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Media briefing

EMS Global in Mongolia. October 2025

EMS Global Foundation is an independent Australian not-for-profit organization. Originally launched in 2017 with support from Griffith University in Australia, this training is now funded by the Australian Government. We work with governments to strengthen pre-hospital emergency medical services (EMS).

Our main goal is to save lives outside the hospital through training and system innovation. Working directly with governments, ministries of health, funding agencies, and local service providers, the goal is to support the establishment of sustainable, locally owned EMS through evidence-based strategic innovation, advanced clinical education, and comprehensive capacity development.

- International emergency paramedic trainers from Australia, the UK and Canada
- All are volunteering to enhance emergency care to hospitals in Mongolia. The team includes intensive care paramedics and university professors.
- This training is being implemented with the support of the Australian Embassy's Direct Assistance Program.

Why this training is important: Approximately 7,000 preventable deaths occur in Mongolia each year. Many of these deaths could be prevented with prompt, quality emergency care. A strong EMS reduces deaths, improves public confidence, and supports economic growth.

Training details:

- **Location:** Ulaanbaatar city emergency care center
- **Date:**
 - 9/30 – 10/3 (doctors)
 - 10/6 – 9 (drivers, firefighters)
- **Participants:** 82 103 doctors, drivers, firefighters
- **Training content includes:** trauma care, airway management, basic and advanced CPR, team work, and safe patient transport etc.
- **Training content:** theoretical and practical training covering a wide range of topics, including trauma care, airway management, basic and advanced CPR, team work, and safe patient transport.



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Outcomes expected

- Improved skills for doctors and drivers working in ambulances.
- Safer, more effective care for patients before hospital.
- Support for Mongolia's Ministry of Health to build a national modern EMS system.
- Continuation of the successful October 2024 program, where 95% of participants rated training "excellent".

Leadership

- Project Founder and Chair – Dr Hamish McLean (Australia)
- Executive Director/paramedic – Joe Acker (Canada/Australia)
- Director Clinical and Operations – Leon Baranowski (UK/Australia)
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