

City of Iowa Falls EMS  
Job Description - Ambulance Driver

Responsibilities:

Drivers for Iowa Falls EMS are a valuable component of the emergency medical services delivery team. They will work alongside EMTs and Paramedics to ensure delivery of the best possible pre-hospital care to the sick and injured.

The Ambulance Driver will:

- ◆ respond to all calls in a safe, yet expeditious, manner.
- ◆ be familiar with the City of Iowa Falls and our service area to facilitate taking the most expeditious route to all calls.
- ◆ follow all applicable traffic laws and follow prudent emergency vehicle operation procedures and policies.
- ◆ have knowledge of and follow all local communications and transport protocols.
- ◆ be knowledgeable about the location of all equipment within the ambulance so as to be able to assist the EMT and/or Paramedic when requested.
- ◆ park and maintain the ambulance in a safe manner at the scene of any medical emergency.

After each call, the Ambulance Driver:

- ◆ restocks and replaces used linens, blankets and other supplies.
- ◆ cleans all equipment following appropriate disinfecting procedures.
- ◆ makes careful check of all equipment so that the ambulance is ready for the next run.
- ◆ maintains ambulance in efficient operating condition.
- ◆ ensures that the ambulance is clean and washed and kept in a neat, orderly condition.
- ◆ in accordance with local, state or federal regulations, decontaminates the interior of the vehicle after transport of patient with contagious infection or hazardous materials exposure.

Additionally the Ambulance Driver:

- ◆ will possess a valid, unrestricted driver's license with a satisfactory driving record and be coverable by the City's insurance carrier.
- ◆ will possess the appropriate certification from the Iowa Department of Public Health-Bureau of Emergency and Trauma Services (if applicable) and be currently certified in CPR to the AHA Healthcare Provider level.
- ◆ will complete emergency vehicle operations training as soon as reasonably possible following hire.
- ◆ will attend monthly staff meetings, special meetings, continuing education and refresher training programs as required by the City of Iowa Falls, medical control,

and the Iowa Department of Public Health-Bureau of Emergency and Trauma Services.

◆ will, in consultation with the EMS Director, sign-up for open shifts of call-time as your schedule allows. Shifts will include nights/weekends/holidays.

◆ is expected to wear the pager and/or radio issued by Iowa Falls EMS whenever reasonably prudent to be available for situations that arise where additional staff are needed to assist the on-duty crews or respond to a third-out call.