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Medical transport service opens in Hampton

May 23, 2014 – American Medical Response, the largest medical transportation company in the country, has opened a new office in Hampton serving all of Hampton Roads and surrounding communities.

The AMR operation, which started service on April 23, has 56 full-time and part-time employees and plans to hire another 50 or more workers by the end of June. AMR will offer basic life support ambulance service, advanced life support ambulance service, and bariatric ambulance service. Wheelchair van service will be offered in the near future as well as air-based emergency medical transportation.

“American Medical Response is excited to be serving Hampton Roads and surrounding communities. Our team is committed to providing professional, high-quality medical services to the community,” said Kevin Gross, AMR operations manager. “As a leader in the medical transportation industry, we bring the value of a local community operation coupled with the stability and support of a national organization.”

Founded in 1992, AMR is the country’s leading provider of medical transportation, offering services in 40 states and the District of Columbia. More than 18,000 AMR paramedics, emergency medical technicians and other professionals work together to transport more than 3 million patients nationwide each year in critical, emergency and non-emergency situations.

Gross said AMR invested nearly \$500,000 to open the new location at 5000 Incubator Road. Erin Corrie of the commercial real estate firm Jones Lang LaSalle represented AMR.

"We are excited that American Medical Response made the strategic decision to choose Hampton for its newest emergency medical services operation," said Hampton Mayor George Wallace. "The company strengthens the already strong healthcare community in Hampton and throughout the region."

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