



Trip Guidelines for NWSRA Participant's

SHORT TRIP

This trip is designed for individuals who have shown that they meet the eligibility criteria and are looking for a road trip vacation. This trip may travel out of state but does not fly. The group travels by bus and the drive may be up to 4 hours in length to arrive at the destination, including a 2-night stay.

- Ability to be successful at a 1:4 staffing ratio
- Participant must maintain active and successful participation over the past 12 months
- Display no signs of physical aggression (client to client aggression, aggression towards staff or community members)
- Socially appropriate behaviors for an extended period of time
- General enjoyment and interest in activities
- Ability to positively contribute to group dynamic
- Ability to be successful at a 1:10 staffing ratio
- Able to remain with the group with minimal prompting
- Complete activities of daily living (eating, dressing, bathing, etc.) and personal care independently. Staff may provide reminders, but participants must be able to successfully complete the task without continual assistance and prompting.

LONG TRIP

This trip is designed for individuals who have successfully traveled on a Short Trip and have shown that they meet the eligibility criteria. This trip travels out of state on an airplane and includes a 3-night stay. All Short Trip guidelines apply, in addition to the following.

- Able to keep pace and display socially appropriate behaviors on all forms of public transportation (airplane, train, bus)
- Respectful of itinerary timing
- Ability to keep pace with the group
- If ambulatory, have the ability to walk longer distances, up to 2 miles at one time