



MAXIMUM EMERGENCY GROUND AMBULANCE RATES

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Orange County Board of Supervisors, Resolution No. 22-163, Item No. 34

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The following is a list of maximum allowable emergency ambulance service rates to be charged an emergency patient by a licensee. These rates were approved by the County of Orange Board of Supervisors.

TYPE OF CHARGE	BASIS FOR CHARGE	RATE
Emergency BLS Base Rate ^{1,2}	Applicable for urgent or Code 3 responses at the request of a public safety employee	\$ 2,238.88
Emergency ALS Base Rate ^{1,2}	Applicable for urgent or Code 3 responses at the request of a public safety employee	\$ 2,712.19
Mileage	Per patient mile or fraction thereof	\$ 23.28
Standby	Per 30 minutes after the first 30 minutes and any fraction thereof	\$ 157.63

¹ BLS & ALS Base Rates apply in Orange County Fire Authority Jurisdictional Area (except for Buena Park, San Clemente and Westminster)
² Oxygen & medical supplies included in base rates

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