

Stanford Medicine Transportation Services

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Commuter Spotlight: Juliet Garcia

Meet Juliet Garcia, New Patient Coordinator at Stanford Health Care, who commutes to work using Caltrain!



Commuter Spotlight features staff who choose alternative transportation options as part of their commute to and from the Stanford Medicine Palo Alto campus.

Stanford Medicine Transportation Services is thrilled to spotlight **Juliet Garcia** – New Patient Coordinator at Stanford Health Care (SHC), who chooses to commute sustainably from San Jose to the Stanford Medicine Palo Alto campus!

On days Juliet needs to be in the office, she takes the Caltrain from San Jose to Palo Alto, escaping the Bay Area traffic.

Juliet enjoys the many perks of riding Caltrain! She saves money on gas, avoids the stress of driving, and enjoys a relaxing commute. She also likes the new electric Caltrains, which make her commute smoother and more sustainable!



"Since I've been commuting on Caltrain, I make it home 20-30 min sooner than if I was to drive. The New Electric trains are very nice."

Juliet Garcia

New Patient Coordinator Stanford Health Care When asked if Juliet would recommend taking public transportation to others, she shared, "Public transportation can be intimidating if you're not used to it. But once you get the hang of it, you'll never want to drive into the office again."

Take Caltrain like Juliet using the Caltrain Go Pass!

As part of Stanford Medicine's Clipper card benefit, eligible Stanford Medicine employees can ride the Caltrain for free with the Caltrain Go Pass.

Eligible employees can stop by at the temporary Transportation Pop-Up (located on North Pasteur Drive next to the shuttle stop) to get a Clipper card pre-loaded with Caltrain Go Pass.



Check out this <u>helpful video</u> on how to sign up for and use your Clipper card loaded with Caltrain Go Pass!

NOTE: Effective Monday, December 2, 2024, the temporary Transportation Pop-Up hours will be updated to 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM, Monday to Friday.

To learn more about the free Caltrain Go Pass available to qualifying Stanford Medicine employees, click the button below.

EXPLORE CALTRAIN GO PASS

Commute Sustainably? Get Featured on Commuter Spotlight!

NOTE: Due to increasing demand, the Commuter Spotlight prize will only be given out when a story is selected and featured on the Stanford Medicine Transportation Services newsletter.



Those who are selected and featured can receive a FREE insulated picnic backpack or power bank available at the Transportation Pop-Up (on North Pasteur Drive).

To be featured in an upcoming newsletter, fill out the form <u>here</u>.

Stanford Medicine Palo Alto Campus Earns National Award for Sustainable Commuting

The Stanford Medicine Palo Alto campus received the Transportation Demand Management (TDM) award by the Association for Commuter Transportation (ACT).



The ACT TDM Excellence Awards honors organizations for outstanding work that tackles mobility challenges and increases sustainability in transportation!

The Stanford Medicine Palo Alto Campus is among a select group of workplaces in the United States that have been recognized for the 2024 TDM Excellence Award!

The Stanford Medicine Palo Alto campus was selected by the Association of Commuter Transportation (ACT) because of the diverse and sustainable commuter benefits program offered to eligible staff, which includes:

- Riding public transit for free with the <u>Clipper Card</u> benefit
- Park at any Caltrain Station for FREE with the <u>Caltrain Parking pilot</u> <u>program</u>
- Stress-free commuting with Park & Ride Commuter Busses <u>Santa Clara</u>
 & <u>Campbell</u>
- Getting free & discounted parking with the <u>Pasteur Staff Garage Carpool</u> <u>Program</u>

 <u>Parking facilities</u>, <u>showers</u>, and repair stations for <u>bicyclists</u> at the Stanford Medicine Palo Alto Campus

This milestone is a testament to Stanford Medicine's commitment to wellness, sustainability, and corporate responsibility. Stanford Medicine is proud to provide a variety of alternative transportation options to help staff save money, reduce traffic, and ease parking demand.

Need a Ride Late at Night? The Evening Parking Shuttle (EPS) Has Got You Covered!

The Evening Parking Shuttle is a convenient and free on-demand shuttle option for staff who leave work after 9:00 PM.



Stanford Medicine Transportation Services provides this service for swing and night shift hospital workers, whose shifts may end outside of regular shuttle service hours.

The EPS is a free on-demand service that transports hospital staff from the 500 Pasteur Transportation Lounge, Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Main Lobby, and 875 Blake Wilbur to different parking locations around campus and the Palo Alto Transit Center.

The late-night shuttle is available on demand from 9:00 PM to 4:00 AM.

Between 4:00 AM - 5:00 AM, the EPS will run every 10 minutes from Hoover Pavilion Garage to the Lucile Packard Children's Hospital Main Lobby and the

500 Pasteur Transportation Lounge.

To request this on-demand service, call the Facilities Services Response Center (FSRC) at 650-498-4400.

For more information about the Evening Parking Shuttle (EPS), click the link below.

CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE

Holiday Shuttle Schedule Thanksgiving - November 28 & 29, 2024		
Shuttle Line & Service	Thursday, November 28, 2024	Friday, November 29, 2024
AC Transit Line U	✓ Weekend Schedule	✓ Regular Service
Dumbarton Express Line DB	X No Service	✓ Regular Service
Marguerite Line AE-F	X No Service	X No Service
Hospital Direct (HD) Line	Service Only 5:00 am - 9:19 am & 3:00 pm - 6:19 pm	✓ Regular Service
Medical Center (MC) Line	Service Only 5:16 am - 10:16 am & 2:38 pm - 6:49 pm	Service Only 5:16 am - 10:16 am & 2:38 pm - 6:49 pm
Marguerite Line EB	Y No Service	Y No Service

Thanksgiving Holiday Shuttle Schedule

<u>Click here</u> to view the holiday shuttle schedule.

If you use shuttles and public transportation for your daily commute, please be aware of the following changes on November 28th and 29th. These changes might impact your commute. Please plan your travel accordingly.

If the schedule alteration affects you, please consider using an alternative route or reach out to Hospital Transportation Operations Center at TransportationServices@stanfordhealthcare.org or call/text at 650-736-8000.





Try Out One of the FREE Park & Ride Lot and Shuttle Programs to the Stanford Medicine Palo Alto Campus

The Santa Clara Park & Ride lot (near Levi Stadium) and the Campbell Park & Ride lot (formerly the old Fry's Electronics lot) provide free parking and transportation for staff at the Stanford Medicine Palo Alto campus. Enjoy easy, free parking and a direct shuttle ride that connects directly to Lucile Packard Children's Hospital and 500 Pasteur!

For more information, view the flyers here: Santa Clara Park & Ride | Campbell Park & Ride

Commuting from the East Bay?

East Bay staff can park for free at the Ardenwood Park & Ride lot (Ardenwood Blvd. & Hwy. 84), which is located in Fremont. This lot connects with transbay commuter busses to the Stanford Medicine Palo Alto campus and the Stanford University campus.

For more information, view the flyers here:

Alameda-Contra Costa (AC) Transit Line U & Marguerite Line AE-F | East Bay Express (EB) | Line Dumbarton (DB)

Lines AE-F and EB are free to all riders, Line U is free with your Stanford Medicine ID, and the DB line is free with a Stanford Medicine provided <u>Clipper</u> card.

Stanford Medicine Transportation Services is here to help if you have any questions. Visit the Stanford Medicine Transportation Services website, or contact the Hospital Transportation Operations Center at <u>TransportationServices@stanfordhealthcare.org</u> or 650-736-8000.

The Hospital Transportation Operations Center phone line is operated 24/7, so you can reach out any time.



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