# **IBHS RESEARCH CENTER VISIT**

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 / (803) 789-4256, 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 lab; a nearby alternative is the Columbia (SC) Airport, which is 62 miles south, and approximately a onehour drive from the lab. 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 please wear sleeved-shirts and flat-soled, closed-toe shoes. High heels are not recommended. **Guests with open toe shoes will not be able to participate in the walking tour of the facility.** 



# Groups

Groups of 10 or more people visiting the IBHS Research Center should contact Sherry Melton in advance at *smelton@ibhs.org / (803) 789-4256.* 

# Parking

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

IBHS Research Center 5335 Richburg Road Richburg, SC 29729 Telephone: 803-789-8000



# **Directions**

From Charlotte: I-77 South toward Columbia, take exit 65 – turn left on SC Highway 9 (Lancaster Highway), travel approximately 3.5 miles to SC Highway 99 (Richburg Road), then turn right. The IBHS site is located approximately 4 miles down on the left. There will be 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 will be a large sign that says IBHS at the site.

**Please Note:** 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**

\$104 (Standard guest rooms); \$124 (Suites) Call hotel directly (803-325-1100), using corporate code 0560078288; or click link for online booking: Hampton Inn

#### **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

\$124 (Standard Double or King); including breakfast Call hotel directly (803-324-1400), using corporate code OII

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: Hilton Garden Inn

#### **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)

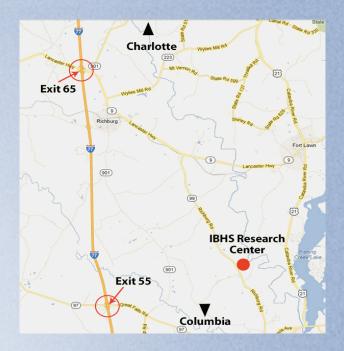
Click link for online booking: Book your corporate rate for IBHS

The following does not include a special rate, but is close to restaurants listed here and only 18 miles from Charlotte airport:

#### Courtyard Charlotte Fort Mill, SC

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1385 Broadcloth Street, Fort Mill, South Carolina 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: http://www. baxtertowncenter.com/shops-services/food-dining/.

#### **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 (Five & Dine) to a French Bakery (Amelie's). More info:

https://www.onlyinoldtown.com/food-drink

#### **ROCK HILL, SC**

Restaurants near the hotels listed include:

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#### LEGAL REMEDY **BREWING**

129 Oakland Ave. Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 324-2337

#### LONGHORN **STEAKHOUSE**

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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

#### **THE PUMP HOUSE**

575 Herrons Ferry Rd Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 329-8888