



WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ACT MEMO

2017 Wisconsin Act 238
[2017 Assembly Bill 651]

**Requirements of a Human
Services Vehicle Driver**

Under rules promulgated by the Department of Transportation, the driver of a human services vehicle **may not** do any of the following, but for certain exceptions for chaperones or monitors:

- Require or allow any passenger to stand while the vehicle is in motion.
- Move or start the human services vehicle until all passengers are seated.
- Permit a passenger to get up from a seated position until the human services vehicle has come to a complete stop.
- Permit any passengers to sit anywhere except in seats provided.

2017 Wisconsin Act 238 provides that these restrictions do not apply to a passenger with a medical condition that prevents sitting as certified by a medical practitioner.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.wisconsin.gov>.