# COLE CAMP COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT DISCOUNT POLICY

## **Hardship Discount**

Accounts for ambulance service can be discounted a percentage approved by the Board of Directors if the account qualifies. If the household income is within 200% of the national poverty level, based on the number of family members, the family's income and total expenses, the account may qualify for a discount.

For an account to be considered for discounting:

- 1. It must be for an un-insured or under-insured patient.
- 2. Under-insured meaning the insurance company has paid less than 50% of the total charges.

## Qualifying requirements:

- 1. The patient must complete and return the application for Hardship Discount.
- 2. Documentation may be required to support the information on the application.
- 3. It may be necessary for our office to call and verify the information submitted.
- 4. The patient must have applied for state Medicaid medical assistance or show reasons Medicaid will not cover the service.
- 5. If the account had been discounted at less than 100%, a minimal payment must be made at the time of discounting.
- 6. Payment arrangements must be made and a payment must be received on the account each and every month until paid in full.

If your income is less than the amount stated in the table below, depending on your household expenses, your account may qualify for a hardship discount.

The table represents 200% of 2015 Federal Poverty Guidelines for the 48 contiguous states according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

If your annual income is less than the amount listed for the number of family members that live in your house, please complete the Discount Application.

Persons in family/household	Poverty guideline		
For families/households with more than 8 persons, add \$4,160 for each additional person.			
1	\$11,770		
2	15,930		
3	20,090		
4	24,250		
5	28,410		
6	32,570		
7	36,730		
8	40,890		

## **COLE CAMP COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT**

Application for Hardship Relief

NAME:		Date:		
ADDRESS:				
CITY:	STATE: _	ZIP:	PHONE:	
Please nam	<b>DEPENDE</b> te all dependents that resi	NT INFORMATION ide with you and require	your financial support.	
SPOUSE:	AGE:	NAME:		AGE:
NAME:				
NAME:				
Please provide us with information child support or Social Sec	on concerning your income		recent pay stubs. If you are letter verifying Social Secui	
EMPLOYMENT: \$		SOCIAL SECURITY: \$		
UNEMPLOYMENT: \$		OTHER INC	OME: \$	
ALIMONY/CHILD SUPPORT: \$		Describe:		
	MON'	THLY EXPENSES		
MORTGAGE:\$	Add	ress:		
RENT:\$	Add	ress:		
LOAN:\$	Add	ress:		
LOAN:\$	Add	ress:		
Gas: \$	Trash: \$			
Electric: \$	Water: \$		(Attach copies of last 2 mos. Statements for following :)  Credit Cards: \$	
Telephone: \$	Sewer: \$	M	edical: \$	
Food: \$	Insurance: \$	Oi	ther: \$	

BANK ACCOUNTS			
BANK NAME: ADDRESS: CITY, STATE, ZIP:	_		
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BANK NAME: ADDRESS; CITY, STATE, ZIP:	_		
ATTACH COPIES OF LAST TWO YEARS OF FEDERAL IN	COME TAX RETURNS INCLUDING W-2's.		
NOTE: NO APPLICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED IF IT IS IN MISSING.	NCOMPLETE OR ANY REQUESTED DOCUMENTS ARE		
The undersigned certifies that all statements made in hardship relief and are correct to the applicant's know Community Ambulance District, Cole Camp, Missouri, applicant's financial responsibilities.	vledge. The undersigned authorizes Cole Camp		
Signature	 Date		

## PRIVACY ACT NOTICE STATEMENT

This information is to be used by the agency collecting it in determining whether you qualify as a prospective hardship case under the agency program. It will not be disclosed outside the agency without your consent except to financial institutions for verification of your deposits and as required and permitted by law.

You do not have to give us this information, but if you do not your application for consideration as a prospective hardship case may be delayed or rejected.

## **COLE CAMP COMMUNITY AMBULANCE DISTRICT**

## **AUTHORIZATION**

To my employer, bank, landlord, Social Security Office and my creditors:

This is your authorization to furnish any and all of the following:

- Benefit records

Date

- Medicare records
- Employment and earnings records
- Bank account information
- Residency information
- Credit account information

to Cole Camp Community Ambulance District.

All materials and facts collected from said investig property of Cole Camp Community Ambulance Di	gation for the purpose of this transaction will become strict.
Printed Name	_
Signature	_

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