## 🔑 Translink



Translink is one of the largest companies in Northern Ireland and is the main provider of public transport in Northern Ireland. It provides integrated bus and rail services that are reliable, safe and accessible for passengers.

Public transport in Northern Ireland is a real success story.



Metro Service

## Services and Future Developments

Public Transport has been implementing a significant programme of change with the result that public transport in Northern Ireland is now better, more modern and growing.

The development of Belfast City has been mirrored by the development of the public transport services with Metro, Belfast's bus service playing a central role in Belfast City life.

The draft Budget allocations for up to 2011 provide provision for the purchase of 200 new buses and 20 new trains. In terms of infrastructure investment, this will be ploughed into a major track relay project between Coleraine and Derry, and invested into improvement works on the railway line between Knockmore and Lurgan. In February NI Railways also announced a £12.6 million investment in Newry rail station with a new road link and a 300 space Park & Ride facility. The Concessionary Fares Scheme for free travel on public transport is also set to be extended this Autumn to everyone 60 years and over.

Public transport in Northern Ireland is a real success story, providing services that are integrated into both urban and rural communities and that are affordable and accessible to everyone.

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