



# Maryland Pediatric EMS Champion Job Description

## Position Summary

The Pediatric EMS Champion is a member of the EMS organization who is passionate about the care and treatment of pediatric patients. The Pediatric EMS Champion is responsible for the coordination of pediatric specific activities. The individual serving in the position of the Pediatric EMS Champion does not need to be dedicated solely to this role; the roles and responsibilities may be assumed as part of their existing duties.

## Roles & Responsibilities

- Offer and/or promote pediatric continuing education opportunities
- Support pediatric safety and prevention programs
- Encourage use of current pediatric care guidelines
- Encourage a team approach with the family to provide appropriate care
- Promote use of pediatric equipment and medications
- Advocates for pediatric perspective in delivery of EMS care

## Position requirements

- Must be able to attend the annual training & networking meeting offered by the Maryland EMS for Children Department
- Must participate in a minimum of 2 of the Pediatric EMS Champions Forums hosted by the Maryland EMS for Children Department (in-person preferred)
- Must offer to their respective jurisdiction a minimum of 4 pediatric EMS-related activities annually. Suggested activities include, but are not limited to, offering pediatric continuing educational topics and dissemination of pediatric injury prevention materials.