**Alternative Transportation – When Driving Becomes Too Difficult:**

<http://www.harriscountyrides.com/> - RIDES is a curb-to-curb subsidized taxi program that allows eligible customers (65 and older or those with disabilities) and participating agencies to purchase transportation services at a significant discount. The customer pays 50% of the total trip cost.

Call 713 368 7433 or apply online at their website.

<http://www.seniorridesandmore.org/index.html> - Senior Rides and More provides free one-on-one assistance to the frail and elderly in southwest Houston through a network of volunteers who provide *free* transportation services and other volunteer help including home repairs, companionship visits, etc.

Phone: (713) 772-8181

<https://www.ridemetro.org/Pages/METROLift.aspx> - As part of the Metropolitan Transit Authority, METROLift provides transportation for persons with a disability who cannot board, ride or disembark from a regular METRO fixed-route bus, even if that bus is equipped with a wheelchair lift or ramp.  
Mon - Fri 8:00a.m. - 5:00p.m. Call: (713)-225-0119

<http://www.redcross.org/local/texas/gulf-coast/programs/transportation> - Provides free shared-ride service to the elderly and disabled – must reserve at least two weeks in advance. Requirements are a referral from a physician or agency social worker followed by an appointment with a Transport Coordinator. Call: (713) 526-8300 Mon-Fri 7:a.m. – 6:00 p.m.