

2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 122

1 **AN ACT** *to create* 49.45 (3) (m) of the statutes; **relating to:** Medical Assistance
2 reimbursement for transportation by specialized medical vehicle.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1.** 49.45 (3) (m) of the statutes is created to read:
4 49.45 (3) (m) To be certified under sub. (2) (a) 11. to provide transportation by
5 specialized medical vehicle, a person must have at least one human service vehicle,
6 as defined in s. 340.01 (23g), that satisfies the requirements imposed under s. 110.05
7 for a vehicle that is used to transport a person in a wheelchair. If a certified provider
8 uses 2 or more vehicles to provide transportation by specialized medical vehicle, at
9 least 2 of the vehicles must be human service vehicles that satisfy the requirements
10 imposed under s. 110.05 for a vehicle that is used to transport a person in a

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1 wheelchair, and any 3rd or additional vehicle must be a human service vehicle to
2 which the equipment required under s. 110.05 for transporting a person in a
3 wheelchair may be added. The department shall pay for transportation by
4 specialized medical vehicle under s. 49.46 (2) (b) 3. that is provided in a human
5 service vehicle that is not equipped to transport a person in a wheelchair if the person
6 being transported does not use a wheelchair. The reimbursement rate for
7 transportation by specialized medical vehicle provided in a vehicle that is not
8 equipped to accommodate a wheelchair shall be the same as for transportation by
9 specialized medical vehicle provided in a vehicle that is equipped to accommodate a
10 wheelchair.

11 (END)