

GUIDE TO SAFE TRANSPORT

METRO AND SUBURBAN CLUBS



Making sure members and guests get to and from games, training and events safely is an important part of creating a safer, more family friendly club environment.

As part of your club's duty of care, having a safe transport plan reduces the risk of drink driving and helps keep everyone safe on the roads.

The last page of this guide is a poster that you can print out and display at your club. We recommend printing in A3 size.

SAFE TRANSPORT IDEAS

We've put together some great safe transport ideas for your club to consider.

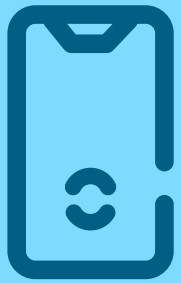
By implementing as many of these ideas as possible, you'll continue to build a safe and supportive club environment, while strengthening your Good Sports policy.

- **Get ahead of the game:** Plan ahead to make sure you know how many members and guests will likely need help getting home and come up with a game plan.
- **Designated drivers:** You can make it more attractive to be the designated driver by supplying free non-alcoholic drinks and food for members who are happy to get their mates home safely.
- **Board the bus:** Connect with local organisations in your area to borrow or hire a bus for safely transporting players home after games or events. Remember to keep the bus alcohol-free, ensuring everyone can get home safely at the other end.
- **Carpooling:** Encourage your members to carpool to events and games – the less people on the roads, the safer everyone is.
- **Say it loud online:** Regularly promote road safety messages on your club's social media (Facebook and Instagram) and website to drive the safe transport message home especially ahead of major events. Good Sports can help with this. Download the [Getting Home Safe Kit](#) for post templates and images to share on your social media channels, or get in touch with your Good Sports contact if you'd like more help with messaging.
- **Taxis and rideshare:** Make sure you have the numbers of local taxi services and names of rideshare companies displayed somewhere visible at your club or event. You could include QR codes for rideshare apps to encourage members to download them to their phone (like Uber or Didi). Taxi or rideshare vouchers also make great prizes for raffles, games and awards.
- **Walking:** If people live nearby and want to walk home, make sure a sober person goes with them.
- **Bunk up:** Encourage club members who live further away to stay at a mate's place close by.
- **Public transport timetable:** Print out or share links to local public transport timetables and maps so everyone can find out when the last bus, train or tram is. Google Maps shows public transport info in most places.

WHAT'S YOUR 'GET HOME SAFE' GAME PLAN?



Call a taxi:



Order a rideshare.



Stay at a mate's place.



Get a lift with a designated driver.

**NEVER DRIVE
OVER THE LIMIT.**



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