

EMERGENCY TRANSPORT OF THE PHYSICALLY DISABLED AND THEIR SERVICE ANIMALS

A patient's service animal should receive special considerations, provided that these measures will not adversely affect the provision of care to the patient.

1. If the animal is handled by the EMS provider, he will use extreme gentleness.
2. Ambulance transport of the service animal with his owner should be provided unless it jeopardizes patient care or the safety of EMS personnel. If so, the transport of the service animal will be requested of family, friends, or other civil services.