

COVID-19 FAQ

1. Can an EMS provider refuse to transport a patient if that patient is suspected of having COVID-19 and refuses to wear a mask?

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<u>Answer:</u> Generally, no, unless the patient poses other risks of harm to the crew. EMS staff can don their own Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to ensure that they can safely transport a patient who refuses to wear a mask.