

Upper Merion Township EMS



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Ambulance Subscription

Upper Merion Township Fire & EMS is staffed by highly trained personnel. We strive to provide exceptional emergency medical care to the residents and visitors of Upper Merion Township that is available on demand 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

An average ambulance transport can reach or exceed \$1,500. The reason for this is the rising cost of healthcare and equipment, coupled with dwindling reimbursement. All of which is amplified by the unique nature of Emergency Medical Services.

By becoming a subscriber you will only be expected to pay 10% of the out-of-pocket amount that your insurance does not cover. Please note that lift assists and treatment non-transports are excluded from subscription services.

Subscription Levels & Cost

Senior Individual (Age 60+)	\$50
Senior Couple (Age 60+)	\$75
Individual	\$75
Family (2+ individuals)	\$125

Upper Merion's Ambulance Subscription Service fee is NOT tax deductible

Upper Merion Township EMS 2025-2026 Subscription Record

Check #
Date
Amount
Subscription Level

In the Event of an Emergency



IMPORTANT: Please note that payment for your subscription CANNOT be accepted at the township building. To subscribe please sign up online or mail the application to our trusted third party billing company.

MAIL TO:

Cornerstone Adminisystems Inc.
23 Old Depot Road
New Cumberland, PA 17070

Frequently Asked Questions

Who is eligible?

Insured residents of Upper Merion Township.

What are the effective dates?

The program runs from the date Upper Merion Township receives your payment to July 31, 2026. The 2025-2026 subscription service will not cover retroactive expenses. Transport billing generated before subscriber membership must be satisfied before a person/family is eligible for coverage.

What if my insurance sends me a check?

If this happens, you should endorse the check and forward it to us via our authorized third party ambulance billing company at PO Box 726, New Cumberland, PA 17070. Failure to forward the check (and EOB, if applicable) shall void your subscription.

What is expected of me to help with the billing of my claim?

Subscribers must provide insurance information and any applicable forms necessary for a claim to be processed. Also, if a claim is denied, and there are grounds for appeal, subscribers are expected to help us when needed to ensure all appeal avenues are exhausted, prior to the subscription benefit taking effect.

Sign up & Pay Online

Don't want the hassle of writing a check and mailing in the application? Easily subscribe online and pay by credit card:

<https://www.ambulancebillingoffice.com/memberships/uppermerion.php>

We strongly encourage online payment. If you are unable to pay online please allow 2-3 weeks for check processing.

Important Contact Information

If you or someone you may know are experiencing a medical emergency please dial 911

For questions regarding billing please call our third party billing company Cornerstone at 877-214-6018

For questions regarding our Ambulance Subscription please contact us at ambulancesubs@umtownship.org or 484-636-3851

Want to learn more about becoming a volunteer or EMT? Contact us at kmccclure@umtownship.org

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2025-2026 Ambulance Subscription Request Form

Make check payable to *Upper Merion Township EMS Subscription*

Please complete all applicable fields; use additional paper if necessary

****Authorization must be signed on the back in order to activate subscription**

Please check the applicable box below

- ☐ Senior Individual
- ☐ Senior Couple
- ☐ Individual
- ☐ Family
- \$50.00

\$75.00

\$75.00

\$125.00

Family Member Names (First & Last)	Birth Date	Relation

If any corrections need to be made to your name or address please call 484-636-3851 or email us at ambulancesubs@umtownship.org

AUTHORIZATION

I authorize the payment of Medicare benefits and/or all insurance benefits made on my behalf for any services furnished by Upper Merion Township Fire & EMS Department. I authorize any holder of medical information or documentation about me to release to the Health Care Financing Administration and its carrier and agents, as well as this health care service provider, any information or documentation needed to determine these benefits or benefits payable for any service provided to me by this health care service provider now or in the future. I understand that I am financially responsible for the services provided to me or my family members by this health care service provider regardless of my insurance coverage. I request that payment of authorized Medicare and/or other insurance benefits be made on my behalf to the health care service provider or its billing agent for any services provided to me by the health care provider. I authorize and direct any holder of medical information or documentation about me to release to the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services and its carriers and agents, as well as to this health care provider and their billing agents, any information or documentation needed to determine these benefits payable for any service provided to me by the health care service provider, both now or in the future. A copy of this form is valid as the original. I also agree to immediately remit to this health care service provider any payments that I receive directly from any source for the services provided to me, now or in the future.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Jefferson Health & Upper Merion Fire & EMS Unveil Mobile Stroke Unit

Bringing Advanced Stroke Care Straight to the Community

Stroke care is changing — and it's arriving faster than ever before. Jefferson Health, in partnership with Upper Merion Fire & EMS, proudly launches its second Mobile Stroke Unit (MSU) — a revolutionary emergency vehicle designed to treat strokes before the patient even reaches the hospital.

WHY THIS MATTERS

Every second counts when it comes to stroke. For each minute treatment is delayed, nearly 2 million brain cells can be lost. Jefferson's MSU will be diagnosing and beginning treatment on scene, saving crucial time and giving patients the best possible chance of recovery and better outcomes.

What Makes This Unit a Game Changer?

- Onboard CT scanner for immediate brain imaging
- Telemedicine to connect directly with Jefferson stroke specialists
- Stroke-trained EMS crews ready to administer clot-busting medication on the spot

This mobile technology brings hospital-level care right to you, reducing treatment time by up to 45 minutes or more.

Real Innovation, Real Impact

Jefferson Health is now:

- The only health system in Pennsylvania operating two Mobile Stroke Units
- The first and only in the Philadelphia, South Jersey, and Delaware region with this capability

Your Community. Your Lifeline.

Residents of Upper Merion and surrounding areas now have faster access to advanced stroke care. It's one more way Jefferson Health and Upper Merion Fire & EMS are working together to bring innovative, lifesaving care right to your doorstep.

Because when it comes to stroke, time saved is brain saved.

