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# **EUROPEAN STATEMENT ON EMERGENCY MEDICINE**



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Course

*CONCEPTS AND DEVELOPMENTS  
IN EMERGENCY MEDICINE*

Program



Leuven, May 20-27, 1992



## **EUROPEAN SOCIETY FOR EMERGENCY MEDICINE (EuSEM)**

*(from 1994)*

The European Society for Emergency Medicine (EuSEM) incorporates a federation which currently includes 28 European national societies of Emergency Medicine and represents more than 12,000 emergency physicians in Europe.



*EUROPE*

## WHAT IS EMERGENCY MEDICINE?

Emergency Medicine is a specialty based on **the knowledge and skills** required for the prevention, diagnosis and management of urgent and emergency aspects of illness and injury ... in which time is critical.

The practice of Emergency Medicine encompasses the pre-hospital and in-hospital triage, resuscitation, initial assessment and management of undifferentiated urgent and emergency cases.

It also includes involvement in the development of pre-hospital and in-hospital emergency medical systems.



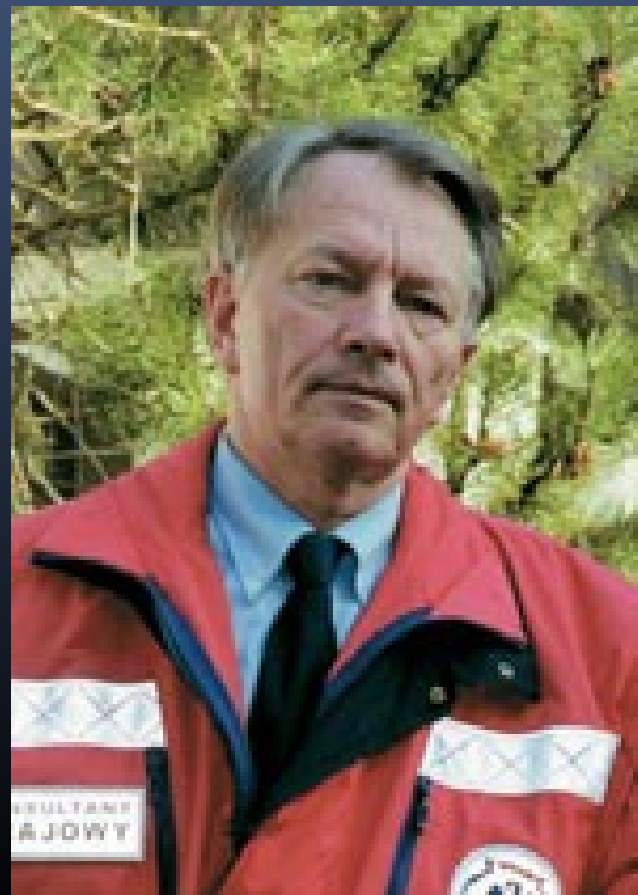
# **Polskie Towarzystwo Medycyny Ratunkowej**

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## **Polish Society for Emergency Medicine**

**From 1999**

- **Promoting the development of emergency medicine in Poland**
- **Education about EMS**
- **Initiation and coordinate research programs**
- **Standardization of high-quality emergency treatment**
- **Lead expert opinions in the field of emergency medicine,**
- **The attention to ethics and professional qualifications of professional solidarity**



***POLAND***  
***steps towards Emergency***  
***Medicine***

**May the 9<sup>th</sup>, 2001**

**‘ACT ON NATIONAL MEDICAL  
RESCUE’**

**Parliamentary final debate  
and acceptance**





# ***POLAND ACT ON NATIONAL MEDICAL RESCUE***

- **EMS system**

- ✓ **part of national health care system**
- ✓ **part of public safety system**

- **Emergency Medicine**

- ✓ **new independent , medical discipline**
- ✓ **new academic discipline**
- ✓ **new speciality for doctors and nurses**



# ***POLAND*** ***ACT ON NATIONAL MEDICAL*** ***RESCUE***

- **system organiser**

- ✓ **local Self-Government**

- **system supervisors**

- ✓ **Province Mayor**

- ✓ **Minister of Health**

- **system support**

- ✓ **ministerial programme**

# ***POLAND***

## ***ACT ON NATIONAL MEDICAL RESCUE***

- **Emergency Medicine financing rules:**

- ✓ **pre-hospital EMS**

- central budget**

- ✓ **hospital ED**

- health insurance following**

- medical procedures**

# Medical Emergency Teams

## P ( Basic )

2 person: two paramedics or paramedic and nurse system







# Medical Emergency Teams

## **ambulances type S (Specialist)**

- **minimum of 3 persons authorized to perform medical rescue operations ( doctor system, two paramedics or paramedic and nurse system)**











# Medical Emergency Teams

**Air Ambulance ( HEMS ):**

**-3 person: physician of System,  
paramedic or nurse, pilot**

**-Only for critical situations**











# ***POLAND***

## ***ACT ON NATIONAL MEDICAL RESCUE***

- **Emergency Department**
  - ✓ **new unit in hospital structure**
- **Emergency Medical Technician**
  - ✓ **new medical profession**



# Medical Emergency

**Emergency Departments ( ED ).**

**„provide health care services consisting the initial diagnosis and treatment as necessary to stabilize the vital signs of people who are in a state of sudden health threat”.**

***September 8, 2006 enforced the "Law on the State Emergency Medical Services ."***













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# **System nurse**

**is a nurse with the title of specialist in :**

**emergency nursing ,  
anesthesia and intensive care,  
surgery, cardiology, pediatrics,**

**as well as a nurse who has completed a qualifying  
course in the field of emergency nursing ,  
anesthesia and intensive care , surgery , cardiology,  
pediatrics ,**

**and having at least 3 years work experience  
in the branches of these specialties,  
emergency department, emergency rooms or  
ambulance service.**





# Medical Rescuer

**(Paramedic, Emergency Medical Technician)  
a graduate from (specialty) medical emergency  
and holds a diploma certifying  
the professional title " paramedic ".**











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# **SAVE YOUR TIME!!!**

## **23<sup>rd</sup> Winter Symposium of Emergency Medicine and Intensive Care**

Karpacz, Poland  
March 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>, 2014

