



07/18/2024

San Antonio Fire Department
Attn: Chief Rey Garza

Dear Chief Garza,

We are pleased to announce that effective October 1, 2024 through September 30, 2025 the San Antonio Fire Department (SAFD) Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH) Program has been presented with operational funding not to exceed \$500,000. The goal of the MIH Hospice program will be to work with the Hospice company, the patient, and the family in order to treat the patient on the scene and prevent unnecessary transports to Emergency Rooms as well as potential Hospice revocations. STRAC is in current agreements with the Hospice agencies listed below to provide MIH services, although there is potential to bring on additional agencies throughout the year.

- Abundant Hospice
- Alamo Area Hospice
- Bristol Hospice
- Crest Hospice and Palliative Care
- Embrace Hospice
- Guiding Light Hospice
- Heart to Heart Hospice of San Antonio
- Holy Savior Hospice
- Hummingbird Hospice

STRAC will be responsible for the management of the STRAC MIH Consortium Program and account for all funds being disbursed and will be providing reimbursement to the San Antonio Fire Department (SAFD) for MIH program costs.

All procurement activities associated with this program shall follow STRAC accounting guidelines and generally accepted accounting principles for the purchase of services without exception. It is critical that all procurement provisions be completely followed. When in doubt, please contact STRAC for proper guidance. The STRAC must report all expenditures by the end of the fiscal year. Partners should ensure that costs claimed under this program are eligible and reasonable.

If you have any questions about this funding, eligible expenses, or the reporting process, please contact Mrs. Amy Flores at (210) 233-5834 or email at accounting@strac.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Eric Epley", with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Eric Epley
Executive Director