



National Collegiate Emergency Medical Services Foundation

Sponsorship Information

The NCEMSF Mission

NCEMSF is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization committed to scholarship, research and to creating safer, healthier environments on college and university campuses through the support, promotion, and advocacy of campus-based emergency medical services. In addition to providing for the acquisition of medical knowledge, campus-based EMS allows student participants to develop life skills including leadership, communication, and decision-making. NCEMSF creates an environment where ideas can be exchanged and problems solved.

NCEMSF History

In the early 1990s, with the widespread use of computers linked via the precursor to the Internet, e-mail communication among campus emergency responders was commonplace. For readers of the emergency services Usenet group and its related e-mail list, there was occasionally a thread about campus-related EMS. But frequently, discussions on the topic of campus EMS were shunned as inappropriate or obscure. As a result, the campus EMS groups that existed were isolated; there was no good forum in which they could openly communicate with one another.

In 1993, in response to this need for information exchange, the National Collegiate EMS Foundation was established. Filling a niche, NCEMSF quickly grew. In April 1994, NCEMSF held its first conference at Georgetown University. Representatives from over twenty campus EMS organizations spent the weekend learning about EMS and networking with each other. Annual conferences have since become the centerpiece of campus EMS interaction and the cornerstone of the Foundation. Providing networking and information exchange among campus emergency responders remains NCEMSF's top goal.

Facts and Figures

NCEMSF represents:

- ❖ **246** active campus-based EMS organizations in **41** US States & **4** Canadian Provinces
- ❖ Over **90,300** annual campus-EMS responses
- ❖ **4,324** campus-EMS providers

NCEMSF Annual National Conference:

- ❖ Held annually the last weekend of **February**
- ❖ Attended by over **1,100** attendees from nearly **100** colleges & universities across North America
- ❖ Over **110** lectures, expert panels, skills labs & roundtable discussions in **ONE** weekend
- ❖ Includes Exhibitor Hall and Career Fair

Collegiate EMS Week and CPR Day:

- ❖ Second full week in **November** - recognition and celebration of campus-based EMS
- ❖ Opportunity for campus-based EMS agencies to host activities and educate the communities they serve in basic principles of how to save a life

Become a Sponsor

EMERGENCY, CALL 911!!!! is heard every day – when people need help, they know who to call. On college campuses, students, faculty, administrators, and staff make the same call, but it is quite different when the college or university has its own campus-based emergency medical service and students answer their peers' calls. Campus-based EMS is about students helping students, fostering that civic duty to give back to the greater community, and preparing future leaders.

Not only do student volunteers respond and handle potentially life-threatening emergencies, they also work within their collegiate communities to educate others in the basics of CPR and First Aid whereby helping to create safer and healthier environments for all.

Students involved in collegiate EMS continue as leaders in their chosen fields. Beyond providing for the acquisition of medical knowledge, collegiate EMS instructs participants in critical life lessons including leadership, teamwork, problem solving and critical decision-making.

To continue our work in advocating for campus-based EMS across North America, NCEMSf and our members rely on the support of sponsors like you. Your sponsorship and support of NCEMSf and our members helps train the next generation of EMS and community leaders, host educational initiatives, facilitate ongoing research, and provide scholarships and grants to new startup initiatives. Please consider supporting our programs and join the growing number of organizations that recognize the importance of developing tomorrow's leaders by participating in their successes.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Many opportunities exist and all can be further developed and tailored to meet the mutual needs of NCEMSf and the sponsor. The following are several of the potential options – contact sponsor@ncemsf.org to discuss any of these or other opportunities further.

- Subsidize a keynote lecture, breakout session tract, skills competition, social event or other element of the annual conference
- Support scholarships for new startup groups to attend the annual conference to obtain information needed for their groups to grow and mature
- Finance a constituent group to enact a special program or project on its campus
- Fund one of many ongoing research initiatives or programs such as Campus EMS Week or National CPR Day

Conference Sponsorship Opportunities:

Exhibit space: 8'x8' space with 6' table and two chairs (see separate registration form):	\$750	
Scholarship for new startup group to attend the annual conference	\$1000	
Named breakout session track, skills labs or roundtable discussions	\$1500	(includes exhibit space)
Named keynote lecture: logo/name will appear at room entrance & in program	\$2000	(includes exhibit space)
Welcome Mixer, Alumni & Speaker Social, or Saturday Evening Social	\$2500	(includes exhibit space)
Annual EMS Skills Competition: name will appear on trophies, web, and program	\$5000	(includes exhibit space)

Annual Foundation Sponsorship:

\$2500

- Help offset Foundation expenses and support campus-based EMS and the future EMS and community leaders (NCEMSf fiscal year June 1-May 31)
- Logo included in sponsor loop on homepage
- Recognition on sponsor page with logo and link
- Exhibit space at Annual Conference's Exhibitor Fair
- Two complimentary registrations to Annual Conference

