



<b>Fee Schedule (version 8)</b>	
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**Purpose**

The purpose of this guideline is to establish rates and fees for all services offered by TCAD.

**Guideline**

TCAD charges only for the scheduled time the ambulance/personnel are requested.

Use of TCAD equipment or personnel is limited to legitimate events. For example, the Kawasaki may not be rented by an individual for hunting over a weekend. The determination of legitimacy will be made at the discretion of the Special Operations Major.

**Definitions**

- ALS – Advanced Life Support, Paramedic level care.
- BLS – Basic Life Support, EMT level care.
- ALS 2 – Advanced Life Support beyond the average call. Requires use of multiple advanced skills/medications i.e. intubation, pacing, multiple drug infusions.
- SCT – Specialty Care Transport which are services beyond the scope of a paramedic. SCT requires a paramedic to have additional training over and above DOT approved curriculum.
- Mileage – Actual miles from point of origin to destination.
- LDT – Long Distance Transport is a transport that exceeds 79 miles.
- MHT – Mental Health Transport: Specialized van transport with one EMT minimum.
- Fly Car – Non-transport supervisor unit

Treatment, no transport calls are rare in the larger picture of TCAD responses. They still require highly trained personnel to respond in a matter of minutes. The cost of readiness in any EMS agency is formidable and must be accounted for especially when the agency is placed at risk via the emergency response and medical complications that may arise. TCAD therefore charges to help defray these costs. Definitions of charges for non-transport are as follows:

**ALS Treatment, No Transport**

- Fees are to be charged when an ALS medication is administered (listed below):
  - All IV/IO/IM medications.
  - DuoNeb and racemic epinephrine.
  - Sublingual and/or topical NTG.

**BLS Treatment, No Transport**

- Fees are to be charged when a BLS medication is administered AND the medication below is given by itself:
  - Oral glucose.
  - Oral ASA.
  - Narcan via nasal atomizer
  - If the patient is administered their own NTG, this will be considered BLS.
  - Albuterol

**DOA**

- Fees are to be charged when TCAD arrives on scene and the patient was not pronounced dead prior to dispatch.
- ALS vs. BLS will be billed based on the medically necessary level of service furnished according to payor guidelines.



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### Charges

Description	Rate	Effective Date
<i>ALS Non-Emergency</i>	\$350.79	01/01/2019
<i>ALS Emergency</i>	\$555.41	01/01/2019
<i>BLS Non-Emergency</i>	\$292.31	01/01/2019
<i>BLS Emergency</i>	\$467.70	01/01/2019
<i>ALS 2</i>	\$796.04	01/01/2019
<i>SCT</i>	\$949.07	01/01/2019
<i>BLS Non-transport</i>	\$467.70	01/01/2019
<i>ALS Non-transport</i>	\$555.41	01/01/2019
<i>Mileage</i>	\$18.64	01/01/2019
<i>LDT Mileage</i>	\$22.01	01/01/2019
<i>MHT</i>	\$65.00	01/01/2017
<i>MHT Mileage</i>	\$1.55	01/01/2017
<i>ALS Ambulance(s) w/Paramedic &amp; EMT/hour</i>	\$163.00	01/01/2019
<i>Paramedic w/ALS Response Equipment/hour</i>	\$55.00	01/01/2019
<i>EMT w/BLS Response Equipment/hour</i>	\$32.00	01/01/2019
<i>Fly Car/hour (Includes \$4.00/hour for fuel)</i>	\$20.00	01/01/2018
<i>Medical Records</i>	\$0	01/01/2018