



By car

From La Fortuna

Take the road from La Fortuna to Ciudad Quesada, which passes through a town called El Tanque, drive on this road for about 20-30 minutes.

At the intersection for Javillos, make a right.

Go straight for about 500 meters.

Right hand side there is a soccer field then a small yellow bridge.

Proyecto Asis' entrance is a big red gate directly after the yellow bridge on the right hand side.

From San José

Take Highway #1: San Jose – Guanacaste.

Get off the highway in San Ramon and go through the city center.

Follow signs for Volcan Arenal.

This is a long ride through the mountains for about an hour to an hour and a half.

When you come into a small town called La Tigra continue for another 3 km towards the volcano.

There is a small intersection for Santa Clara, make that right.

If you by accident miss the turn, you know you've gone too far if you come to a big, high, silver bridge. **TURN AROUND!**

From the intersection, it's about 5 km.

Proyecto Asis is on the left hand side after a bar/restaurant called La Roca.

We have a big red gate.

By Interbus

Interbus is a semi private bus company from San Jose. You have to make your reservations in advance through the internet by visiting their website. The bus route is from San Jose to La Fortuna. Your plane has to arrive before noon. You have to take a taxi from the airport to La Tortuga Verde (The Green Turtle), which is behind the Hampton Inn in Alajuela. When you get in the bus, you need to tell the driver to drop you off at the intersection in Javillos. An Asis staff member will be waiting there for you. Please tell the driver to call us at 2475-9121 when you are close by.

By Public Bus

From San José

The bus from San Jose to Ciudad Quesada (San Carlos) is located at bus station called "La Antigua Parada de Puntarenas." There are Express and Collective buses. Try to take an Express because the ride is about an hour shorter. Please let us know in advance so that we can arrange for your transportation from Ciudad Quesada to Javillos. Ciudad Quesada is the last stop on this bus route.

From La Fortuna

The bus stop is located on the side of the town park in the center of Fortuna.

You have two options:

La Fortuna – Ciudad Quesada route which goes through a town called Chachagua (it will say Chachagua in the front window of the bus). Tell the bus driver, "Proyecto Asis en Javillos." If for some reason, the bus driver is unfamiliar with us, tell him "La Roca en Javillos." La Roca is a bar/restaurant that is right before our big red gate. If you get off the bus at La Roca, continue to walk straight ahead, as if following the bus, and we are right after La Roca on the left hand side.

La Fortuna – Ciudad Quesada route which goes through a town called El Tanque (it will say El Tanque in the window). Tell the bus driver “La Intersección de Javillos”. When you get off the bus, you’ll have to walk about 500 meters up the road. On you right hand side will be a soda, then a soccer field, then the small yellow bridge. We are the big red gate directly after the bridge.

The Bus Schedule from La Fortuna:

FORTUNA – CIUDAD QUESADA POR CHACHAGUA

Fortuna	Arrive in Javillos
05:00 am	5:45 am
07:15 am	8:00 am
08:00 am	8:45 am
12:15 pm	1:00 pm
03:15 pm	4:00 pm
05:30 pm	6: 15 pm
07:00 pm	7:45 pm

FORTUNA – CIUDAD QUESADA POR EI TANQUE

Fortuna	Arrive @ intersection of Javillos
5:10 am	6:50 am
5:45 am	6:20 am
6:30 am	7:00 am
11:45 am	12:25 pm
4:45 pm.	5:25 pm

By Taxi

Taxi is the most expensive way to travel in Costa Rica. We can help by putting you in contact with taxi drivers that we use frequently and who charge an appropriate rate for the 30-40 minute drive. Email us for more details: info@institutoasis.com