

LEON COUNTY E.M.S.
Standard Operating Guideline

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I. PURPOSE:

To establish guidelines for transports to Tallahassee Regional Airport for continued transport via fixed wing or rotor wing aircraft.

II. GUIDELINES:

All prescheduled transports to the Tallahassee Regional Airport are by nature non-emergency and do not usually require the use of lights and sirens. However rare circumstances may exist that warrant the use of lights and sirens.

III. PROCEDURE:

1. The crew will work within the parameters of care for the particular patient condition encountered. Generally only non-emergency transport is required when en route to the airport with patient and aircrew.
2. Requests by an air flight crew for lights and siren transport to the airport must be medically necessary and approved by the on-duty supervisor prior to upgrading.
3. Airport transports of an organ harvest team with a harvested organ onboard are acceptable candidates for emergency transport mode (refer to SOG 215.00).