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## PROPOSED FY 2015-16 RATES FOR ORANGE COUNTY AMBULANCE PROVIDERS CALCULATED RATE ADJUSTMENT

Type of Charge	Basis for Charge	Current Rate	2012-2013 \$ change 1.1%	2013-2014 \$ change 1.3%	Proposed Rate
Emergency BLS (Basic Life Support) Base Rate	Applicable for urgent or Code III response at the request of a public safety employee	\$731.41	\$ 8.04	\$ 9.51	\$748.96
Mileage	Per patient mile or fraction thereof	\$16.87	\$ 0.19	\$ .22	\$ 17.28
Oxygen (includes mask or cannula)	Applicable when administered	\$82.74	\$ 0.91	\$ 1.06	\$ 84.71
Standby	Per 15 minutes after the first 15 minutes and any fraction thereof	\$40.83	\$ 0.45	\$ .53	\$ 41.81
Expendable medical supplies	Maximum per response or fair market value, whichever is least	\$32.66	\$ 0.36	\$ .42	\$ 33.44
OCFA Jurisdictional Areas Only: Emergency ALS (Advanced Life Support) Base Rate	Applicable for patients who have received ALS assessment by paramedics and are transported via BLS or ALS.	\$387.35	\$ 4.26	\$ 5.04	\$396.65

### Consumer Price Index – “All Items” Los Angeles – Riverside – Orange County

<http://www.bls.gov/data>

**2012 Annual: 236.648**

**2013 Annual: 239.207**

1.0814 rounded to nearest tenth = ↑ 1.1%

**2013 Annual: 239.207**

**2014 Annual: 242.434**

1.349% rounded to nearest tenth = ↑ 1.3%