

Mercer County

Public Transportation

Bluefield Area Transit

1642 Bluefield Avenue

Bluefield, WV 24701

Phone: 304-327-8418

Fax: 304-325-6783

TDD: 304-327-8418

E-mail: admin@ridethebatbus.com

Website: www.ridethebatbus.com

Description: General public bus transportation serving the cities of Bluefield, Princeton and Welch. Bluefield Transit serves all Bluefield area hospitals, doctors' offices, schools, shopping areas, the Mercer Mall and downtown Princeton. Bluefield Transit provides route-deviated service as far as $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile off the regular routes for any passenger when requested in advance. Non-emergency Medicaid transportation provider.

Service Area: Cities of Bluefield, Princeton and Welch and bordering areas.

Days and Hours of Operation:

Mercer County: 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., Monday – Friday;

McDowell County: 7:50 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., Monday - Friday

Weekend service in Athens and Princeton (during school year):

11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., Monday – Friday

Number of Vehicles: 7 15-passenger ADA lift equipped buses
5 18-passenger ADA lift equipped buses
5 24-passenger ADA lift equipped buses
3 26-passenger ADA lift equipped buses
3 mini vans
1 ADA lift equipped mini van
1 4-wheel drive vehicle

Specialized Transportation

Bluefield Rescue Squad

1900 Stadium Drive

Bluefield, WV 24701

Phone: 304-327-7173

Fax: 304-325-7149

Email: bluefieldrescue@frontiernet.net

Description: Ambulance service also providing non-emergency medical transportation.

Service Area: Mercer County

Mercer County (cont.)

CASE WV Commission on Aging

600 Trent Street

Princeton, WV 24740

Phone: 304-425-7111

Fax: 304-487-8801

Description: Senior citizens and disabled service operating in Mercer County. Transportation sites vary, including employment, medical care, nutrition, shopping, banking, recreational and social activities.

Service Area: Mercer County

Days and Hours of Operation: 7:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.,
Monday – Friday

Number of Vehicles: 2 ADA lift equipped vans
3 mini vans

Community Action of South Eastern West Virginia

307 Federal Street, Suite 323

Bluefield, WV 24701

Phone: 304-327-3506

Fax: 304-327-8822

Website: www.casewv.org

Description: Social Service Agency operating in Mercer County primarily for elderly and disabled individuals. Transportation destination sites vary. Non-emergency medical transportation provider.

Service Area: Mercer County

Days and Hours of Operation: 8:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.,
Monday – Friday

Number of Vehicles: 1 ADA lift equipped van
1 plain van
4 mini vans

Princeton Rescue Squad

701 Stafford Drive

Princeton, WV 24740

Phone: 304-425-3914

Fax: 304-431-3518

Email: princetonrescue@citlink.net

Website: www.princetonrescuesquad.com

Description: Ambulance company also providing non-emergency medical transportation.

Service Area: Mercer and surrounding counties

Mercer County (cont.)

Southern Highlands Community Mental Health Center

200 12th Street Extension

Princeton, WV 24740

Phone: 304-425-9541

Fax: 304-487-6199

Email: info@shcmhc.com

Website: www.shcmhc.com

Description: Transportation for clients of the agency operating in Mercer, McDowell and Wyoming Counties. Destination sites vary. Non-emergency Medicaid transportation provider.

Service Area: Mercer, McDowell and Wyoming Counties

Days and Hours of Operation: 7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.;
3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.; 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., Monday – Friday;
weekends as needed

Number of Vehicles: 11 plain vans
2 ADA lift equipped vans
2 mini vans
1 car
1 4-wheel drive vehicle

Taxi

Taxi One

690 Oakvale Road

Princeton, WV 24740

Phone: 304-431-8294

Fax: 304-425-4437

Email: bpantili@frontiernet.net

Description: Taxi service also providing Non-emergency Medicaid transportation.

Service Area: Mercer County

Head Start Program

Community Action of South Eastern West Virginia Head Start

307 Federal Street, Suite 323

Bluefield, WV 24701

Phone: 304-327-3506

Fax: 304-327-8822

Website: www.casewv.org