

Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team

Annual Ambulance Subscription March 1, 2026 - February 28, 2027

Coverage runs from date purchased through February 28, 2027.

If you would no longer like us to send this information to you check here and return.

Please make any necessary corrections to address below.

\$ Individual \$35.00
\$ Married Couple \$45.00
\$ Family \$65.00*
\$ Additional Household Resident \$35.00
\$ Additional Donation
\$ **Total Enclosed**

*Family Memberships consist of a husband, wife and any children under 18 years of age. Family memberships also include students between 18 and 26 years of age that are still on their parents health insurance. Any check returned N.S.F. will be charged an additional \$50.00.

SLIPPERY ROCK VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY & RESCUE TEAM

2026 SUBSCRIPTION DRIVE

Information Number Only: 724-794-3817 or 724-406-9016



Slippery Rock Borough, Slippery Rock Township, West Liberty Borough, Worth Township, Cherry Township, Brady Township, Liberty Township, Mercer County, Plaingrove & Scott Township, Lawrence County

Slippery Rock Emergency Medical Services

Make checks payable to:
Slippery Rock Rescue Team
162 Elm Street
Slippery Rock, PA 16057

**Any check returned N.S.F. will be charged an additional \$50.00

This membership entitles the holder, unlimited Emergency Medical Service within the coverage area. Subject to the subscription terms and conditions available upon request.

- Professional Staff and Dedicated Volunteers
- Staffed 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- 25 Certified Paramedics & EMT's
- 3 Advanced Life Support Ambulances
- Affordable Subscription Rates
- Community Activity Coverage
- Tours and Demonstrations
- Blood Pressure Screenings

IMPORTANT INFORMATION
*This is your
ONLY mailing!
Please respond!*

****Please keep a list of your current medications and DNR on your refrigerator in case of an emergency.****

Please list ALL family members residing at this address to be covered by this membership.

Name

Date of Birth

Name

Date of Birth

Phone Number _____

Insurance Company _____

Insurance Company _____

ID Number _____

ID Number _____

AUTHORIZATION

I understand that I am financially responsible for the services provided to me or my family members by this health service provider or supplier regardless of my insurance coverage. A copy of this form is a valid as the original. I also agree to immediately remit to this health service provider any payments that I receive directly from any source for the services provided to me/my family, now or in the future. Memberships are voided if patient does not forward insurance check to the Slippery Rock Vol. Fire Co. & Rescue Team.

Signature _____ Date _____

FREQUENTLY ASKED SUBSCRIPTION QUESTIONS

Q. Why should I become a subscriber?

A. Your subscription assures that Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team will have the staff, vehicles and equipment required to provide around-the-clock protection for you and your family in the event of an emergency.

Q. If I have health insurance, do I need a subscription?

A. Yes. Most insurance companies do not pay 100% of total ambulance charges. In fact, most insurance plans require that you pay a co-payment and/or deductible. Your paid subscription assures that you will receive a 50% discount off any of these out-of-pocket expenses - when related to emergency ambulance service provided by Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team. Non-subscribers are often responsible for full payment of any and all applicable ambulance charges, which can exceed \$900.00 per trip. For those who have no insurance, the membership program provides a 50% discount.

Q. I thought Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team wrote off 100% of my co-payment and/or deductible amounts?

A. Due to rising co-payments and high deductible insurance requirements, Slippery Rock was faced with either substantially increasing the annual subscription rates for all subscribers or attempt to recover some revenue from subscribers who use the ambulance through the subscription year. We believe that this is the best way to proceed as subscribers can still save hundreds of dollars through our 50% subscriber discount program.

Q. How does Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team get reimbursed if I am transported to the hospital?

A. In the event that you need emergency ambulance service, Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team will submit a bill to your insurance company. Insurance payments are then applied to your balance. Once all insurance payments are applied, subscribers receive a 50% discount off any remaining out-of-pocket expenses for emergency ambulance services. The subscriber discount is applied - no matter how frequently you require medically necessary emergency ambulance services.

Q. What should I do if my insurance company sends me a check for payment of services provided by Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team?

A. All recipients of services are required to immediately forward any and all reimbursement received to Slippery Rock Volunteer Fire Company & Rescue Team. Failure to do so will result in the immediate termination of any subscriptions agreement and you will be held responsible for payment of all outstanding balances.

Q. What is NOT covered by a subscription?

A. Your subscription does not cover transports or any charges which may be denied or deemed outside the limits of your insurance coverage and/or do not meet not meet established medical necessity or destination criteria. Your subscription also does not cover any charges related to unauthorized long distance ambulance mileage charges and/or transport fees, which are based solely on patient or physician preference. Subscribers may be eligible for a discount on all non-covered charges. For example, transport or refusals receive a 50% discount in which the \$85 fee is discounted to \$42.50.

Q. Are non-emergency ambulance transports covered by my subscription?

A. Certain types of scheduled non-emergency ambulance transports ARE covered by your subscription. These transports may include interfacility transports. Covered non-emergency transports must be deemed medically necessary by a physician and/or the patient's primary insurance company.

Q. When does my subscription expire?

A. Your paid subscription is valid from date of purchase between March 1, 2025 through February 28, 2026.

Q. I didn't call 911, and when the ambulance arrived, I refused transport. Why am I still getting a bill?

A. You are being billed for activation of the 911-system. The response of emergency medical personnel incurs significant cost even before service is rendered. A police officer or a "good samaritan" who calls 911 on your behalf has no legal responsibility to pay for the service provided to you. Even if you refuse transport, you were still provided with a service by the responding agency. Thus, a service charge to the patient has been authorized when the 911-system is activated.