

DAV/ Auxiliary 2018 National Convention, Reno, Nevada Scooter Rentals, Transportation, Airport and Weather

Scooters

Call Medtech Services, Inc. at (800) 633-8324 for scooter reservations. All reservations should reference the Disabled American Veterans Convention. (See last page for pricing and other details.)

Airport Transportation

The Grand Sierra Resort offers a complimentary shuttle that runs every 15 minutes to/from the airport and the Grand Sierra Resort beginning at 4:15am until 12:00am. The pick-up location at the airport at the north end of the baggage claim area. The pick-up location at the Grand Sierra Resort is located in front of the hotel, just north of the valet office. Reservations are not necessary. (See below for wheelchair accessible transportation.)

After off boarding your plane, follow the signs to the baggage claim area on the lower level. Take the escalator to the baggage claim area on the lower level. Exit the doors located across at the north end of the Baggage Claim area where the GSR airport shuttles are staged. Should you need to contact the hotel upon arrival to Reno-Tahoe International Airport you may call 775-328-6400.

Wheelchair accessible transportation between the GSR and airport can be reserved in advance or on demand by calling (775) 322-2222 (24 hrs.). Transportation is provided through Whittlesea Checker Taxi and paid for by DAV when you show them your DAV/ DAVA Membership card. (The driver will record your information so that the transfer can be charged to DAV's account).

You can also arrange a ride during business hours at the Bell Limousine Desk in baggage claim at the Reno Airport (they will arrange a Whittlesea Checker Taxi for you) or by picking up the phone in the hotel shuttle area marked "Taxi Assistance". Be sure to ask for a Whittlesea Checker Taxi that is wheelchair accessible and let them know you are with Disabled American Veterans.

Alternate Transportation Options

Taxi - To/From airport fee: approximately \$10.00 each way, for up to 5 people.

Parking at the Grand Sierra Resort

Valet Parking

- Complimentary Valet parking is available at the Grand Sierra Resort.

Self-Parking

- Self-parking is located all around the Grand Sierra resort and is free of charge.

Accessibility and Pets at the Grand Sierra Resort

Service Animals: Service dogs are permitted at the Grand Sierra Resort. Please advise the Front Desk Agent that you are traveling with a service dog.

For your convenience, cleaning stations have been provided outside the exit located on the Spa Level of the hotel near the Spa and at the RV Park. Guests are responsible for cleaning up after their dog on hotel property.

The following facilities are available for persons with disabilities at the Grand Sierra Resort

- **Visual Assistance:** audio-visual smoke detectors and Braille symbols in elevators.
- **Wheelchair Assistance:** wheelchair-accessible peepholes; wheelchair-accessible doors; fitness center is wheelchair accessible; wheelchair-accessible climate controls; public rest rooms are wheelchair accessible; bathtub benches are available for all room types; bathtub grab rails are available for all room types; wheelchair-accessible sink/vanity and towel racks; wheelchair-accessible closet poles; roll-in showers.
- **ADA: The Grand Sierra Resort** has forty eight (48) ADA rooms. In the event of an alarm, the strobe lights become visible.

**** Note: All 48 ADA rooms may accommodate a hearing impaired guest.**

Hotel Information

The Grand Sierra Resort & Casino lets guests play, lounge and live large. With a wide selection of restaurants, cafés, bars and lounges, the hotel and resort provides an inclusive, never-have-to-leave experience for discerning casino players and vacationers.

Within the hotel property, guests can enjoy: <https://www.grandsierraresort.com/activities>

- Miniature golf
- Go-karts
- Skydiving at Grand Adventure Land
- Fun Quest video arcade
- Laser tag
- A 50-lane bowling center
- A movie theater
- Reno's only over-water driving range, Sierra Bay Aqua Golf
- An indoor simulated golf course where you can "play" at Pinehurst II, Pebble Beach or Harbor Town

For a complete list of all 11 award-winning restaurants located inside the hotel, please visit: <https://www.grandsierraresort.com/dining-and-lounges> . **DAV/ DAVA Registered attendees receive a 25% discount on Spa Services, 15% discount on GSR-owned dining and retail outlets and 10% discount on GSR-owned recreational activities including bowling and FunQuest.**

Check-in at the Grand Sierra begins at 3 p.m. Early check-in is not guaranteed, although the hotel will make every effort to accommodate.

Reno Forecast

July in Reno is typically sunny and very warm. Average July weather ranges from 58 degree lows to 93 degree highs. Since the summer weather in Reno can be very hot, be sure to wear sunscreen and drink plenty of water to avoid dehydration.

[Forecast for Reno, NV](#)

Departing from Reno-Tahoe International Airport

We suggest that you plan on arriving at the airport at least 2 hours in advance of your scheduled flight departure.

Scooter Pricing

Previously, we were utilizing Scootaround. Due to the significantly reduced number of rentals to date, we changed the supplier to a smaller, local company with better rates. If you had a reservation with Scootaround, they notified those with rental agreements that they were cancelling their order so that your order could be transferred to Medtech. Rentals through Medtech will realize a \$35-\$40 savings. Please contact Marcy Hilecher with any questions (818) 335-9735. Please reference Disabled American Veterans Convention to receive these rates.

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Scooter Rates – Disabled American Veterans Convention

The following discounted rates have been prepared for the Disabled American Veterans Convention when renting a **Scooter** from Medtech Services. Please be advised that the prices below include pick-up and delivery from The Grand Sierra Resort

1 Day	\$45.00
2 Days	\$85.00
3 Days	\$115.00
4 Days	\$135.00
5 Days	\$155.00
6 Days	\$160.00
7 Days	\$165.00
8 Days	\$170.00

The following discounted rates have been prepared for the Disabled American Veterans Convention when renting a **Wheelchair** from Medtech Services. Please be advised that the prices below include pick-up and delivery from The Grand Sierra Resort

1 Day	\$12.00
2 Days	\$18.00
3 Days	\$23.00
4 Days	\$28.00
5 Days	\$30.00
6 Days	\$35.00
7 Days	\$40.00
8 Days	\$45.00

Anyone wishing to rent a scooter or wheelchair in advance shall call **(800) 633-8324 and a CS Representative will take the reservation.** All correspondence should reference the Disabled American Veterans Convention. All rentals are required to have a Credit Card # on file in case anything should happen to the scooter or wheelchair; arrangements to pay by check must be made in advance.