



AC Transit's Monthly Pass Available on a Senior Clipper Card

Great news for senior passengers age 65+!

What's changing?

Starting October 22 (for the November pass), AC Transit's Senior/Disabled monthly pass will be available for most seniors on the Senior Clipper card. **Seniors will no longer be required to have a Regional Transit Connection (RTC) Discount card in order to enjoy the discounts of AC Transit's Senior/Disabled monthly pass.**

(Note: Disabled passengers will still need to have an RTC card to use the monthly pass.)

There are a couple of exceptions:

- ▶ **If you are a senior who qualifies for an attendant** to travel with you on transit, you and your attendant must both have RTC cards in order for your attendant to pay the reduced fare.
- ▶ **If you use other transit agencies that do not accept Clipper**, you may need an RTC card to be eligible for the discount fares applicable to those agencies.



If you already have a valid RTC card, you can wait until it expires.

The transition from RTC to Senior Clipper is not happening all at once. Shortly before your RTC card expires, you'll receive a letter from the RTC program explaining how to get a Senior Clipper card.

With a Senior Clipper card, you no longer need a monthly sticker.

A monthly sticker cannot be affixed to a Senior Clipper card. You'll need to have the monthly pass electronically loaded onto your Senior Clipper card where Clipper value is sold. Note that **not** all vendors which sell AC Transit's Senior/Disabled monthly stickers also sell value on Clipper. Visit www.clippercard.com to find a list of Clipper retailers.



It's easy to get a Senior Clipper card.

Unlike the RTC card, a Senior Clipper card is free, it doesn't expire, and you'll get it right away! You'll need to apply for the card in person, with a document proving your age. In the Oakland area, you can apply at the AC Transit & Clipper Customer Service Center in downtown Oakland (8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday) or at the Lake Merritt BART station Customer Service Center (7:30 a.m. – 5 p.m., Monday – Friday). For a full list of locations where you can apply for a card, as well as information about loading value onto the card, go to www.clippercard.com or call (877) 878-8883.