ADA Parking FAQs

1) Do I need to buy an NHD permit if I have a state-issued ADA?

Yes. To park on campus with a state-issued ADA Handicap permit, you must purchase an NHD guest parking pass.

- Permits are sold here: https://umd.aceparking.com.
- With the display of your purchased NHD permit and your ADA placard or plate, you may park in ANY non-gated parking lot on campus, including both marked ADA and regular parking spaces.
- Please make sure not to park in specific restricted spaces such as "State Vehicle Only," "Electric Car Only," etc.
- You may park at campus meters and pay station spaces with the display of both permits (NHD prepay + state ADA)
- Please be sure to print your parking permit and display it on your dash in addition to your ADA hangtag (or plate)

2) Where are ADA-marked accessible parking spaces located?

- There are various ADA parking locations next to nearly all buildings on campus.
- Here is our interactive map. https://maps.umd.edu/map/ You can zoom in and out for details.
- ADA spaces are indicated by the traditional blue highlight.

3) where is the best place to park with an ADA permit for Thursday's Closing Ceremony in Xfinity Center?

- For Thursday's closing ceremony at the Xfinity Center, go to the Terrapin Trail Garage (also known as lot 6).
- Level 2 of the Terrapin Trail Garage (TTG) has many ADA spaces and goes directly into the Xfinity Center at the concourse seating level.
- The closing ceremony parking permits sold on the website at https://umd.aceparking.com are valid in the Terrapin Trail Garage (lot 6) and lot 4b.

General ADA parking Info page: https://transportation.umd.edu/parking/accessible-parking

Again, you may park in any non-gated campus parking lot by displaying your NHD prepay permit + State ADA hangtag or plate.