



Philadelphia Regional Emergency Medical Services



PHILADELPHIA AMBULANCE SERVICE BLS STAFFING REQUIREMENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

-

Ambulance Service Name

I have been notified that the PA Department of Health has stated the minimum staffing when a patient is onboard a BLS ambulance is as follows:

(c) Staffing.

(1) The minimum staffing for a BLS ambulance crew when responding to a call to provide EMS and transporting a patient is an EMS provider at or above the EMR level, a second EMS provider at or above the EMT level and an EMSVO, except that only a two-person ambulance crew is required if the EMSVO is also one of the EMS providers and an EMS provider above the EMR level is available to attend to the patient during patient transport.

(2) Responding ambulance crew members may arrive at the scene separately, but the ambulance shall be fully staffed at or above the required minimum staffing level before transporting a patient.

NAME OF PRINCIPAL OFFICIAL

DATE

SIGNATURE OF PRINCIPAL OFFICIAL

DATE

NAME OF OPERATIONS MANAGER

DATE

SIGNATURE OF OPERATIONS MANAGER

DATE