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Library on Wheels Policy (Limited to Homebound Residents of Sharon)

The Sharon Public Library offers home delivery service to Sharon residents who are temporarily or permanently unable to visit the library in person. Sharon residents, with a Sharon address, who are unable to travel to the library may register for this service. This includes individuals who may have temporary or permanent disabilities or health problems and patrons who have been hospitalized or are otherwise confined to their homes.

Volunteer drivers will deliver materials on a regular schedule, to ensure new materials are brought to homebound patrons. They will also collect and return older materials. *(Volunteer drivers are required to pass the Criminal Offender Record Information (CORI) requirements.)*

Guidelines:

- Home delivery service will be based on pre-determined user-selected categories and preferences.
- Books, audiobooks, magazines, music CDs, and DVDs are available through this program for the period specified for each format.
- Patrons are contacted weekly by a library staff member. Materials may be eligible for renewal which is determined on an item-by-item basis.

To register for this service, you will first need to have a valid Sharon Public Library Card. If you don't have a library card, you can complete a registration form and obtain one from the circulation desk. Then you would complete the Library on Wheels Patron Registration Form, specifying the type of materials you request. Library on Wheels Forms are available at the library or from the library website. For additional information, or to schedule delivery, please contact the Circulation Supervisor at 781-784-1578 ext.1426.

Once your registration forms have been received and processed, a Library staff member will contact you to set up your delivery schedule.