has a population of approximately eight million people throughout six counties and 7,200 transit routes. For more information, visit RTAChicago.org.

CTA, Metra and Pace

The Chicago Transit Authority (CTA) runs bus and elevated/subway trains in Chicago and nearby suburbs. For current fare and schedule information, visit transitchicago.com.

Metra provides commuter rail services to 242 stations throughout the five counties serving Chicago and its suburbs. For complete fare and schedule information, visit MetraLink.com.

Pace moves people throughout the Chicago region with local bus routes. Dial-a-Ride, Call-a-Ride and other community transit programs. Most Pace bus routes connect with Metra and CTA services. For schedules and fares, visit pacbus.com.

Transit Partners

South Shore Line runs trains on the Metra Electric line from downtown Chicago to South Bend, Indiana, serving the Southeast Side of Chicago and Northwest Indiana. For schedules and fares visit nectd.com.

Amtrak provides rail service from Chicago’s Union Station to cities throughout Illinois and the United States. Many of these routes are combined with Thruway buses, connect to Illinois cities. For more information, visit Amtrak.com.

Chicago Water Taxi offers a direct link from the Metra and Amtrak stations at Madison Street to Michigan Avenue, North Avenue and Chinatown. For more information visit chicagowatertaxi.com.

Divvy Bikes

Divvy is Chicago’s bike share system. Many Divvy stations are conveniently located near CTA and Metra stations. Bikes can be checked out of one station, used, and returned to any station. For pricing and station locations, please visit DivvyBikes.com.

Bikes On Transit

CTA and Pace provide bus service throughout the Chicagoland region. Customers can put their bikes on bus by bike racks located in the front of buses. Bikes are permitted on CTA buses except during weekday morning commuter rush hours. On Metra, bikes are allowed on certain workday trains and all trains on weekdays and Saturdays. For more information, visit MetraRail.com for details.

Northern Illinois Transit District permits bikes on some non-workday routes. For more information visit ni-t奥地利is.com.

Accessibility

Metra has 242 commuter rail stations and 586 Metra rail stations, of which 145 stations are fully accessible. All CTA and Pace buses are ramp-equipped and made automatic stop announcements. For more information on boarding assistance, wheelchair accessible bus and rail stations, please visit RTAChicago.org/accessible-transit.

Making Connections

At downtown Metra stations, consult the transit information panels to find the right bus to make your connection. Metra, CTA, and Pace work together as a system to get you door to door as easily as possible.

CTA and Pace Fares

Customers purchased only in dollar bills or on credit, debit, and transit cards. Local and Multi-Ride Cards (valid for up to 30 days) can be purchased at a CTA station. Cards are valid for up to 30 days after purchase. For more information, visit RTAChicago.org.

CTA Fares

Metra Fares

Metro Fares

Toll Pass, please be prepared to pay the fare. Parking is available for all participating stations. Parking is available for all participating stations.

Information on the go

For more information on Metra, CTA, and Pace services, call 1-888-240-7523, Monday through Friday, 6 am to 10 pm. You can also find information on the CTA mobile app and the CTA website.

BTA Travel Information Center

Get the latest on CTA, Metra and Pace services, including real-time train status, bus delays, parking, and service restoration plans. Please log on to chapspic.com or call 312-836-7200 for information and assistance.

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