

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The distribution of the FY 09-10 county funds has been delayed due to the fact that a provider was unable to obtain the required documentation that would have allowed the distribution of FY 08-09 funds to that provider. As provided in the procedure adopted by the SETTRAC Board, and in compliance with the state contract, there are certain steps that must be taken for those funds to be reallocated. As soon as those funds are reallocated the process of the distribution of the FY 09-10 county funds will begin.

Recently a message from DSHS was forwarded to the Prehospital Care and Transport listserver requesting that all providers go to the DSHS web site to verify their counties of eligibility. If you have not yet done so please do so and check your county(ies) of eligibility. If you have any questions please contact Linda Reyes at Linda.Reyes@dshs.state.tx.us or 512-834-6684. This list has nothing to do with having met SETTRAC participation requirements.

The list of participation by EMS providers for the past fiscal year was recently posted to the SETTRAC website. All EMS providers should go to the SETTRAC website and check quarterly meeting attendance, submission of current affidavit, payment of dues and committee attendance. The current affidavit means one that has been signed by both EMS Director and Medical Director after the revised guidelines were adopted by the Board on December 1, 2008. The revised guidelines and a blank affidavit can be found on the SETTRAC web site by clicking on the "Documents" tab look under the heading "Protocols/Guidelines/Forms". If you have any questions please contact Sherrie Johnson at the SETTRAC office.