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# Memorandum

To: Arkansas Licensed Ambulance Services

From: David Taylor, Section Chief  
Section of EMS & Trauma Systems

Date: November 27, 2007

Re: Out-of-State Ambulance Contracts for Disaster Assistance

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The Section of Emergency Medical Services and Trauma Systems is requesting information from all Arkansas licensed ambulance services to assist with resource allocation during a time of disaster. The Section requests that a licensee contact the Department prior to deploying/sending any Arkansas permitted ambulance to another state(s) to fulfill obligations of a state/federal/private contract or agreement for a disaster. This notification will assist the Department regarding emergency resource allocation related to ambulance vehicles and personnel. You can contact the Department at 501-661-2262 during regularly scheduled office hours or 501-661-2136 (Emergency Communication Center) after office hours, on holidays and weekends. Thank you in advanced for your participation and dedication to the emergency medical services profession.