

Hospital Transport

Don't let worries about cost prevent you from seeking recommended care.

Ambulance transport to the hospital

In a medical or mental health emergency, Bangs Ambulance will transport ill or injured students to Cayuga Medical Center (CMC)'s Emergency Department, located at 101 Dates Drive in Ithaca:

- **Cornell's student health plans (SHP & SHP-M):** cover the cost of a billed transport 100% with no co-pay.
- **Private health insurance:** most likely covers the cost. However, plans vary. Check your plan for details. You may need to submit an invoice to your insurance plan for reimbursement.

Returning from the hospital

Taxi: If you do not have a ride home, you can call Ithaca Taxi Dispatch (**607-277-7777**) or Collegetown Cab (**607-588-8888**) to request a pickup. They should be able to estimate the cost:

- You can charge the cost to your Cornell Bursar account. To do this, tell the driver, "Please bill this to Cornell Health" and show your student I.D. so they can record your ID number.
- You can also pay the cost out-of-pocket.

Follow-up care

If you receive care at another facility including the Emergency Department, be sure to ask the health care staff to send a record of your visit to Cornell Health so we can provide follow-up care and support.

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