KNOW THE LAW

The Maryland State Law classifies motorized scooters and mopeds as vehicles; therefore, motorized scooters and mopeds are bound by all vehicle laws. All traffic laws apply to mopeds and scooters; speed limits, lane use, turn signals, etc. Scooter owners must wear a helmet and eye protection, title their scooter with the MVA and have PIP insurance.

PROHIBITED AREAS

» Bicycle racks.
» On sidewalks.
» Within any building.
» On any ramp established for the use of persons with disabilities.
» On any stairs.
» On any object or surface not designated or intended for use by wheeled devices.

SCOOTERS ON CAMPUS

» Wear a helmet and eye protection.
» Obey all traffic laws like all other motor vehicles.
» Never drive on sidewalks or bike paths.
» Do not park at bike racks or sidewalks.
» Yield to pedestrians in crosswalks.

All motorized scooters used, stored, or parked at the University must be registered with DOTS in addition to being titled through the state. Proof of ownership may be required to register a motorized scooter or moped. Registration is available at the Department of Transportation office only.

Please visit www.transportation.umd.edu for current fees.

Proper helmet and eye protection required

Helmets may be purchased at the Regents Drive Garage office for $50

UMD MOTORIZED SCOOTER INFO

For more information on regulations & fees, please visit www.transportation.umd.edu
Within the university campus there are more than 300 parking locations for motorized scooters, mopeds and motorcycles. These scooters must be registered by DOTS and display a DOTS license plate. Motorized scooters, mopeds and motorcycles are not permitted to park on designated bicycle racks. These vehicles parked in violation of university regulations are subject to be towed.