

IBHS RESEARCH CENTER LOGISTICS

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

We look forward to welcoming you to the IBHS Research Center. Travel and lodging information is provided below. Please feel free to contact Sherry Melton at smelton@ibhs.org with 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 nearby regional airports allow private planes and are each located approximately 14 miles from the Research Center:

- Chester Catawba Regional Airport, (803) 385-6664
- McWhirter Field in Lancaster, which is off SC Highway 9, (803) 285-1513.

Know Before You Go

Dress Code

We suggest casual attire, with long pants 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

Parking

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

Liability Waiver

All visitors must complete a liability waiver prior to each visit. To complete the waiver: [Click Here](#)



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 Research Center is located approximately 3 miles down on the left. There is a large sign that says IBHS at the entrance.

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 Research Center is located approximately 2.3 miles down Richburg Road on the right. There is a large sign that says IBHS at the entrance.

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 Chart Industries—a large cryogenic tank facility.

Hotel Information

IBHS has secured special rates at the hotels listed below:

HAMPTON INN

\$94 (Standard guest rooms); \$114 (Suites)

Call hotel directly (803-325-1100), or click link for online booking: [Hampton Inn](#) (Enter 0560078288 in Special Rates/ Corporate Account)

HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS

\$109 (Standard Double or King); \$109 (Suites)

Call hotel directly (803-630-8452), using corporate code 786808616 or click link for online booking: [Holiday Inn Express](#)

HOLIDAY INN

\$112 (Standard Double or King); \$122 (King Executive)

Call hotel directly (803-323-1900), using corporate code 100282858 or click link for online booking: [Holiday Inn](#)

MARRIOTT COURTYARD

\$109 (Standard Double or King);

Call hotel directly (803-324-1400), using corporate code 011 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](#) (Enter 9887842 in Special Rates/ Corporate Account)

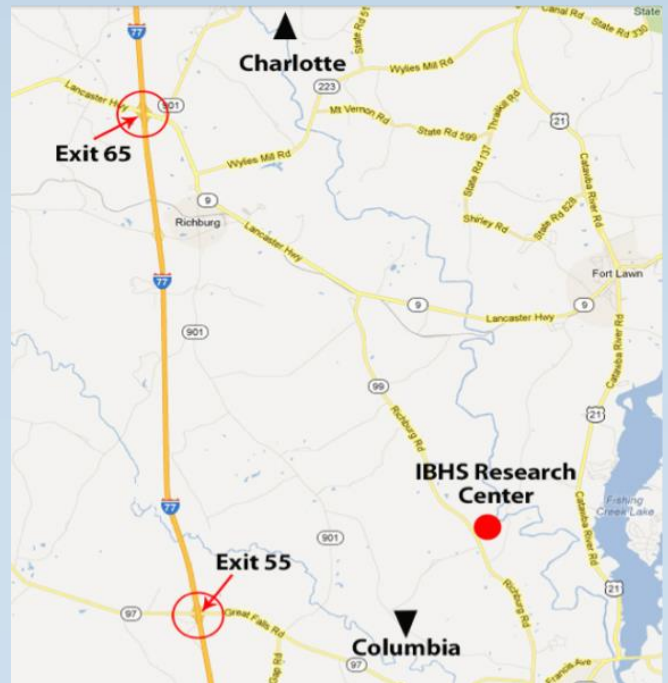
TOWNEPLACE SUITES

\$99 (Studio, 1 King)

Call hotel directly (803-327-0700), using corporate code 011 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

KINGSLEY FORT MILL AREA

Kingsley (I-77, Exit 85) has a wide variety of choices within walking distance of the Fort Mill Courtyard (shown above). More info: [Click Here](#)

OLD TOWN ROCK HILL, SC

Old Town (Route 77, Exit 79 towards Downtown) 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:

HOBO'S ROCK HILL

520 Cherry Road, Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 548-4626
[Click Here](#)

LONGHORN STEAKHOUSE

2255 Cross Pointe Drive, 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 Road, Rock Hill, SC 29730 (803) 329-8888
[Click Here](#)