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Ensuring the safety of all our personnel, customers and operators is priority number one. This plan provides information to help you plan your commute and travel needs and alleviate concerns and unknowns as we begin to return to the Pentagon Reservation. Procedures are provided by Health Protection Condition (HPCON) levels. Please note that this information is subject to change. While we will make updates as information becomes available, please check the websites of your transportation providers for the most current updates.

Phase 0 - HPCON C+ Transportation Procedures

Regional public transportation services and DoD shuttle services are severely reduced to ensure the safety and health of the front line workers, transportation operators and essential workers.

Social Distancing. The transportation systems limit the number of passengers boarding buses/trains, reducing capacity to at least 50% or more. Most public transit buses implemented rear-door boarding and waiving fare to maintain social distancing and reducing contact.

Face Coverings. Required on Metrorail, Metrobus and in stations. Also required on all regional transit systems and facilities beginning May 28, 2020. DoD shuttle passengers are required to wear face coverings in the shuttles and at mass transit hubs.

Cleaning of Transit Vehicles. Cleaning frequencies have increased during the day to disinfect buses and trains. Electrostatic sprayers are also used to increase the speed of cleaning.

Metrorail

Operation (Reduced): 5am to 9pm (Weekdays); 8am to 9pm (Weekends) 19 Metro-rail Stations Closed; Pentagon station remains open.

Frequency: Every 15 minutes on Red line & every 20 minutes on all other lines

Full details: www.wmata.com/service/status/details/covid-operating-status.cfm

Special Project: Summer Platform Shutdown began on May 23 with 4 Orange Line stations closed and no service on Silver Lines (www.wmata.com/platforms)

Metrobus

Operation (Reduced): 5am to 11pm (Daily)

Frequency: Varies; running reduced weekend services and modified Sunday services during weekday. 7M (Pentagon-Mark Center) runs every 30 minutes

Schedules: www.wmata.com/service/status/details/covid-operating-status.cfm

Other Public Transit Services

ART: Enhanced Saturday Schedule (www.arlingtontransit.com/)

DASH: Enhanced Saturday Schedule. AT2X suspended. AT2 Local operates every 30 minutes (www.dashbus.com/)

FFX: Services to Pentagon suspended. Reduced schedule on local lines (www.fairfaxcounty.com/connector)

Loudoun County: Commuter services (including Pentagon) suspended. Reduced schedule on local lines (www.loudoun.gov/bus)

OmniRide: Reduced services to Pentagon and local lines (www.omniride.com)

VRE: Reduced service—S schedule (www.vre.org)

MARC: Reduced Service—R Schedule (https:// www.mta.maryland.gov/marc-train)

Slug Lines

Operation: Pentagon stations open. Regional slugging not recommended (sluglines.com and slug-lines.com)

Social Distancing: Advisory and signage in place at Pentagon slug stations

DoD Shuttles

Operation: Pentagon Circulator—normal schedule (6am—6pm; every 10 minutes); Suffolk Express—reduced hourly schedule; Franconia/Springfield—Mark Center—reduced schedule (every 30 minutes, peak only); NGB Shuttle—normal schedule; all other routes suspended. (www.whs.mil/Coronavirus/)

Boarding Procedures: Reduced seating to 50% capacity; face covering required

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Phase 1 - HPCON C Transportation Procedures

Similar to HPCON C+, regional public transportation and DoD shuttle services are severely reduced to ensure safety and health of the front line workers, transportation operators and essential workers.

Social Distancing. The transportation systems limit the number of passengers boarding buses/trains, reducing capacity to at least 50% or more. Most public transit buses implemented rear-door boarding and waiving fare to maintain social distancing and reducing contact.

Face Coverings. Required on Metrorail, Metrobus and in stations. Also required on all regional transit systems and facilities beginning May 28, 2020. DoD shuttle passengers are required to wear face coverings in the shuttles and at mass transit hubs.

Cleaning of Transit Vehicles. Increased cleaning frequencies will be maintained during the day to disinfect buses and trains. Electrostatic sprayers are also used to increase the speed of cleaning.

Metrorail

Operation (Reduced): 5am to 9pm (Weekdays); 8am to 9pm (Weekends) 19 Metrorail Stations Closed; Pentagon station remains open.

Frequency: Every 15 minutes on Red line & every 20 minutes on all other lines

Full details: www.wmata.com/service/status/details/covid-operating-status.cfm

Special Projects: Summer Platform Shutdown began on May 23 with 4 Orange Line stations closed and no service on Silver Lines (www.wmata.com/platforms); Yellow Line bridge work began on June 7 for 3 weeks, disrupting train services from L'Enfant to Pentagon. Passengers must use Blue line to go to the Pentagon from L'Enfant.

Metrobus

Operation (Reduced): 5am to 11pm (Daily)

Frequency: Varies; running reduced weekend services and modified Sunday services during weekday. 7M (Pentagon-Mark Center) runs every 30 minutes

Schedules: www.wmata.com/service/status/details/covid-operating-status.cfm

Other Public Transit Services

ART: Enhanced Saturday Schedule (www.arlingtontransit.com/)

DASH: Enhanced Saturday Schedule began on May 24 (www.dashbus.com/); AT2X suspended. AT2 Local continues to operate every 30 minutes

FFX: Services to Pentagon suspended. Reduced schedule on local lines (www.fairfaxcounty.com/connector)

Loudoun County: Commuter services (including Pentagon) suspended. Reduced schedule on local lines (www.loudoun.gov/bus)

OmniRide: Return to Friday schedules (including Pentagon destinations) beginning June 22. All lines begin to operate June 22. (www.omniride.com)

VRE: Reduced service—S schedule (www.vre.org)

MARC: Reduced service—R Schedule (https:// www.mta.maryland.gov/marc-train)

Slug Lines

Operation: Pentagon stations open; regional slugging not recommended (sluglines.com and slug-lines.com)

Social Distancing: Advisory and signage in place at Pentagon slug stations

DoD Shuttles

Operation: Pentagon Circulator—normal schedule (6am—6pm; every 10 minutes); Suffolk Express—reduced hourly schedule; Franconia/Springfield—Mark Center—reduced schedule (every 30 minutes, peak only); Limited service for DHHQ Shuttles and Navy Shuttles (Routes 1, 8 and 11); NGB Shuttle—normal schedule; all other routes suspended. (https://www.whs.mil/Coronavirus/)

Boarding Procedures: Reduced seating to 50% capacity; face covering required

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Phase 2 - HPCON B Transportation Procedures

Regional public transportation services and DoD shuttle services are moderately reduced to ensure safety and health of all passengers and operators.

Social Distancing. The transportation systems limit passengers boarding buses/trains to 50% capacity Some public transit buses resume rear-door boarding and fare collection beginning January 2021.

Face Coverings. Required on Metrorail, Metrobus and in stations. Also required on all regional transit systems and facilities beginning 5/28/20. DoD shuttle passengers are required to wear face coverings in the shuttles and at mass transit hubs. **CDC issued an order on 1/29/21 requiring the wearing of masks by travelers. People must wear masks that cover both the mouth and nose when awaiting, traveling on, or disembarking public conveyances, as well as entering transportation hubs.**

Cleaning of Transit Vehicles. Increased cleaning frequencies will be maintained during the day to disinfect buses and trains. Electrostatic sprayers are also used to increase the speed of cleaning.

Metrorail

Operation: 5:00am to 11:00pm, M-F; 7:00am to 11:00pm, Sat; 8:00am to 11:00pm, Sun

Peak Frequency: Every 5 mins on Red line & every 8 mins on all other lines

Non-Peak Frequency: Every 12 mins on Red line & every 15 mins on all other lines

Full details: www.wmata.com/service/status/details/covid-operating-status.cfm

Special Projects: Franconia-Springfield and Van Dorn St stations closed on weekends and selected weekdays between Nov 27, 2020 through mid-Mar 2021. Shuttles to Pentagon available (www.wmata.com/about/news/Metro-to-advance-safety-critical-work-on-Blue-Line.cfm). **Arlington Cemetery and Addison Road stations will be closed from 2/13/21 to 5/23/21 due to platform improvements. Use Yellow Line as alternative with no Blue Line service. Shuttles to Pentagon from Rosslyn available.**

Metrobus

Operation: 4:00am to 12:00am

Frequency: Please check www.wmata.com for specific route schedule. 7M (Pentagon-Mark Center) runs every 10 minutes during peak periods and every 15 minutes during non-peak, beginning Jul 13. Fare collection/front-door boarding resumed on Jan 3, 2021.

Schedules: www.wmata.com/service/status/details/proposed-august-2020-metrobus-service-changes.cfm

Other Public Transit Services

ART: Service increase began on Aug 23 to include ART 42 and 87 (www.arlingtontransit.com/). Fare collection/front-door boarding resumed on Jan 1 2021.

DASH: Service increase to 80% pre-COVID beginning September 15. AT2X resumed peak hour service every 15 minutes on Jun 29. AT2 continues to run every 30 minutes.

FFX: Regular service (www.fairfaxcounty.com/connector) Fare collection/front-door boarding resumed on Jan 4, 2021.

Loudoun County: Limited commuter service (including Pentagon trips) resumed on Jul 13. (www.loudoun.gov/bus)

OmniRide: Increased service to Friday schedules on commuter services to Pentagon and local lines. Commuter services to the Mark Center temporarily suspended beginning Nov 30 (www.omniride.com).

VRE: Operating S Schedule with additional trip on Fredericksburg line (www.vre.org)

MARC: Operating on published R schedules with limited supplemental service for the Penn and Brunswick Lines beginning Nov 2. (https:// www.mta.maryland.gov/marc-train)

Slug Lines

Operation: Slug stations open (sluglines.com and slug-lines.com)

Social Distancing: Advisory and signage in place at Pentagon slug stations for social distancing and use of face covering.

DoD Shuttles

Operation: Normal Schedule—Pentagon Circulator North and South, Franconia/Springfield—Mark Center, DHHQ Meeting and Commuter Shuttles, NGB Shuttle (Route 6). Reduced/Limited Schedule—Navy Shuttles (Routes 1, 8 and 11), Army Shuttle (Route 3—Crystal City); Suffolk Express (Pentagon); Rosslyn Shuttle (Route 14) beginning 2/8/21; all other routes suspended. (https://www.whs.mil/Coronavirus/)

Boarding Procedures: Reduced seating capacity; face covering required

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Phases 3/4 - HPCON A/0 Transportation Procedures

Regional public transportation services and DoD shuttle services are running close to pre-COVID-19 service level with modification due to social distancing to ensure safety and health of the all passengers and operators.

Social Distancing. The transportation systems largely return to normal capacity but may determine adjustment on an individual basis. Rear-door boarding and fare waiver suspended to operate normal service. Protected separator may be added permanently to protect operators.
Face Coverings. Passengers are strongly encouraged to wear face covering when they are sick while using public transit and DoD shuttles.
Cleaning of Transit Vehicles. Increased cleaning frequencies will be maintained as regular procedures to disinfect buses and trains. Electrostatic sprayers are used to increase the speed of cleaning.

Metrorail

Operation: 5am to 12am (weekdays); 8am to 12am (weekends). All stations open

Frequency: Regular schedules; may have modifications

Schedules: www.wmata.com/

Metrobus

Operation: 4am to 12am (Daily)

Frequency: Regular schedules; may have modifications

Schedules: www.wmata.com/

Other Public Transit Services

ART: Regular Schedule, (www.arlingtontransit.com/)

DASH: Regular Schedule (www.dashbus.com/)

FFX: Regular Schedule (www.fairfaxcounty.com/connector)

Loudoun County: Regular Schedule (www.loudoun.gov/bus)

OmniRide: Regular Schedule; may have modifications (www.omniride.com)

VRE: Regular Schedule (www.vre.org)

MARC: Regular Schedule (https:// www.mta.maryland.gov/marc-train)

Slug Lines

Operation: All regional slug lines open (sluglines.com and slug-lines.com)

Social Distancing: Dependent on latest CDC guidelines.

DoD Shuttles

Operation: Regular Schedule, may have modifications

Boarding Procedures: May implement slight reduced capacity as a proactive preventive measure for future pandemic situations.