Driving and Walking Directions to & from Variety Club Research Center (VCRC)

Closest parking: East River Road Parking Ramp: 391 East River Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55455

Driving Directions to East River Parkway Parking Ramp

From the North
Take I-35W South to exit 18 for 4th St SE toward University Ave/Hennepin County Rd 36
Turn left onto University Ave SE (signs for Minnesota 36/U of M)
Turn right onto 14th Ave SE
14th Ave SE turns slightly right and becomes East River Pkwy
Destination will be on the left

Note: The first entrance to the Ramp is Contract Only; Continue Eastbound to Second Entrance for Visitors

From the South
Take I-35W N to exit 17C for 3rd St toward U of M West Bank
Turn right onto Washington Ave SE, turn right onto Delaware St SE
Turn left onto East River Pkwy - Destination will be on the left

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From the West
Take I-394 E to exit 8B to merge onto I-94 E; exit 233C on the left to merge onto I-35W N
Take exit 17C for 3rd St toward U of M West Bank; turn right onto Washington Ave SE
Turn right onto Delaware St SE; turn left onto East River Pkwy; Destination will be on the left

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From the East
Take I-94 W; stay to the left on I-94 W; slight right to stay on I-94 W; follow signs for Minneapolis; take exit 235B for Huron Blvd; turn right onto Huron Blvd SE; turn left onto Fulton St SE; continue straight onto East River Pkwy; destination will be on the right

Note: The entrance to the Ramp for Visitors will be on the Right as you are heading Westbound

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Walking Directions to the Department of Medicine Administration Headquarters

401 East River Parkway, Minneapolis, MN 55455 - Variety Club Research Center (VCRC)

Campus Maps

Children’s Rehab Entrance

- From the parking ramp walk East to the first building on the left (see below)
- Enter the building and walk down the steps
- Turn right after the vending machine
- Take another right and go through doorway
- Take elevator or steps to Floor 1
- Take a left to go to the Chairs Office
- Take a right to go to Medicine Education/Finance, HR and/or Research

VCRC Main Entrance

- From the parking ramp walk East up the hill to the second entrance on the left (see above)
- Enter the building and follow around to the left
- Enter the Department of Medicine through the frosted double doors

NOTE: All entrances require a U Card to enter, if you don’t have one, someone will meet you at one of the entrances.