

Mobile Intensive Care Nurse (MICN) Authorization/Reauthorization Frequently Asked Questions

Initial MICN Authorizations are by appointment **only**.
Please call the EMS Agency main line at 707-784-8155 for an appointment.

Initial MICN Authorization

Prior to Initial MICN Authorization Appointment

A MICN authorization application must be filled out prior to the appointment. This can be found under “EMS Applications” on the website.

Bring the following to your appointment:

- Copy of current California Registered Nurse (RN) license.
- Copy of Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) card.
- Copy of previous MICN authorization from another LEMSA **OR** evidence of 12 months critical care experience within the Emergency Department (ED) AND evidence of completion of a basic MICN course.
- Documentation of an Advanced Life Support (ALS) emergency ambulance ride along with direct observation of at least four (4) patient contacts.
- Letter of proof of employment with a Solano County hospital.
- Documentation of ten (10) radio calls precepted and audited by the Base Hospital Liaison. The calls may be simulated.
- Check or money order for \$125.00 made payable to Solano County EMS.

Attendance of an EMS Agency Orientation is required. The date of the next EMS Agency Orientation will be provided at the appointment.

MICN Authorization runs concurrent with the state RN license.

MICN Reauthorization

An appointment is not required for MICN reauthorization. Please email the following to the EMS Agency's Certification Specialist:

- Copy of new California RN license.
- Copy of ACLS card.
- Proof of 12 hours of Continuing Education (CE) units related to prehospital care. ACLS or Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) may be used for a maximum six (6) hours CEs. Four (4) hours of additional ride along time on an ALS ambulance may also fulfill this requirement.
- Documentation of an ALS emergency ambulance ride along with direct observation of at least four (4) patient contacts.
- Check or money order for \$75.00 made payable to Solano County EMS (mailed or in-person drop off).

All documentation is due 30 days prior to expiration of MICN authorization. If documentation is submitted within 30 days of expiration, a late fee of \$65.00 will also be assessed.

If a MICN authorization expires, MICN authorization may be reinstated for 60 days by fulfilling the reauthorization requirement and payment of a reinstatement fee of \$125.00 and the late fee of \$65.00.

Any lapse of MICN Authorization greater than 60 days will require the RN to complete the initial process for MICN Authorization.