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POLICY:	Grant - Emergency Medical	EMS / Grants	DATE CREATED:
	Services Agency Training		
RESPONSIBLE STAFF:	EMS Grants Comp Spec, EMS System Coordinator, Director - DEMS	CREATED BY: EMS System Coord	DATE REVISED: 07/01/2019

A. Background

This grant has been around in some form for many years with the intent of helping individuals meet the continuing education requirements for EMS certification/licensure.

B. <u>Appropriations</u>

Total funds available are limited to the Division of Emergency Medical Systems (DEMS) grant appropriation for this purpose.

C. Eligibility Requirements

North Dakota licensed ambulance services and quick response units may be awarded appropriate funds under the following conditions:

- 1. The EMS entity must be licensed by DEMS.
- 2. Grant application must be submitted electronically within the program reporting system (PRS).
- 3. The grant request must be received by DEMS on or before June 13 of each year to be considered within that fiscal year.
- Ambulance services with volunteers and three or less paid personnel may receive \$2,000; volunteers and four to five paid personnel \$1,000; and volunteers and six or more paid personnel \$500.
- 5. QRUs with volunteers and three or less paid personnel may receive \$1,500; volunteers and four to five paid personnel \$1,000; and volunteers and six or more paid personnel \$500.
- 6. Each applying entity must provide a description of how grant funds will be expended.
- D. Additional Information
 - Only one EMS Agency Training Grant may be funded per entity per fiscal year.
 - Grants will be distributed at the discretion of the Department as funds are available. Grant application does not guarantee payment.

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