

# Board Transportation

<p><b>What does provider of last resort mean?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ ALL other possible transportation options must be contacted prior to Board transportation agreeing to transport.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Why?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Rule 5123:2-9-11 states that county boards must establish and implement annual benchmarks to reduce the number of people that we provide transportation.</li> <li>➤ Rule 5123:2-9-11 also states that county boards must work to assist in the recruitment of sufficient other providers in the county.</li> <li>➤ This rule was set into place on 3/27/2015 in conjunction with the federal requirements of conflict free case management.</li> </ul>
<p><b>What does this mean for transportation?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ The Board continues to provide transportation for individuals that cannot locate other transportation providers through the provider search process.</li> </ul>
<p><b>What type of transportation is this?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ ONLY transportation that no one else is willing to provide.</li> <li>➤ Often this is transportation that occurs on Sunday's.</li> <li>➤ Transportation that is in outlying areas of the community such as Wakeman, Vickery and Vermilion.</li> <li>➤ Late nights any day of the week (after 9pm).</li> <li>➤ Early mornings any day of the week (before 7am).</li> </ul>
<p><b>When will this begin?</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ This process started with a Board policy update as required by the rule.</li> <li>➤ As plans and revisions occur, SSA's are working with families to look at alternative options.</li> </ul>