

2004-05 Fee Schedule

Emergency Medical Services Department

	Approved 2003-04	Approved 2004-05	Change
<u>Advanced Life Support (1)</u>			
Base fee*	\$415.00	\$415.00	
Mileage	\$6.25 /mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	\$6.25 /mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	
<u>Advanced Life Support (2)</u>			
Base fee*	\$515.00	\$515.00	
Mileage	\$6.25 /mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	\$6.25 /mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	
<u>Basic Life Support</u>			
Base fee*	\$310.00	\$310.00	
Mileage	\$6.25 /mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	\$6.25 /mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	
Base fee for minor transported with no treatment required			
Base fee when two patients are transported in same ambulance	\$50.00	\$50.00	
	\$275.00	\$275.00	
Critical Care Ground Transport			
	\$600.00	\$600.00	
	\$6.25 per mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	\$6.25 per mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate	
* Add the Non-Resident fee for residents outside of Travis County	\$100.00	\$100.00	
<u>Emergency Service - S.T.A.R. Flight Transport</u>			
Within Travis County	\$1,600.00 plus \$50.00 /loaded mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate (see Itemized Medications below).	\$2,000.00 plus \$50.00 /loaded mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate (see Itemized Medications below).	\$400.00

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<u>Emergency Service - S.T.A.R. Flight Transport (continued)</u>			
Outside Travis County	\$3,400.00 plus \$50.00 /loaded mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate (see Itemized Medications below).	\$4,000.00 plus \$50.00 /loaded mile plus drugs & supplies at Medicare approved rate (see Itemized Medications below).	\$600.00
<u>Oxygen Therapy</u>			
	\$17.50 /patient	\$17.50 /patient	
<u>Basic Aid at the Scene</u>			
Walk up patients	\$104.00 /patient \$25.00 /patient	\$104.00 /patient \$25.00 /patient	
<u>Substantial Aid at the Scene/Star Flight Aid at the Scene</u>			
	\$248.00 /patient	\$248.00 /patient	
<u>Extended Rescue</u>			
	\$475.00 /patient	\$475.00 /patient	
<u>Fire Extrication Fee</u>			
	\$400.00 /rescue	\$400.00 /rescue	
<u>Non-Emergency/Ambulance Franchise Fees</u>			
Non-Emergency BLS Transport within City of Austin*	\$250.00	\$310.00	\$60.00
Non-Emergency ALS Transport within City of Austin*	\$415.00	\$415.00	
* Mileage*	\$6.25 /mile	\$6.25 /mile	
* Maximum Fee allowed			
Franchise Application Fee	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	
Annual Franchise Administration Fee	\$3,500.00	\$3,500.00	
<u>Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)/Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Training</u>			
<u>Single Rescuer</u>			
Adult CPR & Heimlich (Heartsaver)	\$35.00 /student	\$35.00 /student	
Re-certification	\$20.00	\$20.00	
Adult, child, and infant CPR & Heimlich (Heartsaver-Pediatric)	\$40.00 /student	\$40.00 /student	
Re-certification	\$20.00	\$20.00	
Infant & child (Pediatric CPR)	\$40.00 /student	\$40.00 /student	
Re-certification	\$20.00	\$20.00	
<u>Double Rescuer</u>			
Adult, child, and infant CPR & Heimlich (Healthcare Provider)	\$50.00 /student	\$50.00 /student	
Re-certification	\$25.00	\$25.00	
Instructor Certification	\$220.00 Includes materials	\$220.00 Includes materials	
Instructor Re-certification	\$20.00	\$20.00	

Note: Travis County sets S.T.A.R. Flight rates and receives all revenue generated by the service.

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<u>Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)/Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Training (continued)</u>			
Instructor Trainer	\$40.00	\$40.00	
Instructor Trainer Re-certification	\$20.00	\$20.00	
Heart Association CPR Training Booklets/Cards	\$1.00	\$1.00	
TV/VCR Rental	\$20.00 per day	\$20.00 per day	
Instructional Video Tape Rental	\$20.00 per day	\$20.00 per day	
Manikin rental, adult model	\$9.00	\$9.00	
Manikin rental, child or infant model	\$7.00	\$7.00	
Heart Saver Automated External Defibrillator (AED)	\$50.00	\$55.00	\$5.00
AED Instructor	\$87.00	\$87.00	
AED Instructor Trainer	\$77.00	\$77.00	
AED Rental Fee	\$25.00 /day	\$25.00 /day	
Heartsaver AED Training Book	\$10.00 per book	\$10.00 per book	
Heartsaver Adult/Pedi Training Book	\$7.50 per book	\$7.50 per book	
Healthcare Provider Training Book	\$10.00 per book	\$10.00 per book	
First Aid Training Book	\$15.00 per book	\$15.00 per book	
<u>First Aid Training</u>			
Six-hour class with National Safety Council Certification	\$40.00	\$40.00	
<u>Internship</u>			
Paramedic students	\$1.50 /hour	\$1.50 /hour	
Special Skills students	\$1.50 /hour	\$1.50 /hour	
EMT Ride-Out Fee (3 emergency runs)	\$30.00 /student	\$40.00 /student	\$10.00
Paramedic-Intermediate	\$1.50 /hour	\$1.65 /hour	\$0.15
EMT-Basic Internship Fee	\$0.00 /hour	\$1.65 /hour	New
<u>Continuing Education/Training</u>			
CE Certification Fee	\$5.00 /certification	\$5.00 /certification	
Academy CE Fee	\$5.00 /hour, per person	\$5.00 /hour, per person	
National Standards Courses for non-system providers			
Initial Course	\$104.00	\$190.00	\$86.00
Re-certification	\$52.00	\$100.00	\$48.00
TDH Skills Testing for non-system providers			
BLS Skills	\$52.00	\$52.00	
ALS Skills	\$52.00	\$52.00	
Certificates			
ACLS	\$2.50 /certificate	\$2.50 /certificate	
PHTLS	\$15.00 /certificate	\$15.00 /certificate	
PHTLS Re-certification	\$10.00 /certificate	\$10.00 /certificate	
PHTLS/ACLS Instructor Course Fee	\$100.00	\$100.00	
EVOC Classroom Fee	\$75.00 per person	\$0.00 per person	Delete
EVOC Classroom and Driving Course Fee	\$200.00 per person	\$0.00 per person	Delete

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<u>Book Fees</u>			
ACLS/PALS	\$40.00 /person	\$30.00 /person	(\$10.00)
PHTLS	\$40.00 /person	\$40.00 /person	
Other National Course Card Books	\$45.00 /person	\$45.00 /person	
<u>Large Event Plan Review</u>			
	\$0.00	\$100.00	New
<u>Advanced EMS Training</u>			
Emergency Vehicle Operator's Course	\$230.00 /person	\$230.00 /person	
Basic High Angle Rescue	\$129.00 /person	\$129.00 /person	
Advanced High Angle Rescue	\$740.00 /person	\$740.00 /person	
Swiftwater Rescue	\$75.00 /person	\$75.00 /person	New
Swiftwater Operations Course	\$0.00 /person	\$425.00 /person	New
Swiftwater Technicians Course	\$0.00 /person	\$325.00 /person	New
Swiftwater Awareness Course	\$0.00 /person	\$325.00 /person	New
Stillwater Rescue	\$75.00 /person	\$75.00 /person	
Evaluation/Quality Assurance	\$230.00 /person	\$230.00 /person	
12 Lead EKG Class (4 hr)	\$42.00 /person	\$42.00 /person	
12 Lead EKG Class (8 hr)	\$62.00 /person	\$62.00 /person	
Slow Speed Driving Course	\$52.00 /person	\$150.00 /person	\$98.00
Coaching Emergency Vehicle Operators (CEVO) (6 hr)	\$42.00 /person	\$45.00 /person	\$3.00
Vehicle Extrication Course	\$75.00 /person	\$75.00 /person	
Hazardous Materials Course	\$60.00 /person	\$120.00 /person	\$60.00
ICSMCI Course	\$60.00 /person	\$60.00 /person	
Ropes Operations Course	\$0.00 /person	\$425.00 /person	New
Ropes Technician Course	\$0.00 /person	\$325.00 /person	New
Search and Rescue Fundamentals Course	\$0.00 /person	\$250.00 /person	New
<u>Training</u>			
Marketing of EMS training programs to area EMS systems	\$37.00 /student	\$37.00 /student	
<u>Document Retrieval and Duplication</u>			
Additional Fees	\$2.50 /page	\$2.50 /page	
Records >3 Years Old	\$20.00 /per request	\$20.00 /per request	
Subpoena Fee	\$15.00 /per request	\$15.00 /per request	
Rush Services—Less than 7 Days	\$25.00 /per request	\$25.00 /per request	
<u>Standby for Emergency Service</u>			
Basic Standby Unit	\$75.00 per hour	\$75.00 per hour	
Basic Standby Unit (1/4 hr rate)	\$18.75 per 1/4 hour	\$18.75 per 1/4 hour	
Basic Standby Bike Medic Unit	\$75.00 per hour	\$75.00 per hour	
Basic Standby Bike Medic Unit (1/4 hr rate)	\$18.75 per 1/4 hour	\$18.75 per 1/4 hour	
Supplemental Standby Paramedic	\$35.00 per hour	\$35.00 per hour	
Supplemental Standby Paramedic (1/4 hour rate)	\$8.75 per 1/4 hour	\$8.75 per 1/4 hour	
Set-up/Take-down Fee	\$100.00 per standby	\$100.00 per standby	

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Itemized Medications (Rates subject to change in accordance with Medicare fee regulations)

	Approved 2003-04	Approved 2004-05	Change
Acetaminophen Children's Liquid	\$2.04	\$2.04	
Adenosine	\$41.74	\$84.06	\$42.32
Adrenaline 1mg/10ml	\$1.89	\$1.89	
Adrenaline 1mg/1ml	\$0.36	\$0.36	
Adrenaline 30mg/30ml	\$3.23	\$3.23	
• Albuterol	\$0.21	\$0.21	
Amiodarone	\$10.81	\$10.81	
Amyl nitrite pearls	\$0.66	\$0.66	
Aspirin	\$0.85	\$0.85	
Atropine 1mg/10ml	\$1.89	\$1.89	
Atropine 1mg/1ml	\$0.53	\$0.53	
Atropine 8mg/20ml	\$0.79	\$0.79	
Atrovent	\$0.31	\$0.31	
Calcium gluconate 1000mg/10ml	\$0.63	\$0.63	
Cimetidine	\$1.58	\$1.58	
Clopidogrel 75 mg tablets	\$18.30	\$18.30	
d50 25gm (dextrose)	\$2.18	\$2.18	
Diazepam 10mg	\$3.63	\$8.06	\$4.43
Diltiazem	\$4.00	\$30.88	\$26.88
Diphenhydramine hcl	\$1.23	\$1.61	\$0.38
Diphenhydramine hcl 25mg tab	\$0.01	\$0.18	\$0.17
Anzemet	\$15.15	\$15.15	
Dopamine hcl 200mg/5ml	\$0.48	\$0.48	
Epi-auto injectors	\$53.41	\$53.41	
Etomidate	\$14.99	\$14.99	
Fentanyl	\$0.43	\$0.43	
Furosemide 40 mg/2ml IV	\$0.49	\$0.49	
Latex-Free Diphenhydramine	\$1.61	\$1.61	
Lidocaine 100mg/10ml - injectable	\$1.83	\$1.83	
Lidocaine 1g/250ml (4% drip)	\$1.35	\$1.35	
Lidocaine Jelly	\$4.93	\$8.63	
Magnesium Sulfate	\$0.59	\$0.59	\$3.70
Methylprednisolone - Ground Ambulance	\$2.84	\$4.31	\$1.47
Methylprednisolone 1000 mg - STAR Flight	\$13.11	\$13.11	
Metoprolol	\$0.43	\$4.04	\$3.61
Midazolam	\$1.51	\$1.51	
Morphine sulphate 10mg/10ml	\$0.83	\$0.83	
Neoxone 0.4mg/1ml	\$2.40	\$2.36	
Neo-Synephrine	\$4.49	\$4.49	
Nitroglycerin	\$0.23	\$0.23	
Nitroglycerine paste	\$4.89	\$4.89	
Normal saline 1000cc	\$1.28	\$1.28	
Normal saline 250cc	\$1.28	\$1.28	
Normal Saline 50cc	\$1.43	\$1.43	
Oral Glucose	\$2.81	\$2.81	

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Itemized Medications (continued)		Approved 2003-04	Approved 2004-05	Change
Procainamide 100mg/1ml		\$0.98	\$0.98	
Promethazine		\$2.43	\$2.43	
Ringers lactate 1000cc		\$1.30	\$1.30	
Sodium bicarbonate 5mg		\$2.33	\$2.33	
Sodium Chloride 0.9%/10 ml bottle		\$0.28	\$0.28	
Succinylcholine		\$0.93	\$0.93	
Thiamine		\$1.81	\$1.81	
Vecuronium		\$7.03	\$7.03	
Water soluble jelly, per tube		\$0.76	\$1.09	
Zofran		\$27.85	\$27.85	\$0.33
Itemized Disposable Supplies as Packaged for Medicare and National Standard Form Insurance Claims*				
Standard ALS Routine supplies		\$23.00	\$23.00	
1000 ml. I. V. disposable supplies		\$19.50	\$19.50	
250 ml. I. V. disposable supplies		\$8.50	\$8.50	
Saline lock		\$4.75	\$4.75	
Naso-pharyngeal disposable airway supplies		\$10.00	\$10.00	
Oral-pharyngeal disposable airway supplies		\$3.00	\$3.00	
Naso-gastric disposable airway supplies		\$7.50	\$7.50	
Endo-tracheal disposable airway supplies		\$22.00	\$22.00	
Naso-tracheal disposable airway supplies		\$29.00	\$29.00	
Defibrillation pads		\$30.00	\$28.34	
Disposable obstetric kit		\$40.00	\$40.00	
Disposable bag valve mask		\$11.48	\$11.48	
Pacing pads		\$30.00	\$30.00	
Spinal immobilization		\$29.00	\$29.00	
Standard BLS Routine supplies including dextrostix and lancet		\$4.00	\$4.00	
Activated Charcoal		\$9.00	\$9.00	
Laryngeal Mask Airways		\$40.00	\$48.75	\$8.75
StarFlight Airways Supplies Package		\$43.00	\$43.00	
StarFlight IV Package		\$26.00	\$26.00	
Burn Sheets		\$6.25	\$5.50	(\$0.75)
Starflight Pediatric Laryngeal Mask Airways		\$302.50	\$302.50	
Cold Packs/Cryotherapy		\$2.50	\$2.50	
Suctioning Catheters		\$12.00	\$12.00	
Bandages		\$13.25	\$13.25	
Splinting		\$13.25	\$13.25	

* Rates subject to change in accordance with Medicare fee regulations.