



BE SAFE BY STAYING SAFE

BUS & TRACKLESS TROLLEY

Travel Tips

STAY ON THE SIDEWALK OR WALKWAY

- **ALWAYS** use dedicated sidewalks or painted walkways – especially at loops and transportation centers
- **NEVER** walk out onto the bus driveway or trespass on SEPTA property to take a short cut

LET YOURSELF BE SEEN

- Let the Operator see you - **NEVER** walk directly in front of or behind a bus or trackless trolley. Maintain a safe distance within sight of the Operator
- Stay alert around street intersections – **ALWAYS STOP, LOOK and LISTEN** before crossing the street
- Make sure your vision is not blocked by the stopped bus or trackless trolley
- Make certain there are no cars or trucks trying to drive around the bus or trackless trolley before you try to board or exit

LET YOURSELF BE HEARD

- Request your stop by using the cord or signal bar inside the vehicle
- If you're not familiar with the route tell the Operator which stop you need and then listen for announcements. Don't wait until the last moment to inform the Operator of your stop

SHARE THE LOVE

- **ALWAYS** hold onto your children's hand when waiting for a bus or trackless trolley
- Don't let your children wander – transit areas are busy places and they might end up in the path of a moving vehicle

STAND YOUR GROUND

- If you're standing while you ride, **HOLD ON TIGHT** to the poles or seat rails
- Don't **STAND NEAR** or **DISTRACT** your operator while the vehicle is moving

A STEP IN TIME

- Take your time stepping on or off vehicles
- **ALWAYS** be aware of the height between the first step on the vehicle and the curb
- Watch your step closely and make sure you have firm footing when getting on or off

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