TIMETABLE (MON-FRI)

Please be at the stop 15 minutes <u>before</u> time stated, for <u>departure</u> at these times.

	Depart Kaitaia Hospital	
7.50 am	Awanui Hotel*	
8.00 am	Inland Road Junction*	
	Taipa Liquorland*	
8.10 am	Coopers Beach Butcher Shop*	
8.20 am	Mangonui (opposite Wilton's	
	Garage)*	
8.45 am	Waitaruke Township Junction*	
8.50 am	Kaeo Laundrette	
9.00 am	Matauri Bay Junction*	
9.15 am	Kerikeri (Outside Subway)*	
9.25 am	Pakaraka Junction (school	
	carpark)*	
9.27am	Moerewa Bus Stop*	
9.30 am	Kawakawa Taxi Stand*	
9.35 am	Waiomio Juction*	
10.05am	Hikurangi –34 kings street	
10.30 am : Arrive Whangarei Hospital		

The bus will not wait, so please be on time for your pick up, preferably 15 minutes before hand in case the bus is early. Have your appointment card/letter ready to show the driver, or have the fare ready to pay.

3.00 pm	Depart Whangarei Hospital
	Hikurangi
3.50 pm	Kawakawa Post Office
4.00 pm	Pakaraka Junction
4.10 pm	Kerikeri
4.30 pm	Kaeo
5.00 pm	Mangonui
5.15 pm	Taipa
5.30 pm	
5.35 pm	Arrive Kaitaia Hospital

While you are waiting in Whangarei, there are soft seats in the Chapel or on the ground floor of the Medical Services wing. You are also welcome to use the Cafeteria.

WHO CAN GO ON THE BUS?

Seats are allocated in the following order of priority:

- Outpatients and inpatients who have an appointment at a public hospital.
- Parents of children with an appointment at a public hospital.
- Support people/carers of elderly people or people with disabilities who have a public hospital appointment.

The service is FREE for the above people, although a *koha* (donation) would be welcomed.

For the following categories of passenger, the charge is \$20 One way:

- People with private appointments, eg at Prime Care or Kowhai Court.
- People wishing to visit inpatients at Whangarei Hospital.
- People wishing to travel for any other reason.
- For children 13 years and under, the charge is \$20 return Children under 5 years free.

The bus seats 21 people and is fitted with a wheelchair lift which is also helpful for those who have difficulty climbing steps (eg if a leg is in plaster), and 1 child restraint seat to fit children up to 5 years of age. Three reclining comfort seats are also available for patients who require foot rests only.

This is a SMOKE FREE bus.

Emergency contact

(09) 408 1033

YOU <u>MUST</u> BOOK AHEAD. THE DRIVER ONLY STOPS WHERE INDICATED ON HIS PASSENGER LIST.

When you book, please be sure to have your appointment time and date ready.

•	Bay of Islands	09 404 0280
•	Hospital Telephonist Kaeo Hospital	09 405 0541
_	Health Centre Clerk	09 430 4101
•	Whangarei Hospital Admissions	Extn 7263
•	Kaitaia Hospital Telephonist	09 408 0010

WHAT IF I NEED TO STAY OVERNIGHT IN WHANGAREI?

Some day procedures require you to have a check by your doctor the next day. In this case you can stay free of charge in **Maunu House Residence** if referred through the ward/waiting list clerk. Normally there is a charge of \$20 per person per night. Bookings are recommended. **Phone (09) 430 4101 ext. 7671 to make a booking.**

The **Whare Whanau** is available for emergency short-term accommodation for up to fourteen people, where sleeping arrangements

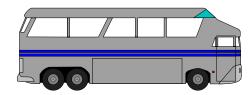
are Marae style. **Phone 09 430 4101 Extn 7256.**

Or you can make your own arrangements.

IMPORTANT

When you arrive for your appointment please notify Reception that you are booked to catch the bus back.

This will alert the Receptionist to your needs.



WEEKDAY BUS SERVICE BETWEEN KAITAIA & WHANGAREI HOSPITALS

Stopping at

Designated areas, please refer

to Timetable overleaf

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