

IBHS RESEARCH CENTER VISIT

5335 Richburg Road - Richburg, SC 29729 - 803-723-3600

We are very pleased that you will be joining us at the IBHS Research Center.

Below is all of the logistical information you will need to plan your trip to South Carolina.

Please feel free to contact Sherry Melton at smelton@ibhs.org / (813) 675-1060,

if you have any additional questions.

Airports

The closest major airport to the IBHS Research Center is Charlotte Douglas International Airport, which is 41 miles north, and approximately a 45-minute drive from the Research Center; a nearby alternative is Columbia (SC) Airport, which is 62 miles south, and an estimated one hour drive from the Research Center.

The following two nearby regional airports allow private planes and are each located approximately 14 miles from the Research Center:
Chester Catawba Regional Airport, (803) 385-6664; and McWhirter Field in Lancaster, which is off SC Highway 9, (803) 285-1565

Know Before You Go

Dress Code

We suggest casual, and flat-soled, closed-toe shoes. Guests with open toe shoes will not be able to participate in the walking tour of the facility.

CAUTION: NO OPEN TOE SHOES

Groups

Groups of 10 or more people visiting the IBHS Research Center should contact Sherry Melton in advance at smelton@ibhs.org / (803) 675-1060.

Parking

Once you arrive at the Research Center, parking is available in front of the entrance to the office building



Directions

From Charlotte/Rock Hill: I-77 South toward Columbia, take exit 65 – turn left on SC Highway 9 (Lancaster Highway), travel approximately 5 miles to SC Highway 99 (Richburg Road), then turn right. The IBHS site is located approximately 3 miles down on the left. There is a large sign that says IBHS at the site.

From Columbia: I-77 North toward Charlotte, take exit 55 - turn right on SC Highway 97 (Great Falls Road), travel approximately 6 miles to SC Highway 99 (Richburg Road), then turn left. The IBHS site is located approximately 2.3 miles down Richburg Road on the right. There is a large sign that says IBHS at the site.

Please Note: Your navigation system may suggest alternate routes but due to local road conditions, we recommend taking the mentioned route and avoiding SC - 901. In addition, some navigation systems will "see" this street address further south on Highway 99 (Richburg Road) than actually is the case. The IBHS Research Center is located just north of the Mount Nebo Church.

Hotel Information

IBHS has secured special rates at the hotels listed below:

HAMPTON INN

\$89 (Standard guest rooms); \$114 (Suites)
Call hotel directly (803-325-1100), or click link for online booking: Hampton Inn (Enter 0560078288 in Special Rates)

HOLIDAY INN

\$109 (Standard Double or King); \$119 (King Executive) Call hotel directly (803-323-1900), using corporate code 100282858 or click link for online booking: Holiday Inn

MARRIOTT COURTYARD

\$119 (Standard Double or King);

Call hotel directly (803-324-1400), using corporate code Oll or

click link for online booking: Marriott Courtyard

HILTON GARDEN INN ROCK HILL

15% off best available rate; Call hotel directly (803-325-2800), using corporate code 9887842 or click link for online booking: <u>Hilton Garden Inn</u> (Enter 9887842 in Special Rates)

TOWNEPLACE SUITES

\$99 (Studio, 1 King)

Call hotel directly (803-327-0700), using corporate code OII or click link for online booking: TownePlace Suites

FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES ROCK HILL \$109 (standard room) - Click link for online booking: Book your corporate rate for IBHS



The following does not include a special rate, but is close to restaurants listed here and only 18 miles from the Charlotte airport: Courtyard Charlotte Fort Mill, SC 1385 Broadcloth Street, Fort Mill, SC 29715 (803) 548-0156

Restaurants

BAXTER VILLAGE

Baxter Village (Route 77, Exit 85, 15 minutes north of Rock Hill, SC) has several good choices. More info: <u>Click</u> Here

OLD TOWN ROCK HILL, SC

Old Town (Route 77, Exit 79 towards Downtown, In approximately 4 miles - turn left on Main St.) has choices ranging from historical buildings (Kounter) to a French Bakery (Amelie's). More info: Click Here

ROCK HILL, SC

Restaurants near the hotels listed include:

LEGAL REMEDY BREWING

129 Oakland Ave. Rock Hill, SC 29730 (8003) 324-2337 Click Here

LONGHORN STEAKHOUSE

2255 Cross Pointe Dr Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 980-6255

OUTBACK STEAKHOUSE

1319 River Run Court Rock Hill, SC 29732 (803) 329-6283

THE FLIPSIDE

129 Caldwell Street Rock Hill SC, 29730 (803) 324-3547 Click Here

THE PUMP HOUSE

575 Herrons Ferry Rd Rock Hill, SC 29730 803-329-8888 Click Here