

Cherokee Nation EMS

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8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Monday – Friday

Ambulance Service 24/7

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Mission Statement:

We are dedicated to working with our communities, families and individuals to promote and improve their health.

Cherokee Nation EMS Program

Cherokee Nation Emergency Medical Services (CNEMS) is tribally owned and operated by the Cherokee Nation and consists of 3 major components:

Ambulance Services: Providing Paramedic Level services with Critical Care Transport capabilities to Indian and non-Indian clients within Cherokee County and designated coverage areas, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Communications: Provides support and staff located within the Cherokee County 911 Communications Center.

Training Program: The Cherokee Nation Training Program offers a multitude of training opportunities and health promotion in communities. The program is certified through agencies such as:

- American Heart Association
- National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians
- National Safety Council
- American Geriatrics Society
- Oklahoma State Department of Health

Setting The Standard



Cherokee Nation EMS became the first Tribe in the United States and the first EMS service in Oklahoma to achieve accreditation through the Commission of Accreditation of Ambulance Services (CAAS).

Accreditation signifies that CNEMS meets the highest National standards for the medical transport industry – These standards often exceed those established by State or Local EMS regulatory bodies.

Basic Courses

- CPR and First Aid Training
- Emergency Vehicle Operations Course

Advanced Courses

- Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS)
- Advanced Medical Life Support (AMLS)
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS)
- Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS)
- Geriatric Education for EMS (GEMS)

Levels of Emergency Medical Technician Training

First Responder

The First Responder course is a 56-hour introductory level EMS course.

Emergency Medical Technician-Basic

A 274-hour course that prepares the student in the basics of emergency medicine.

Emergency Medical Technician – Intermediate

The EMT-I course is a 380 hour course in advanced emergency medical training such as advanced airway techniques and IV and drug administration.

Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic

The EMT-P course is an 1124-hour course. Students learn how to provide appropriate intervention with extensive training in cardiac arrest and airway management, pharmacology, medical, trauma and psychiatric emergencies all of which are included in the EMT-P course.

Enrollment

If you would like more information about a class or if you would like to enroll, please contact EMS Training.

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