

# INTERNATIONAL POWERED ACCESS FEDERATION

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## **Directions to IPAF-Basel**

IPAF's office in Basel is on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor at: Dufourstrasse 11, 4052 Basel, Tel: +41 (0)61 227 9000

#### Air

The closest airport is known as Basel/Mulhouse/Freiburg Euroairport. This is a 20-minute taxi ride from the office and costs approximately CHF 50 or about EUR 33. Many taxis will also take Euros and some will take credit cards. There is a bus which takes about 30 minutes and will take you to Basel SBB railway station, which is a 10-minute walk from the office (see below). NB: This airport is shared by France and Switzerland. Make sure you exit via Swiss immigration, NOT French immigration. If arriving from France, follow the signs to the Swiss side of the airport.

## Rail

We are 10 minutes' walk from Basel SBB station which is also Bâle SNCF station. If arriving from Germany, do NOT get off at Basel Badischer Bahnhof. Basel SBB is the next stop. From Basel SBB, walk straight through the tram station at the front and, keeping the Hilton Hotel on your right, walk down Aeschengraben until you reach a major junction called Aeschenplatz. Take the second turning on the left, Dufourstrasse, and follow the road around to our building, which is on the right. Look for the large "Ortho-Team" sign above the entrance. Alternatively, take any of the trams from platform number 5 for one stop to Aeschenplatz. Buy a "K" ticket from the machines.

### Road

From Germany, take the A5 Autobahn south to Basel. This becomes the A2 in Switzerland. Take exit number 3 to "Basel Breite". Turn right as you leave the Autobahn and follow the road for about 1 km to Aeschenplatz.

From France, take the A35 into Basel. This becomes the A3 in Switzerland, which crosses the Rhine and joins the A2. Then take the "Basel Breite" exit as above.

From Switzerland, take the A2/A3 into Basel and follow the signs to Karlsruhe. Take the "Basel Breite" exit as above and turn left as you leave the Autobahn. There is a car park on the left immediately after Aeschenplatz. NB: Trams and road joining from the right have priority at Aeschenplatz. Cars crossing the frontier on the Autobahn must have a vignette to use the Autobahn. It is also possible to reach our office using the back roads. Our office is on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of Dufourstrasse 11 which has a large "Ortho-Team" sign above the door.