

# LEON COUNTY E.M.S.

## Standard Operating Guideline

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### I. PURPOSE:

The purpose of this Standard Operating Guideline is to ensure that all equipment as well as crewmembers' personal belongings cannot be stolen and/or tampered with.

### II. GUIDELINE:

It is the guideline of LCEMS that every patient will receive a high level of consistent care. Therefore, all EMS equipment shall be secured when the vehicle is unattended.

### III. PROCEDURE:

#### 1. Responsibilities

- A. It is the responsibility of both crewmembers to ascertain that all compartments of the ambulance are locked when the vehicle is unattended.
- B. This includes locking of all compartments when a vehicle is taken out of service at the end of a shift or taken to a service facility for repair.
- C. Crew members are responsible for notifying the on-duty supervisor if the locks are not functional.