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## Some information about the Blue Badge scheme

### Things you need to know

- A Blue Badge is a card that you put in your car window. It means you can park in more places. For example, in disabled parking places or on yellow lines

### How to get a Blue Badge

- You can get a Blue Badge if you get these benefits
  - The higher rate mobility part of Disability Living Allowance
  - War Pensions Mobility Supplement
- You can also get a Blue Badge if you are registered blind
- You may be able to get a Blue Badge if you find it difficult to walk a short way
- You need to apply to get a Blue Badge. This means you need to fill in an application form

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- To apply for a Blue Badge contact the **Disabled Persons Badge Scheme Central Office**. Their contact details are in the 'where to get more information and help' part of the sheet
- You do **not** need to be a driver to apply for a Blue Badge

## Other information

- The badge costs £2. It will last for 3 years

## Things to remember


- Make sure you have your Blue Badge with you when need to use it
- Make sure you display your Blue Badge clearly in your car
- Do not let anyone else use your Blue Badge
- Make sure you know when and where you can use your Blue Badge. You will be sent the badge and information on how to use it by an organisation called **Roads Service**

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## Where to get more information or help

### For more information about the Blue Badge Scheme

#### Contact **Disabled Persons Badge Scheme Central Office**

 Disabled Persons Badge Scheme Central Office  
Castle Barracks  
Wellington Place  
Enniskillen BT74 7HN

 028 6634 3700

Textphone 028 6634 3749

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 Email [disabledpersons@drdni.gov.uk](mailto:disabledpersons@drdni.gov.uk)

 [www.roadsni.gov.uk](http://www.roadsni.gov.uk)

You can also visit the **Getting Out and About website** at [www.ni-transportguide.info](http://www.ni-transportguide.info)

These information sheets may also be useful

**Sheet 4** Transport and benefits

**Sheet 17** Some information for people that use a car

**Sheet 20** Some information about Motability