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#### 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week

Page, AZ (May 18, 2020) –May 17-23, 2020 is the 46<sup>th</sup> Annual EMS Week. In 1974, President Gerald Ford authorized the first “National Emergency Medical Services Week.” to celebrate EMS practitioners and the important work they do in our nation's communities. This work has never been more apparent than in the last few months. The theme for this year is “Ready Today. Preparing for Tomorrow.” EMS Week is the perfect time to recognize Emergency Medical Services personnel and we would like to especially recognize and thank all of the EMS personnel in our community who have been on the frontlines battling this pandemic.



More information is available at <https://www.naemt.org/initiatives/ems-week> and <https://www.acep.org/administration/ems-resources/emsweek/>

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