



North Dakota Department of Health  
Division of Emergency Medical Services and Trauma  
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AMBULANCE SERVICES  
RECERTIFICATION/CONTINUING EDUCATION  
TRAINING GRANT PROGRAM DISTRIBUTION POLICY

**TIME GRANT IS AVAILABLE:**

The grant monies are available for recertification/continuing education training occurring from July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010.

**GRANT PURPOSE:**

The grant funds will be targeted at reducing the financial barriers of ambulance services associated with the provision of Emergency Medical Services and Traumas' recertification/continuing education.

**GRANT ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:**

Total funds available are limited to the Division of Emergency Medical Services and Traumas' grant appropriation for this purpose. North Dakota ambulance services may receive up to \$2,000 from the Division for the purpose of conducting Emergency Medical Services (EMS) recertification/continuing education training, provided that the following conditions have been met:

- A. That the ambulance services' grant request is submitted on the form entitled "AMBULANCE SERVICE RECERTIFICATION/CONTINUING EDUCATION TRAINING GRANT REQUEST" provided by the Division of Emergency Medical Services and Trauma.
- B. That the ambulance service is currently licensed or currently certified and must have had at least 60% of its total call volume for the previous calendar year originate in North Dakota. Industrial services/units are not eligible for the grant.
- C. That the ambulance service must have volunteers who provide patient care or rescue care.
- D. That the ambulance service who has a mix of volunteers and personnel who are compensated more than \$10,000 per year, per person, will be granted funds using the following formula:
  - 1. Volunteers and three or less personnel who are compensated more than \$10,000 per year, per person, will receive \$2,000.
  - 2. Volunteers and four to five personnel who are compensated more than \$10,000 per year, per person, will receive \$1,000.
  - 3. Volunteers and six or more personnel who are compensated more than \$10,000 per year, per person, will receive \$500.
- E. That the grant requests must be received by the Division of Emergency Medical Services and Trauma on or before June 18, 2010.
- F. Each ambulance service will be eligible to receive only one grant per year.

Grants will be distributed in the order the completed and eligible applications are received at the Division of Emergency Medical Services and Trauma until the entire Grant fund has been disbursed.