on federal guidelines.

I understand that the Fare Deal card is valid for up to 2 years and that I must reapply prior to the expiration date if I wish to continue my eligibility with the Fare Deal program.

I understand that the Fare Deal card must be verified by the farebox to be eligible for the reduced fare.

Signature

Date

Important: Do not mail this application!