

Environmental Health and Safety

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Bus Safety

Many rely on buses for transportation. Local bus systems enable safe travel and easy accessibility. Read further to learn more about bus rules, as well as safety and security, so you can ensure a safe and easy trip.

Bus Rules

- Cross the street after the bus has left. Crossing in front of a bus does not allow other vehicles to see you.
- Allow passengers to exit before you board.
- Keep a firm grip on the handrails if you are standing up in the bus.
- If the bus gets crowded, move towards the back so others can have room to stand or sit.
- Be sure to wait at designated bus stops to ensure the driver can clearly see you.
- Vine buses are easily accessible to everyone, including those with wheelchairs and strollers. They are designed with low floors that meet the elevated curbside stations, so the bus does not have to decompress or lower.



Safety and Security

- Practice situational awareness by watching what is around you.
- C-Tran provides Safe Stop, a service that passengers travelling alone can request the driver to stop anywhere along their route after 8:00pm.
- C-Tran has security officers that patrol the transit service area.
- C-Tran buses are Safewatch vehicles, with immediate emergency access. This means that if you have an emergency, you can flag down any C-Tran bus for help.

Resources

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