

# Welcome to Karbala –Transfer Guidelines

*The First International Subtain University Medical Education Conference ISUMEC  
Karbala, Iraq | October 25-27, 2025*

Welcome to the holy city of Imam Hussein (AS) and Karbala! We are delighted to have you join us for The First International Subtain University Medical Education Conference (ISUMEC 2025). To ensure a smooth and comfortable transfer from Najaf Airport to Karbala, please carefully follow the guidelines below:

- The university will provide Ground Transportation support from Najaf Airport to Karbala starting from Friday, October 24.
- We recommend that participants book their flight for Friday, October 24.
- Upon booking your flight, please send a copy, please send a copy of it to **Mr. Ali Khader (WhatsApp: +9647729294292)**
- After arriving at Najaf Airport, connect to the **Earthlink Wi-Fi**, which is available free of charge for 30 minutes.
- Upon arrival, please contact me via **Mr. Magid Shakarji (WhatsApp: +964770637440)** to coordinate your pickup and assistance for boarding the transfer service.
- After exiting the terminal, several university staff members with clear identification signs will be stationed to guide and direct you toward the transportation service.
- The university cannot provide transportation from Najaf Airport to the holy shrine of Imam Ali (AS) or pickups from the shrine to Karbala. Instead, we will provide you with the hotel address, and you may arrange your own travel from the airport or shrine to your hotel in Karbala.
- Daily and regular transportation services have been arranged from the **Sayyid al-Awsia** Hotel complex to the conference venue and the Shrine of Imam Hussain.
- Accommodation support will end at **01:00 PM on Tuesday Oct 28**. After this time, the university will not cover hotel expenses.
- Following the closing ceremony, Ground Transportation service will be available from Karbala back to Najaf Airport.
- We advise you to carry some cash, and keep your passport and identification documents in a safe place.
- **Ladies:** A Chador is required to enter the area between the holy shrines and to visit the shrines of Imam Hussein (AS) and Imam Abbas (AS). Please bring one with you.
- For any questions, please contact: **Mr. Magid Shakarji (+964770637440)**

**Welcome to Karbala, wish you a pleasant journey!**