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## 2022 – 2023 ANNUAL VEHICLE INSPECTIONS

**No inspection will be conducted unless the Division has received all required documents and fees prior.**

### Annual Vehicle Inspection Schedule

<b>Location:</b>	Port Everglades, Terminal 25	
<b>Dates:</b>	June 1 - June 2	8:30AM – 11:30AM
	June 7 - June 9	8:30AM – 11:30AM
	June 15 - June 16	8:30AM – 11:30AM
	June 21 - June 23	8:30AM – 11:30AM
	June 29 - June 30	8:30AM – 11:30AM

#### ***Directions to Terminal 25***

1. From points I95 North or South, connect with I595 and proceed East.
2. I595 merges into Eller Drive at the entrance to Port Everglades.
3. Proceed through the Broward Sheriff's Office checkpoint, and continue eastbound on Eller Drive.
4. Continue on Eller Drive, past Terminals 27, 26. Terminal 25 is next, on the right side of the street.

#### **Requirements at time of Inspection**

- ⇒ Drivers must have Broward County Chauffeur's Registration with them
- ⇒ ***Current vehicle registration***

**Any vehicle in line as of closing time will be inspected if the Division has the required information on the vehicle. Any vehicle that arrives after closing time will not be inspected.**

If you have any questions or require additional information regarding this matter, please contact the Division at (954) 765-1700.

**PLEASE USE THE ENCLOSED BROWARD COUNTY CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION VEHICLE INSPECTION STANDARDS CHECKLIST TO PREPARE YOUR VEHICLES PRIOR TO INSPECTION.**

**Nonemergency medical transportation service providers must comply with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations set forth in Florida law, the Florida Administrative Code, the Broward County Code of Ordinances, and the Broward County Administrative Code.**

## Broward County Consumer Protection (CPD) Vehicle Inspection Standards Checklist

- ✓ Vehicles must be clean and presentable. Have interior equipment that is smooth and easily cleaned.
- ✓ Electrical systems functioning properly.
- ✓ Be free of all hazards including, but not limited to slippery floors, sharp edges, unpadded interior door head clearances, cleaning supplies, and vehicle fluids
- ✓ Body should be free of dents and rust that interfere with the safe operation of the vehicles.
- ✓ At all times meet the requirements of all motor vehicle and traffic laws and regulations of the State of Florida
- ✓ Have all equipment in the passenger compartment safely and adequately secured
- ✓ Have all doors, latches, and handles in proper working order
- ✓ When transporting passengers on stretchers, have enough clean blankets, linens, or disposable sheets to be used for each passenger; and always be maintained in a sanitary manner.
- ✓ Tires should have sufficient tread, at least to a depth of 2/32".
- ✓ Warning Indicator lights must be present and working. No inspection will be done if warning indicator is on.
- ✓ Mechanical equipment, listed below, must be in proper working order:
  - Headlights/high beams
  - front and rear directional signal lights
  - emergency flashers
  - taillights
  - back-up lights
  - brake lights – including center-mounted (“high-hat”) lights
  - interior (dome) lights – must operate automatically when doors open or close
  - tag lights
  - horn
  - windshield wipers (with blades free of tears or excess wear)
  - air conditioning (front and rear)
  - window and door operators
- ✓ NO excessive engine smoke.
- ✓ **Vehicle’s interior** should be clean and presentable, including the following:
  - Seat covers, headliners & floor covering: No rips, tears, holes, and cigarette burns, and secured under the door thresholds (sill plates)
  - Door weather seals: Intact
  - Seat belts: Properly working (one pair for each passenger the vehicle can accommodate)

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**All Nonemergency medical transportation vehicles must have the following equipment installed and/or maintained in proper operating condition (manufacture's recommendations).**

### **Wheelchair/Stretcher Equipment:**

- ✓ **Wheelchair Lifts** - Each vehicle shall have a lift, with sufficient capacity to safely and smoothly facilitate the entrance of the passenger(s) into the vehicle and exit from the vehicle
- ✓ **Wheelchair Tie down and Occupant Restraint System (WTORS)** - A lap and shoulder belt will be provided for each wheelchair or mobility aid securement location. When not being used for securement, the securement system shall not interfere with passenger movement, shall not present any hazardous condition, and shall be readily accessed when needed for use
- ✓ **Stretcher/Cots** must be: Cot for the passenger must be secured with a fastener assembly required by the cot manufacturer. Cots should be free from dirt, biohazardous materials, and excessive wear. Sufficient clean blankets, linens, or disposable sheets to be used for each passenger.
- ✓ **Fire extinguisher** - Each vehicle shall carry in the driver's compartment, in a quick release bracket, a five (5) pound ABC fire extinguisher readily accessible, charged and inspected yearly.
- ✓ **Vehicle lettering** - The signage (lettering) shall be in bold letters and numerals at least one and one-half (1½) inches high distinctly contrasting in color with the background and permanently affixed to the vehicle in such a manner to be readily distinguishable, from a distance of not less than ten (10) meters (32.8 feet), and must show the company name, telephone number, and unit number per Broward County Code of Ordinances Chapter 20-5 and as approved by the Division per Sec. 3½-20(f)(2).  
The term "ambulance" shall not be used to identify any Nonemergency Medical Transportation Service vehicle, to include the use of any logo, mark, color scheme and/or symbol commonly used to identify ambulances or association with emergency medical care.