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## Department of Health Bureau of Health Services Financing

## Healthcare Services Provider Fees Emergency Ambulance Service Providers Fee Assessment

In compliance with Act 305 of the 2016 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature, the Department of Health, Bureau of Health Services Financing established qualifying criteria and implemented a provider fee for qualified providers of emergency ground ambulance services (Louisiana Register, Volume 42, Number 11).

Pursuant to R.S. 46:2626, the Department of Health shall adopt and impose fees on emergency ground ambulance service providers. The total assessment for the initial state fiscal year, SFY 2016, will be \$3,762,519. This amounts to 1.5 percent of reported net operating revenue.

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