

El Dorado County Emergency Services Authority

Policy Subject Matter: Medic Unit Staffing Requirements

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I. Policy:

- 1. A minimum of two (2) prehospital care personnel shall be assigned to an ambulance at all times.
- 2. A paramedic ambulance shall be capable of providing advanced life support (ALS) care and shall be staffed at all times with, at a minimum:
 - A. One (1) state licensed and locally accredited paramedic at all times
 - B. One (1) certified and locally accredited EMT-1
- 3. A basic life support (BLS) ambulance shall be staffed at all times with, at a minimum two (2) certified and locally accredited EMT-1s.
- 4. A critical care transport (CCT) ambulance shall be staffed at all times with, at a minimum, a registered nurse competent in emergency and/or critical care, a state licensed and locally accredited paramedic, and an approved driver.

II. Purpose:

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that all medic units are staffed appropriately with personnel capable of responding to requests for medical assistance.

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