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**Community  
Cars**

**Essential journeys  
for those unable to use  
public transport**

[www.community-cars.org](http://www.community-cars.org)

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## How we can help

We can help with:

- Journeys to the doctor, dentist or hospital either locally or nationwide
- Essential local trips to the shops, bank, post office or chemist
- Social visits to friends or relatives

We are not a taxi service. All our drivers are volunteers and it can take us time to find a volunteer available for a particular journey. Please call a week or so in advance to request a driver. We'll need details of the passenger, pick-up

address, time, destination, and whether a return journey is needed. Call us on 01923 216950. Drivers will usually meet you at your door. If your appointment or visit is brief, they will usually wait and return you home again afterwards.

If we are unable to find a driver for your journey, we will let you know at least 24 hours in advance so you can make alternative arrangements.

### **How much it will cost**

All you pay is the cost of a mileage charge for the distance the driver covers to and from his or her home. We charge a set rate per mile regardless of the purpose of your journey.

We won't charge for waiting time, but if your driver needs to make a double journey we ask you to pay the cost of the mileage covered. You will also have to pay any other out of pocket costs the driver incurs – for example if there are car parking costs or if the journey involves travel through London's Congestion Charging Zone or over a toll bridge. These costs will be paid by the driver and added to your invoice.

### **Key fact**

**Our drivers cover more than 30,000 miles a year in and around Watford, helping people to keep essential medical appointments and stay active and independent.**

### **Could you or someone you know be a Community Cars driver?**

Do you know someone with a reliable car and a little time to spare? We always need drivers to join us in helping older and disabled people get around in our community. Drivers receive a brief induction and have all their mileage costs covered. Please help if you can.



For more information on Community Cars, please call

**01923 216950**

or email [communitycars@w3rt.org](mailto:communitycars@w3rt.org)



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