

It's the Law!

Emergency Medical Treatment and Active Labor Act (EMTALA)

This hospital participates in the Medicare/Medicaid program. If you have a medical emergency or are in labor, even if you cannot pay or do not have medical insurance (or you are not entitled to Medicare or Medicaid), you have the right to receive, within the hospital's staff and facilities capabilities, the following:

- An appropriate medical screening examination
- Necessary stabilizing treatment (including treatment for an unborn child)
- An appropriate transfer to another facility if necessary even if you cannot pay or do not have medical insurance or you are not entitled to Medicare or Medicaid

Es la Ley! Este hospital si paticipa en el programa de Medicare y Medicaid.

Si usted tiene una emergencia médica o si está de parto aunque no pueda pagar o no tenga seguro médico (o no tenga derecho a Medicare o Medicaid), tiene derecho a recibir, dentro de las capacidades del personal e instalaciones de este hospital, lo siguiente:

- Un examen medico apropiado
- El tratamiento estabilizante necesario (incluyendo el tratamiento para un bebé aun no nacido)
- Un traslado apropiado a otra facilidad médica, aunque no pueda pagar o no tenga seguro medico o no tenga derecho a Medicare o Medicaid.