

MST VA Special Medical Trips Local Connection Service for Veterans of Monterey County

- This service will be made available to veterans for medical appointments at the VA Palo Alto Hospital who need to board the VA-operated shuttle which departs the Marina VA Clinic at 8:15 AM daily.

Hours/Days of Operation

- One morning trip scheduled to arrive at the Marina VA Clinic no later than 8:00 AM, and one afternoon trip departing from the Marina VA clinic at approximately 5:00 PM (depending on when the VA shuttle arrives).
- Monday through Friday (excluding holidays).

Fares

- \$1.25 per one-way trip.

Reservations

- Veterans who intend to use this service are advised to first contact VA Palo Alto for reservations on the VA-operated shuttle from Marina VA Clinic to VA Palo Alto.
 - After their VA-operated Palo Alto shuttle reservation has been made, veterans can contact **MST RIDES/Special Medical Trips** at **(831) 373-1393** or **(831)-754-2804, option 2** to book their reservation on the MST VA Special Medical Trips Connection Service.
- Reservations may be made up to 24 hours in advance. Veterans will need to notify the reservationist if a personal care attendant or companion will be accompanying the veteran on his/her trip. A personal care attendant can ride for no additional charge. Companions accompanying the veteran will be charged the \$1.25 fare for each one-way trip.

Service Stops & Pick-up Locations for Local Connection Service (Any stop without a pick-up reservation will not be serviced.)

STOP #1 - 1061 N. Davis Rd., Salinas (Carl's Jr. parking lot). DEPARTURE TIME – 06:30

- a. Boarding location is at the Carl's Jr. parking lot northwest quadrant (toward the former Orchard Supply Hardware)

STOP #2 - 211 Reservation Rd, Marina (Jack in the Box parking lot) DEPARTURE TIME – 07:00

- a. Boarding location is at the driveway exiting the shopping plaza to Del Monte Blvd. (on the walkway beside the liquor store across from Jack in the Box)

STOP #3 – McDonald's at 990 Play Avenue, Sand City, CA (across from McDonald's) DEPARTURE TIME – 07:20

- a. Boarding location is at the lot behind McDonald's

STOP #4 – 1200 Aguajito Rd, Monterey, CA 93940 (in front of the Courthouse Parking Garage) DEPARTURE TIME – 07:20