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National Collegiate Emergency Medical Services Foundation

To designate the week of **November 9-15, 2026** as **National Collegiate Emergency Medical Services Week**.

WHEREAS, emergency medical services are a vital public service; and

WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a week; and

WHEREAS, access to quality emergency care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden illness or injury; and

WHEREAS, the emergency medical services system consists of emergency physicians, emergency nurses, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, firefighters, educators, administrators and others; and

WHEREAS, the members of emergency medical services teams, whether career or volunteer, engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize the value and the accomplishments of emergency medical services providers by designating Emergency Medical Services Week;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that I, George J. Koenig, Jr., DO, President, NCEMSF, do hereby proclaim the **week of November 9-15, 2026** as **National Collegiate Emergency Medical Services Week**.

I encourage all students, faculty, staff, and visitors at college and university campuses around the world, along with members of their local communities, to recognize and celebrate the vital services provided by collegiate EMS organizations and to honor the members of those organizations for their contributions to their institutions.

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF I hereunto set my hand and cause the Seal of NCEMSF to be herein affixed.

George J. Koenig, Jr., DO
President
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