



CENTRAL DUPAGE HOSPITAL  
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEM  
POLICY & PROCEDURES

TITLE: VEHICLE MINIMUM STAFFING REQUIREMENTS

SECTION: SYSTEM PARTICIPATION

POLICY NUMBER: I-7

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**PURPOSE:**

To define the Central DuPage Hospital Emergency Medical Services System (CDHEMSS) requirements for vehicle staffing.

**POLICY:**

Vehicles operated under the CDHEMSS must meet the following minimums for operations. If staffing cannot be met, the CDHEMSS must be notified and the vehicle may not respond as an EMS agency.

1. Ambulance Assist BLS
  - a. 1 EMT
2. Ambulance Assist ALS
  - a. 1 Paramedic with at least 1-year experience as a Paramedic
3. BLS Non-Transport
  - a. 1 EMT
4. ALS Non-Transport
  - a. 1 Paramedic and 1 EMT
5. BLS Ambulance
  - a. 2 EMTs
6. ALS Ambulance - 911
  - a. 2 Paramedics
7. ALS Ambulance - Private
  - a. 1 EMT, 1 Paramedic
    - i. Paramedic shall have at least 1-year experience as a Paramedic to ride with an EMT. 2 Paramedics may ride together with at least 1 Paramedic having 6 months or more experience
8. Critical Care Tier 1
  - a. 1 EMT, 1 Paramedic
    - i. Paramedic shall have at least 1-year experience as a Paramedic to ride with an EMT. 2 Paramedics may ride together with at least 1 Paramedic having 6 months or more experience
9. Critical Care Tier 2
  - a. 1 Paramedic, 1 Critical Care Paramedic
10. Critical Care Tier 3
  - a. 1 EMT, 1 Critical Care Paramedic, 1 Critical Care Nurse / PHRN

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