



Please fill out this application and mail to:
 Glendale Fire Department GLENDALE MEDIC Program
 421 Oak Street
 Glendale, CA 91204-1298
 Or fax to (818) 409-7111

Check one box:

Please include the \$5 monthly payment on my GWP utility bill (\$10 bi-monthly).

PLEASE PRINT

 Last Name Middle Initial First Name

 Street Address Apt. or Unit Number

Glendale, CA. Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____

GWP Account Number : _____

I understand the GFD will bill any insurance that I or any covered member of my household may have. I agree to immediately forward any payment received to the Glendale Fire Department. Coverage begins the day we receive your application. I will reapply for membership if I move within Glendale.

 Signature Date

Office Use Only:

Date Received:

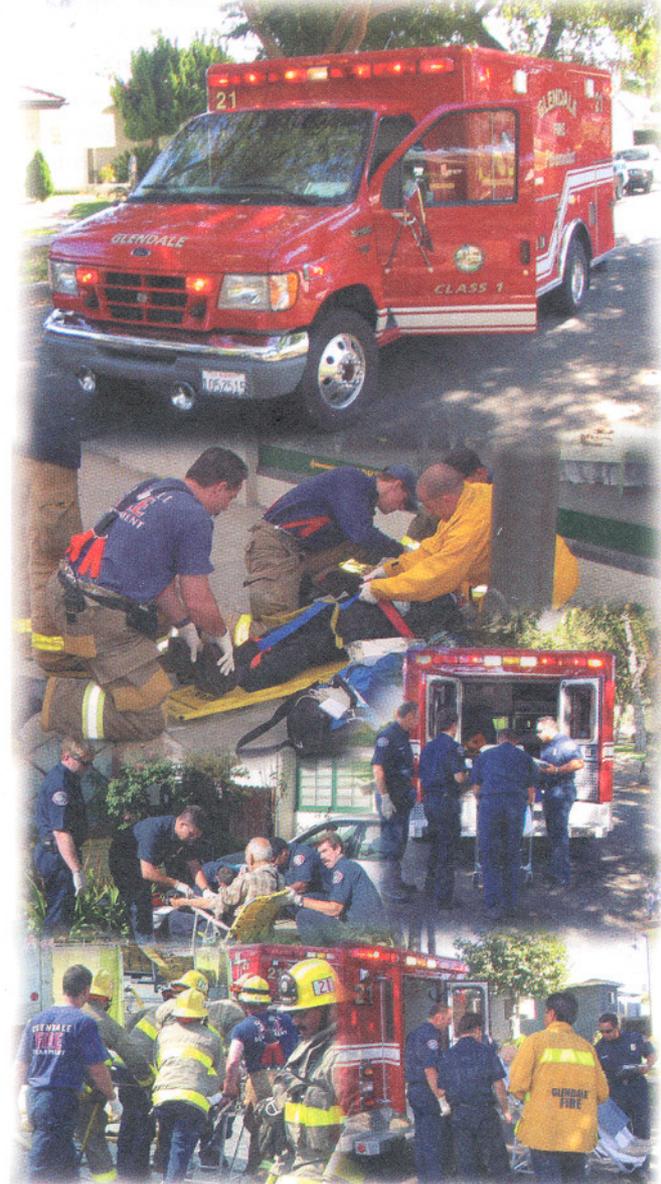


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A Membership Program

To Serve You Better!



Glendale Fire Department, Glendale, California



INTRODUCTION

The charge for an ambulance transport can be as high as \$1,000! Even with medical insurance, co-payments and deductibles are often between \$50 and \$200 - sometimes more. But when you need paramedics, cost should not be a concern. A program offered by the Glendale Fire Department will prevent such unexpected expenses. Membership in the **GLENDALE MEDIC** program provides use of Glendale Fire's emergency medical transportation system for a small annual fee. The fee is added to your Glendale Water & Power utility bill so you don't even have to think about it.

GLENDALE MEDIC is a voluntary membership for paramedic services and emergency ambulance transportation. Every dollar received by **GLENDALE MEDIC** is used to improve your local paramedic system.

Who is covered by GLENDALE MEDIC?

Only Glendale residents are eligible to join. All other people in their household are also automatically covered if they are related to the member by blood, marriage or adoption. This includes a ward, foster child, or registered Domestic Partner.

What does the membership cover?

The **GLENDALE MEDIC** fee covers emergency medical service provided by the Glendale Fire Department. Your **GLENDALE MEDIC** membership is for emergency transports only, from a Glendale location to medically appropriate local area hospitals.

If you are a member and have insurance and/or Medicare, no payment will be required of you; however, your insurance and/or Medicare will be billed.

Whatever is customarily paid by insurance will be considered as payment in full. If you do not have medical insurance, you will receive a 50% discount on your emergency ambulance bill.

Why do I need to join if I already have medical insurance?

When the Glendale Fire Department charges for treatment and transportation, there is no guarantee that your insurance company will cover the charges. The charges may be denied or only partially paid, or your deductible or cap limit may result in an unpaid balance for which you are responsible. As a **GLENDALE MEDIC** member, you do not have those worries since you are not responsible for out-of-pocket costs.

Belonging to **GLENDALE MEDIC** gives you peace of mind in not having to worry whether your insurance will pay the medical bill. The \$60 annual fee is only a fraction of most insurance companies' deductibles. More importantly, the high level of emergency medical service that you receive in Glendale is, in part, due to the increased funding provided through the **GLENDALE MEDIC** Program.

Will I receive a member identification card?

No membership card is necessary. Your **GLENDALE MEDIC** membership is confirmed by your home address, either as the location of the emergency or as your mailing address.

Who do I call if I have a medical emergency?

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What if I have Glendale MEDIC questions?

Glendale MEDIC Hotline:
(818) 548-4041

Glendale Fire Department web site:
www.GlendaleFire.org

How to Join GLENDALE MEDIC

By filling out and returning this application form, you can enroll in **GLENDALE MEDIC**. If you already receive a Glendale Water and Power bill, you may have the charge added at (\$5 per month or \$10 bi-monthly). Your membership will continue until you tell us to end it.

If you do not have a GWP account, please enclose a check or money order for \$60 payable to the Glendale Fire Department with your application.



For More Information

If you have additional questions regarding this program please call:

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www.GlendaleFire.org

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