

MAEMT and its membership have listed these goals and our purpose has been established as follows:

- **Promotion of the professional status of all emergency medical service providers, regardless of the profession in which EMS skills are performed.**
- **Provision and dissemination of information on current concepts in and of emergency care, particularly where and when it pertains to government policies and decisions relevant to pre-hospital emergency care.**
- **Support and encouragement of on-going professional education for all levels of EMS licensure.**
- **Promotion of public awareness of Emergency Medical Service, in the interest of public safety and welfare.**

As a member of **MAEMT** you will become an important part of the only organization in Michigan that represents your concerns and interests. You will receive a subscription to the *Vital Signs*, a quarterly publication of MAEMT that specifically addresses many of our goals and purposes.

You will be represented by members of the Association and your EMS peers at a variety of legislative and governmental meetings.

MAEMT representatives, in cooperation with the Michigan Association of Ambulance Services, annually meet to plan Michigan EMS EXPO. Michigan EMS EXPO is a time to learn, compete, socialize, and reward special EMS personnel who have best contributed to the betterment of quality pre-hospital emergency care in our state.

MAEMT is a vital part of the Michigan EMS Coalition, which was formed by groups interested in the betterment of Emergency Medical Services. The Coalition's statement of purpose is as follows.

- **To discuss and coordinate common EMS issues and problems.**
- **To provide input to the Michigan Department of Public Health and other organizations.**
- **To coordinate public and legislative awareness of Emergency Medical Services.**
- **To review and recommend changes in the Emergency Medical**