

Alameda Alliance for Health **Medi-Cal Transportation Benefit**



Get transportation to medical appointments and services at no cost.



At Alameda Alliance for Health (Alliance), we are here to help our members stay healthy and active. Alliance Medi-Cal members can get a ride to their medical appointments and services at no cost.

The Alliance covers two (2) types of ride services:

1. Non-medical transportation (NMT)
2. Non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT)

Non-Medical Transportation (NMT)

Alliance members who have Medi-Cal coverage can use NMT when they need to:

- Pick up prescriptions and medical supplies.
- Travel to and from a medical appointment authorized by a provider.

The Alliance NMT benefit covers the use of a car, taxi, bus, or other public/private way to get to a medical appointment.

To schedule an NMT service, please view the list of toll-free numbers to call on **page 2**.



Non-Emergency Medical Transportation (NEMT)

Non-emergency medical transportation (NEMT) is for members who are not able to get to their medical appointment (medical, dental, mental health, or substance use disorder) by car, bus, train, taxi, or other NMT level of service.

NEMT uses the following levels of service:

- Ambulance
- Wheelchair van
- Litter/gurney van
- Air transport

The doctor must complete and submit the Physician Certification Statement (PCS) Form to the Alliance before a NEMT request. After the form is sent to the Alliance, the member or doctor can schedule transportation using the number below. The PCS Form can be found on the Alliance website at www.alamedaalliance.org.

Scheduling

Please schedule the ride request at least three (3) business days before the appointment. For urgent appointments, please call as soon as possible. Please have the Alliance member ID card ready when you call.

If you are...	Phone Number
An Alliance member	Toll-Free: 1.866.791.4158
An Alliance provider calling on behalf of an Alliance member	Toll-Free: 1.866.529.2128
An Alliance provider who needs to report real-time concerns	Toll-Free Escalation Line: 1.866.779.0569

Questions?

Please call the Alliance Member Services Department
 Monday – Friday, 8 am – 5 pm
 Phone Number: **1.510.747.4567** • Toll-Free: **1.877.932.2738**
 People with hearing and speaking impairments (CRS/TTY): **711/1.800.735.2929**
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