

SUBSTITUTE FOR  
HOUSE BILL NO. 5046

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled  
"Public health code,"  
by amending section 20927 (MCL 333.20927), as added by 1990 PA 179.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 20927. (1) A nontransport prehospital life support  
2 operation shall:

3       (a) Provide at least 1 nontransport prehospital life support  
4 vehicle with proper equipment and personnel available for response  
5 to requests for emergency assistance on a 24-hour-a-day, 7-day-a-  
6 week basis in accordance with local medical control authority  
7 protocols.

8       (b) Respond or ensure that a response is provided to all  
9 requests for emergency assistance originating from within the  
10 bounds of its primary dispatch service area.

1 (c) Operate only under the direction of a medical control  
2 authority.

3 (d) Notify the department of any change that would alter the  
4 information contained on its application for a nontransport  
5 prehospital life support operation license or renewal.

6 (e) Provide life support consistent with its license and  
7 approved local medical control authority protocols to all patients  
8 without prior inquiry into ability to pay or source of payment.

9 (2) A nontransport prehospital life support operation shall  
10 not knowingly provide any person with false or misleading  
11 information concerning the time at which an emergency response will  
12 be initiated or the location from which the response is being  
13 initiated.

14 (3) A nontransport prehospital life support operation shall  
15 not operate a nontransport prehospital life support vehicle unless  
16 it is staffed, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, as follows:

17 (a) If designated as providing basic life support, with at  
18 least 1 emergency medical technician **WHO IS ON BOARD THAT VEHICLE**  
19 **OR IF APPROVED BY THE LOCAL MEDICAL CONTROL AUTHORITY WITH AT LEAST**  
20 **1 EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN WHO IS AT THE EMERGENCY SCENE.**

21 (b) If designated as providing limited advanced life support,  
22 with at least 1 emergency medical technician specialist.

23 (c) If designated as providing advanced life support, with at  
24 least 1 paramedic.