

Medical Parking

Medical parking registrations are issued to individuals who need temporary parking accommodations due to a medical condition. The individual in need of medical parking privileges must bring a completed authorization for Medical Parking to the DOTS office at Regents Drive Garage. These applications are available at the University Health Center and must be approved by a Health Center designee, who will also indicate on the application the duration of the accommodation. DOTS is the final determining authority for approving lot assignments. In general, faculty are given access to all ungated faculty/staff and student lots. Medical Parking does not authorize parking in marked ADA spaces.

Disabled Parking

For permit holders

Individuals with state-issued disabled parking identification AND a current, valid campus faculty/staff permit (issued through DOTS) may park in parking spaces in any ungated faculty/staff or student lot including disabled spaces (Individuals with campus gate cards may also access designated gated lots). These individuals may also park in individual metered spaces or spaces controlled by a multi-space pay station and are NOT required to pay for parking.

State-issued disabled parking identification must be displayed in addition to that same individual's campus permit (or registered license plate) order to access these disabled parking accommodations.

For visitors

Visitors and vehicles displaying state-issued disabled parking identification WITHOUT a current, valid CLPR or campus permit:

- *May NOT park in parking spaces in campus lots that begin with a letter or number during posted restricted hours. This includes disabled spaces.*
- *May park in individual metered spaces for twice the amount of time listed on the meter **OR** four hours, whichever is shorter, and do **NOT** need to pay for parking during that time.*
- *May park in disabled spaces controlled by a multi-space pay station and **MUST** pay for parking.*
- *May park in all other spaces controlled by a multi-space pay station and **MUST** pay for parking.*

Paratransit

The University of Maryland, Department of Transportation Services (DOTS) Shuttle-UM provides paratransit service, which is a curb-to-curb, on demand, and subscription service available to all students, faculty, staff, and visitors with disabilities. DOTS Shuttle-UM recognizes and services people with disabilities registered with the University Health Center (UHC). Private physicians can diagnose injuries but these diagnoses must be verified by the UHC. In addition, passengers must register with DOTS Shuttle-UM to schedule their ride. Please visit transportation.umd.edu/paratransit.html for more information.