

EMS Week 2011

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The dates for National Emergency Medical Services Week 2011 are 15 May through 21 May. May 18th this year is designated as Emergency Medical Services for Children Day (EMSC). EMS week is an opportunity to bring together the local community and emergency medical personnel to publicize safety and honor the dedication of those who provide the day-to-day lifesaving services of medicine's "front line."

Rowan County Emergency Medical Services Division is hosting two events during this year's EMS Week. To kick off the week we are having an equipment display and public education event at the Wallace Commons Shopping Center (1311 Klumac Road, Salisbury) on Sunday, 15 May from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM. We will have representatives from various emergency response agencies on site to answer any questions and a large equipment display including:

EMS Ambulances

Salisbury Fire Trucks and Kids Safety House

The Rowan County Disaster Trailer transported by Woodleaf Fire Department

Safe Kids

Rowan Rescue Squad Disaster Equipment

Rowan Telecommunications with the Mobile Command Unit

Rowan County Fire Marshal's Office

Rowan County Emergency Management

Rowan County Sheriff's Department and Special Response Team (SRT)

A Helicopter from Carolinas Medical Center

NC Highway Patrol

Salisbury Police Department

NC Forestry with SMOKEY BEAR

Various Volunteer Fire Departments' Apparatus

On 18 May, EMS will be hosting another event in the parking lot at Wal-Mart Super Center (323 S. Arlington St., Salisbury) from 10:30 AM through 3:00 PM for EMSC Day. We will have trucks on site for you to see and personnel available to answer any questions.

Come out and join in on the fun during both events!