Acadian Ambulance
‘a model for the nation’

In 1971, funeral homes, the traditional providers of ambulance service throughout the nation, were beset with rising costs which they couldn’t afford to pay. It became a financial necessity for these companies to join forces to create a more cost-effective service. As a result, Acadian Ambulance was formed, a service which contributed little or nothing to their bottom line. When the federal government began requiring hospitals to offer emergency medical services, the funeral home operators quickly moved to acquire this new service. By 1976, Acadian Ambulance was the first independent ambulance service to offer full medical care.”

Acadian Ambulance has been described as a “rolling emergency room” with an advanced medical staff who are fully equipped to handle any emergency. The ground units answer approximately 50,000 calls per year and have access to over 200 medical professionals, including doctors, nurses, and paramedics. The company operates in 18 states, covering a large portion of the United States. Acadian Ambulance has earned a reputation for excellence in emergency medical services and is considered a model for other companies to follow.