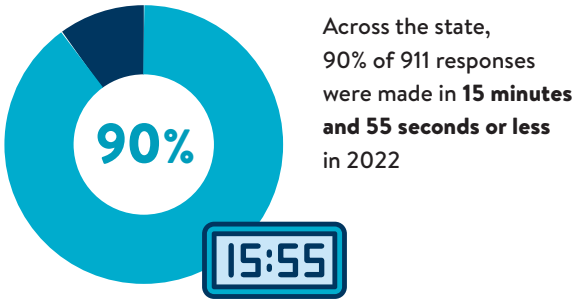
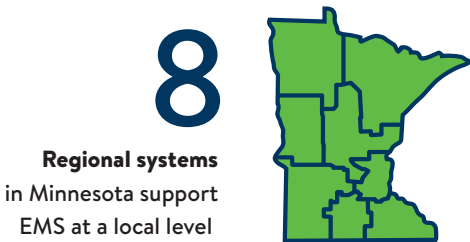
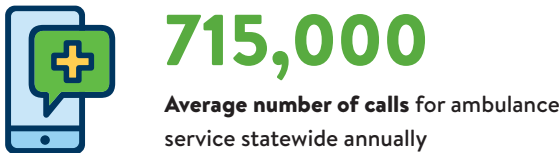




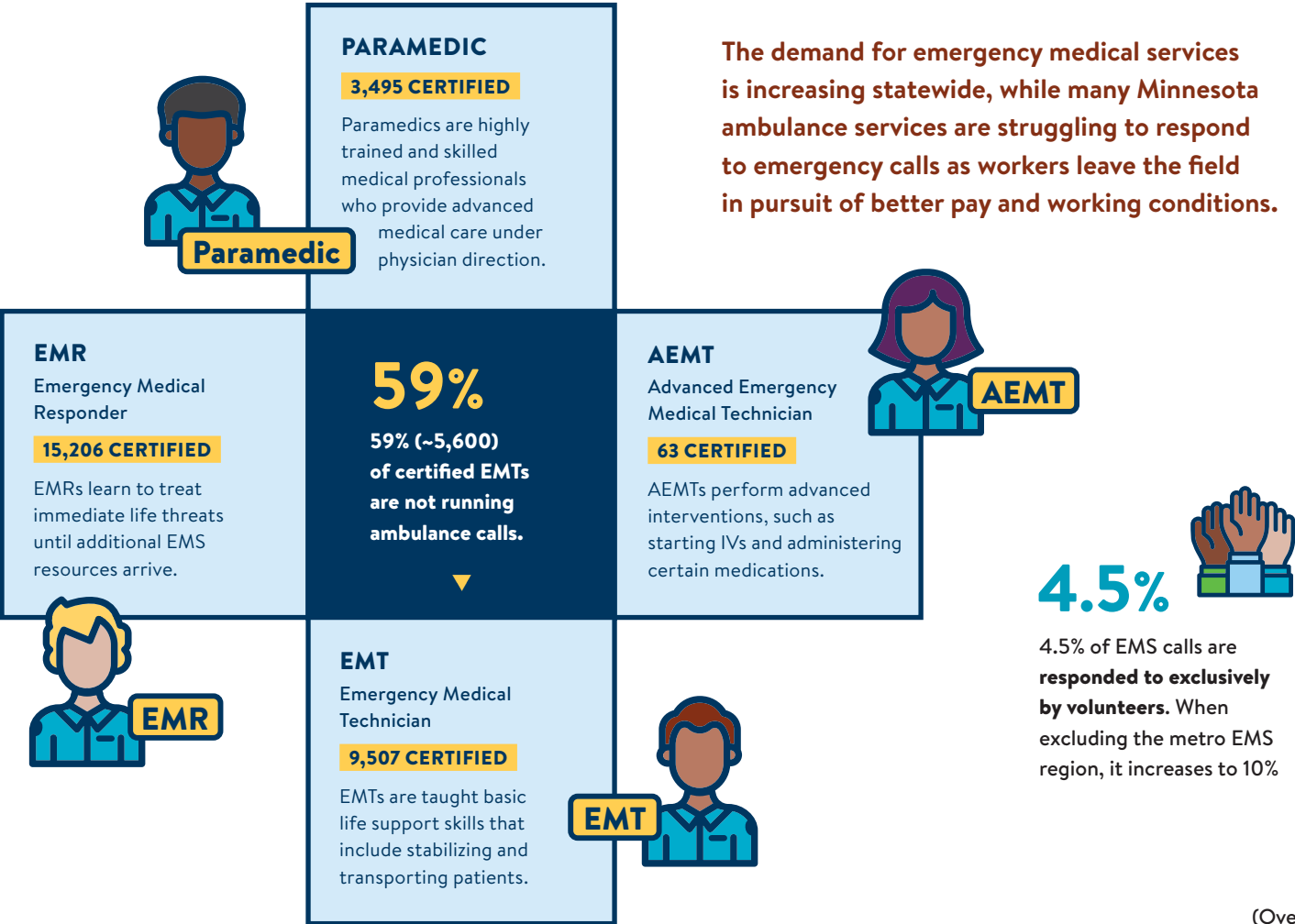
Protecting the health and safety of all
Minnesotans through regulation and support
of the emergency medical services (EMS) system.

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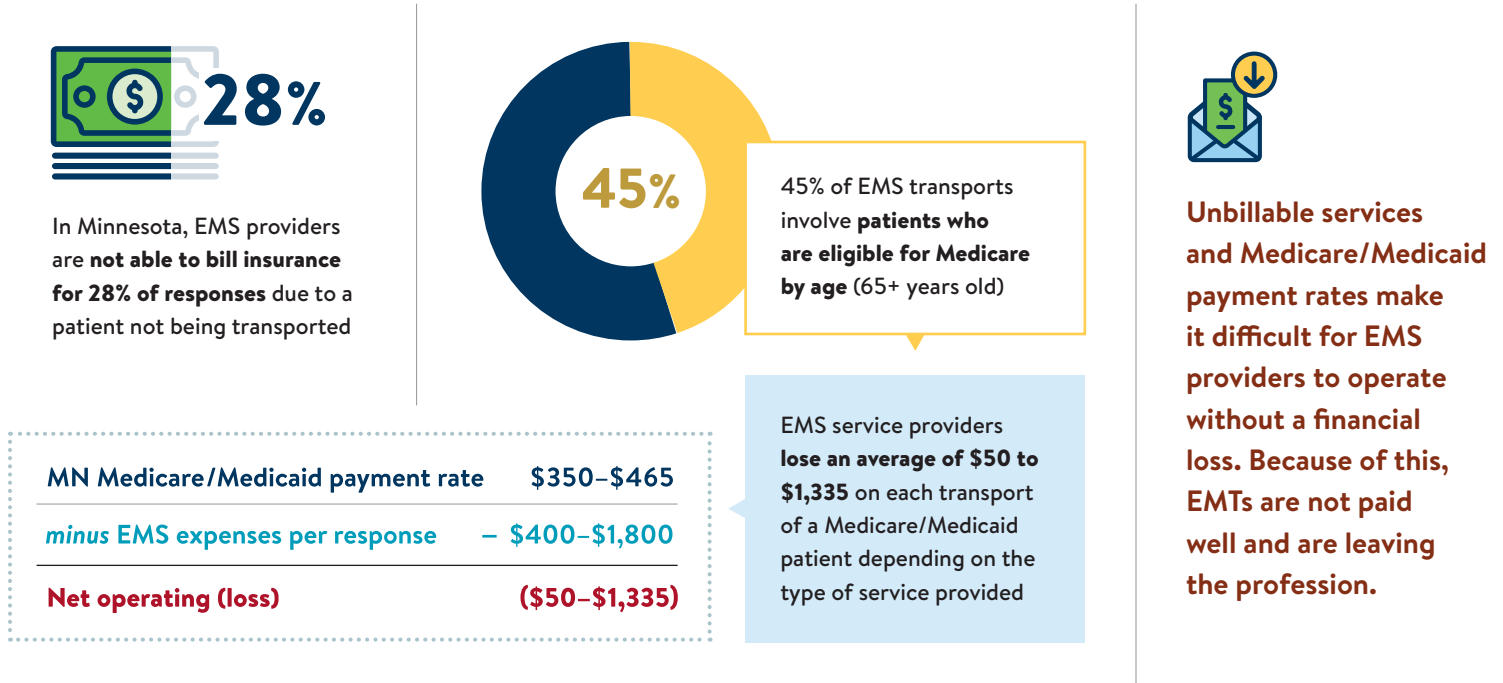
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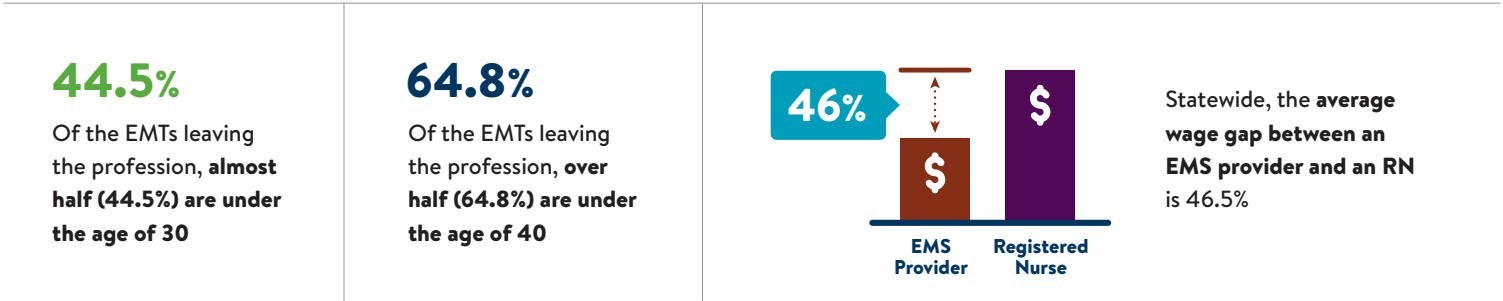
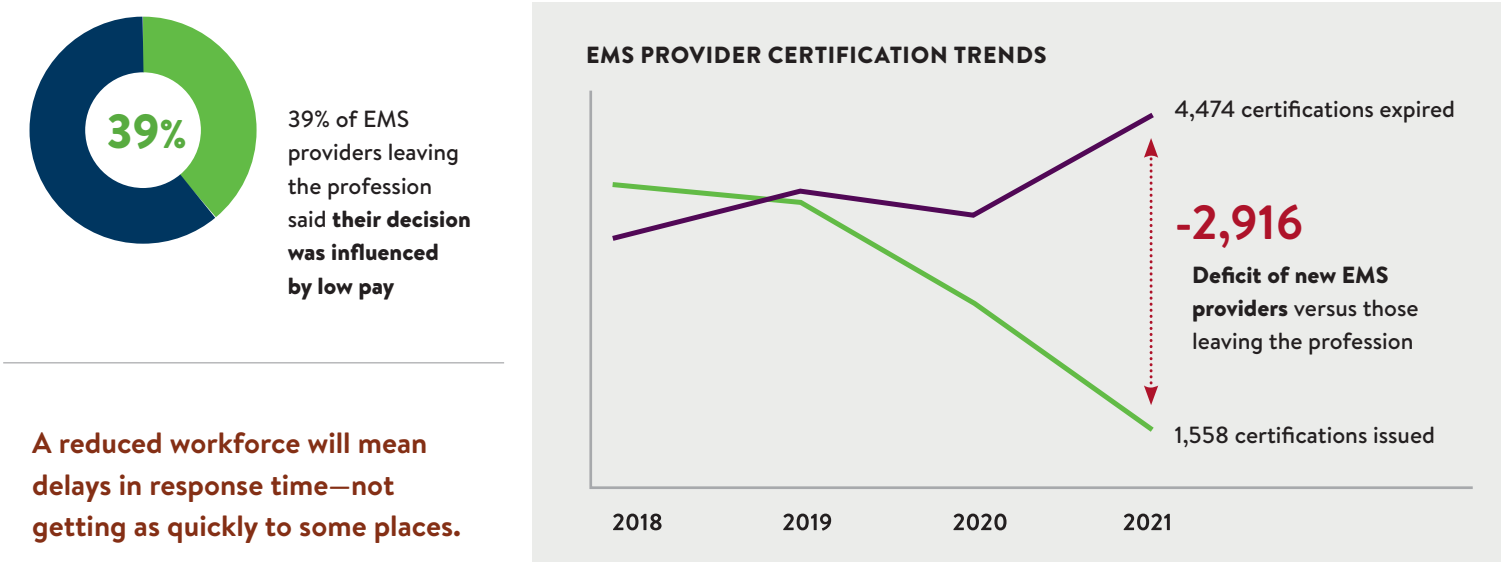
NUMBER OF CERTIFIED EMS PROVIDERS BY LEVEL IN MINNESOTA:



THE EMS FINANCIAL PICTURE IS UNSUSTAINABLE:



LACK OF RETENTION OF EMS PERSONNEL IS AN ALARMING TREND:



EMS RB IS COMMITTED TO FINDING SOLUTIONS:

Minnesotans depend on emergency medical services everyday.

We all take for granted that EMS will be there for us when we need them. EMSRB continues to be confident that by working together with government agencies, officials, and healthcare and community leaders, we can begin to reverse these concerning trends.

To ensure a sustainable EMS delivery model in Minnesota, multi-faceted actions are needed:

- Support by financial resources from varying levels of government is crucial.
- A strong focus on taking action to reverse the negative retention trends of the EMS workforce.
- Swift and decisive action from policy makers to address gaps in reimbursement rates.
- Continued development and support of educational institutions that offer EMS programs across the state.

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