

## Mission Statement

The mission of Georgetown County Fire/EMS is to provide outstanding fire protection, emergency medical services, fire prevention, public education, fire and emergency medical training and any other related services at the local, state and national levels. We provide these services in a professional manner while maintaining the dignity of those we serve. Our staff continuously strives to learn, improve and grow in enhancing the delivery of fire protection and emergency medical services to those we serve while performing our duties in a safe manner.

## Values Statement

### Commitment to Service

We will provide life safety and property conservation through fire protection and prevention; will treat individuals with illness and injury in our community with care and compassion, utilizing effective principles and practices of patient care, and we strive for excellence through ongoing evaluation and improvement. We will be responsive to the needs and priorities of our community as identified by both the Fire/EMS District and the residents we serve.

### Respect

We recognize the dignity of others and communicate with others in a respectful manner.

### Integrity

We serve with honesty, loyalty and dedication.

### Accountability

We are responsible for our actions, both positive and negative.

### Teamwork

We practice teamwork through communication and cooperation to achieve common goals.

### Fair Treatment

We do not discriminate against patients or personnel on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, sex, age, disability, political belief, military service, or any other legally protected characteristic.