

		2018 Medicare Allowable Charge		
		California		
Procedure Code	DESCRIPTION OF CODE	Los Angeles County	Orange County	Riverside
A0425	Mileage (per mile)	\$7.23	\$7.23	\$7.23
A0426	ALS 1 Base Rate (NE)	\$303.10	\$303.10	\$283.66
A0427	ALS 1 Base Rate (Emergency)	\$479.91	\$479.91	\$449.12
A0428	BLS Non-Emergency	\$252.59	\$252.59	\$236.38
A0429	BLS Emergency	\$404.14	\$404.14	\$378.21
A0433	ALS 2 Base Rate	\$694.61	\$694.61	\$650.05
A0434	Specialty Care Transport (SCT)	\$820.90	\$820.90	\$768.24

(a) Medicare is a Federal Program for Seniors and the rates are set by the Federal Government. Ambulance rates set by the County do not have any impact on these rates.

(b) Medicare pays 80% of the Allowable Charges. The remaining 20% is the patients responsibility.