

# HUNTLEY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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## Huntley Fire Protection Districts Ambulance Billing Guidelines:

<u>Purpose and Scope</u>: The purpose of this policy is to bill for ambulance user fees. This policy applies to fees for emergency ambulance services within or outside of the fire protections district.

<u>Policy:</u> The primary objectives of this policy shall be to improve the district's billing procedures and to maximize the collection of user fees.

CHARGES – Below are the current charges, effective 1/1/2025.

Non-Resident:	
ALS	\$2,504.53
BLS	\$2,504.53
Third Attendant (when medically necessary)	\$136.60
Mileage	\$30.60
Treatment- No Transport	\$273.19
Resident:	
ALS	\$2,504.53
BLS	\$2,504.53
Third Attendant (when medically necessary)	\$136.60
Mileage	\$30.60
Treatment- No Transport	\$273.19

### BILLING GUIDELINES -

**RESIDENT:** As a Huntley Fire Protection District Resident, we will ask for insurance information or obtain it through various sources and submit to your insurance on your behalf. If we were unable to obtain insurance information, we will send out a request or phone call to obtain such information so we can process the bill for you. You will not be responsible for any balance, deductible or co-pay after insurance has paid. If you do not have insurance, the ambulance bill will be written off due to the fact you reside in the Huntley Fire Protection District boundaries.

**NON-RESIDENT:** As a Non-Resident of the HFPD, we will ask for insurance information or obtain it through various sources and submit it to your insurance on your behalf. If we were unable to obtain insurance information, we will send out a request or phone call to obtain such information so we can process the bill for you. Once we obtain this information, we will submit the bill to your insurance company and any balance, deductible or co-pay thereafter will be your responsibility. We will follow up with you so you can make payment for the remainder of the balance. If you do not have insurance, you are still responsible for the bill for the use of our services. If we do not receive payment, we do pursue non-residents in the form of a collection agency.

#### **Transport Hospitals**

Northwestern Medicine Huntley Hospital

10400 Haligus Road Huntley, IL. 60142

#### **Advocate Sherman Hospital**

1425 N. Randall Road Elgin, IL. 60123

#### AMITA Health Saint Joseph Hospital Elgin

77 N. Airlite Street Elgin, IL 60123

#### **Authorized Billing and Collection**

The District does all billing through a certified medical billing specialist or company. The following agency is the ambulance billing vendor approved by the Board of Trustees.

<u>Ambulance Billing:</u> EMS-MC PO Box 547 Wheeling, IL 60090-0547 866-827-8469

<u>Collections:</u> **Lifeline Billing Systems** N2930 State Road 22 Wautoma, WI 54982-5267 888-777-4911

<u>**Transport by other agencies</u>**: At times, patients located in the boundaries of the Huntley Fire Protection District will be transported by outside agencies. On those occasions, the transported patient shall be subject to the billing policies and procedures of the transport agency.</u>