



Wintergreen Fire and Rescue Standard Operating Guideline	
Subject:	Aeromedical Services
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Purpose:

The purpose of this guideline is to establish how to request aeromedical services to the scene of an incident.

Policy:

Following the Trauma Triage plan for aeromedical transportation, the Incident Commander will contact Wintergreen Dispatch on the assigned operational frequency and request the availability of aeromedical transportation.

The following information shall be provided to Dispatch on the request:

- How many patients
- Priority of patient(s)
- Location of Landing Zone

Upon request, Dispatch will contact the closest available aeromedical service.

In the event the closest aeromedical service is not available, Dispatch will contact the next accessible aeromedical service and provide the Incident Commander with the estimated time of arrival.

Dispatch shall use the following pick list for all Landing Zones within Wintergreen Fire and Rescue first due area.

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| ○ PHI AirCare 5 | First Due | Weyers Cave |
| ○ UVA Pegasus | Second Due | Earlsville |
| ○ Va State Police Med-Flight III | Third Due | Lynchburg |
| ○ Carillon LifeGuard 10 | Forth Due | Roanoke |

Once Dispatch has provided the necessary information, the Incident Commander will advise whether or not to summon aeromedical services to the scene.