



Age Care Association



Ambulances

There are three types of ambulance service – public, private and the Cruz Roja (Spanish Red Cross).

Public

The SAS ambulance services for emergency use can be contacted on telephone 112. Trained professionals able to provide medical care staff most ambulances. They have access to such emergency equipment as oxygen and life-support systems. Many Centros de Salud in Andalucia have ambulances located at the Centre. At the University Hospital (Clinico) there is a landing pad for a SAS helicopter, which can be used when necessary for transporting patients needing urgent medical care. There are also free ambulance services run by Cruz Roja. For contact numbers of the nearest Cruz Roja station, consult the yellow pages (Paginas Amarillas) of your Telefonica Directory.

Private

Some private fee-paying hospitals have their own ambulances which are at the disposal of patients. Their number is increasing in line with the development of new hospitals. Helicopteros Sanitarios is a private medical service that in addition to house calls has the facilities of ambulances and a helicopter. To contact them telephone 952 811 818.