Providers of transportation services are classified as emergency or non-emergency. Emergency transportation includes ambulance and helicopter providers. Non-emergency transportation includes medicar, taxicab, service car, private automobile, bus, train, and commercial airplane providers.

The provider must be enrolled for the specific category of service(s) (COS) for which charges are to be made. The categories of service for which a transportation provider may enroll are:

COS SERVICE DEFINITION

Emergency Ambulance - Transportation of a patient whose medical condition requires immediate treatment of an illness or injury.

The destination of an emergency ambulance is a hospital or another source of medical care when a hospital is not immediately accessible.

Or

Emergency Helicopter - Transportation of a patient when the responsible physician determines such mode to be a medical necessity. Such determination must be documented in writing by the physician.

- Non-emergency Ambulance Transportation of a patient whose medical condition requires transfer by stretcher and medical supervision. The patient's condition may also require medical equipment or the administration of drugs or oxygen, etc., during the transport.
- Medicar Transportation of a patient whose medical condition requires the use of a hydraulic or electric lift or ramp, wheelchair lockdowns, or transportation by stretcher when the patient's condition does not require medical supervision, medical equipment, the administration of drugs or the administration of oxygen, etc.
- Taxicab Transportation by passenger vehicle of a patient whose medical condition does not require a specialized mode.
- Service Car Transportation by passenger vehicle of a patient whose medical condition does not require a specialized mode.
- Private Automobile Transportation by passenger vehicle of a patient whose medical condition does not require a specialized mode.
- Other Transportation Transportation by common carrier, e.g., bus, train or commercial airplane.