

Continuing Education QUIZ (1.0 hour CEU)

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At-Risk Populations and the Critically Ill Rely Disproportionately on Ambulance Transport to Emergency Departments

- 1) According to this article, which of the following is a potential benefit of ambulance diversion?
 - Shorter transport times
 - Improved care for patients already in the Emergency Department
 - Avoiding smaller hospitals
 - Better dispersal of elderly patients

- 2) According to this article, which of the following is a potential negative effect of ambulance diversion?
 - Unfamiliar surroundings
 - Spending too much time in contact with EMTs
 - Longer transport times
 - The price of diesel fuel

- 3) Patients who are critically ill are more likely to arrive to the Emergency Department by ambulance.
 - True
 - False

- 4) In this study, race & ethnicity was directly related to increased use of ambulance services.
 - True
 - False

- 5) According to this article, among the entire Emergency Department population, private insurance patients were 3 times more likely to use ambulance services than patients with other forms of insurance.
 - True
 - False

6) According to this study, which age group most frequently arrives to the Emergency Department by ambulance?

- 25-44
- 45-64
- 65-74
- 75+