

Travel and car parking offers for staff during COVID-19

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Please note many of these services are provided by third parties that are not linked to the Trust, full disclaimers below.

Travel

First Bus travel

First Bus announced on Monday 17 May that they are increasing on-bus capacity making it easier for staff to come to work. This is valid across all First Buses in England. For more information and to plan your journey please visit [First bus journey planner](#) or visit [Travelwest's website](#). Please be aware that due to latest Government legislations face mask MUST be worn on all public transport unless exempt.

Park and Ride

UHBW have teamed up with the First Group to offer staff the **Assisted Park and Ride Bus Pass Purchase Scheme** which enables staff to apply for a park and ride season ticket for Brislington and Portway (Other packages are available directly from First Group). You can apply for this by filling out the Bristol Park & Ride application form. The ticket is for twelve months and costs £550 per year or a total of £45.84 monthly deduction. More information can be found on the Bristol park and Ride application form. Email Sustainability if you require any more information regarding the Bus scheme please contact the [Sustainable travel and car parking team](#). Please be aware that due to latest Government legislations face mask MUST be worn on all public transport unless exempt.

Voi e-scooters

Voi continue to support key workers under their Voi 4 Heroes Subscription providing **50%** off the cost of your monthly Voi Pass. Please email support@voiapp.io.

Voi also now operate a 'Long Term Rental Service' priced at £35 per month! This will be your own personal rental e-scooter. For more information, please visit <https://www.voiscooters.com/long-term-rentals/west-of-england/>.

Free bike hire

Sustrans has created an interactive map to help key workers find bike offers and services. For more information, visit the [Sustrans website](#).

Travelwest continue to provide free bike hire in North Somerset for staff at Weston General Hospital. Staff can apply for this through the [Travelwest website](#).

Hospital free bus

The [hospital free bus](#) in Bristol continues to operate, supporting staff to get to work from Temple Meads Train Station, Cabot Circus, Debenhams, Bristol Eye Hospital, Bristol Royal Infirmary/ Bristol Royal Hospital For Children, Bristol Haematology and Oncology Centre and St Michael's Hospital.

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***We must remind staff that any staff who are being abusive and violent to any external parking providers will face staff disciplinary actions and possible civil and/or police actions will be taken as this will not be tolerated by the Trust.**

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not act as an agent for the providers, it is not responsible for any aspects of the relationship between you and the third party provider and cannot accept any liability including but not limited to the state and condition of the vehicles listed. You must ensure that where you use a third party vehicle that it is appropriately insured. You should take steps to ensure your safety at all times.

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