

# Volunteer Driver Management Checklist

In addition to taking passengers from point A to point B, volunteer drivers play other roles such as friend, listener, communicator, and advocate. Programs that use paid drivers say that driver salaries constitute 50% or more of their operating expenses. At the same time, volunteer driver programs require considerable resources for recruitment, training, and retention. Thus, efficient and effective driver screening, supervision, and management are critical to the success of any volunteer driver transportation program. These are first steps. However, having a plan for managing volunteer drivers can be just as important. A separate information sheet provides a checklist for managing volunteer drivers. The Volunteer Driver Recruitment Handbook will also be helpful.

[The Volunteer Driver Checklist](#)

[The Volunteer Driver Recruitment Handbook](#)

**Other resource topics you may want to visit include:**

- Volunteer Driver Registration
- Volunteer Driver Recruitment
- Volunteer Driver Screening
- Volunteer Training
- Volunteer Driver Reimbursement
- Volunteer Driver Risk Management