



Permission is hereby granted to Tennessee Emergency Medical Services for Children Foundation (TN EMSC) to utilize the information contained in the EMS run report for my care that occurred on the 27th day of February (month), 2014 (year), in Cookeville, Tennessee.

I understand that the EMS run report contains personal medical information that may, under state and federal laws, be considered confidential, and I hereby expressly waive my right to maintain the confidentiality of this medical information, so that the information in the EMS run report may be used by Tennessee Emergency Medical Services for Children Foundation in connection with the EMS Star of Life Award Ceremony. This release and waiver includes the potential publication of the information on television, radio and print media.

I also expressly waive any and all claims that I might have against the EMS service that prepared the EMS run report and/or against Tennessee Emergency Medical Services for Children Foundation, in connection with the use of this information for the EMS Star of Life Award Ceremony.

Robert Tatomish
Patient

Judy Tatomish
Witness

2-6-15
Date

2/6/15
Date

Will you be able to attend the EMS Star of Life Awards Dinner & Ceremony
(Selection will not be based on attendance)

- Yes
 No



EMS Star of Life NOMINATION FORM

****ALL FIELDS REQUIRED-use additional paper if necessary**

EMS Region #: 4
Patient's Name: Robert Tatanish
Patient's Diagnosis: STEMI & cardiac arrest
Submitted by Name: Darren Ford Title: Assistant Director
EMS Agency: Putnam County EMS
Address: 700 County Services Dr.
City, State & Zip: Cookeville, TN 38501
Phone: (931) 528-1555 Fax: (931) 372-6295 Email: dford@putnamcountyttn.gov

Please list all other AGENCIES associated with this team and their contact information:

(For example if your had air medical assist, list the agency name, person to contact, and their complete contact information)

Agency: Putnam County 911
Name of Contact: Mike Thompson
Address: 700 County Services Dr.
City, State & Zip: Cookeville, TN 38501
Phone: (931) 528-1555 Fax: () Email: mthompson@putnamcountyttn.gov

Agency: Putnam County Fire Department
Name of Contact: Daryl Blair
Address: 700 County Services Dr.
City, State & Zip: Cookeville, TN 38501
Phone: (931) 528-1555 Fax: () Email: dblair@putnamco.org



Agency: Putnam County Rescue Squad
Name of Contact: Stanley Vanhooser
Address: 200 County Services Dr
City, State & Zip: Cookeville, TN 38501
Phone: (931) 528-1555 Fax: () Email: svanhooser@putnamco.org

Agency: _____
Name of Contact: _____
Address: _____
City, State & Zip: _____
Phone: () Fax: () Email: _____

Please provide an attached Excel sheet of each member of each team present on the call, their credentials, and their address.

Patient Name: Robert Tatanish Tatanish
Home Mailing Address: 5450 Bunker Hill Rd
City, State, Zip: Cookeville, TN 38506
Phone: (931) 284-7791 Cell: ()
Email: _____

****Please ensure you fill out the Patient Consent Form that is attached.**

Date of Incident: 02/27/2014
Place of Incident: residence

Written Narrative for Star of Life nominee Robert Tatanish

Fighting fire is a dangerous profession. Robert Tatanish can tell you that firsthand. When a brush fire got out of hand on his land on February 27, 2014, Putnam County Fire Department personnel responded to find Robert already out fighting the fire by himself. Shortly afterwards, the situation got really bad. Robert suddenly collapsed on scene, witnessed by the firemen. The chain of events that followed this are the reason that Robert is alive today.

The firefighters immediately recognized what was happening, called 911, and began CPR. First Responders from Putnam County Rescue Squad and both First Responders and an ambulance from Putnam County EMS responded. All responders worked together, continuing CPR and shocking Mr. Tatanish multiple times. His pulse returned, and they transported him to the hospital, continuing care along the way, and notifying the hospital that he was having a STEMI after performing a 12 lead ECG. The cardiology team was waiting on Robert, and successfully treated him. He was discharged from the hospital in stable condition a few days later.

Why I think the EMS Star of Life Award should be given to the nominees:

This is a great example of early recognition of the emergency, early notification of 911, and early CPR. The firefighters were there to fight a fire, but responded quickly to do CPR. It should also be noted that neither of the firefighters who performed CPR were medically trained. Multiple agencies worked together to help Mr. Tatanish, which resulted in the best possible outcome. Following ROSC, a 12 lead was performed, which indicated a STEMI. They notified the E.D. of this, which prepared the cath lab team for Robert. All aspects of the system flowed together.

Robert Tatanish

Region	Courtesy Title	First Name	Last Name	Credentials	Organization	Address	Address 2	City, State Zip
Awardees								
4	Mr.	Kevin	Jolly	CCP	Putnam County EMS	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Paul	White	Paramedic	Putnam County EMS	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Danny	Heady	Paramedic, Supervisor	Putnam County EMS	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Roger	Brown	CCP, FTO	Putnam County EMS	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mrs.	Penny	Foister	Paramedic, Assistant Director	Putnam County 911	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mrs.	Susan	Allen	EMD	Putnam County 911	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Charles	Doss	Firefighter	Putnam County Fire Dept.	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Landon	Evans	Firefighter	Putnam County Fire Dept.	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Chief	Daryl	Blair	EMT	Putnam County Fire Dept.	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Jason	Bohannon	EMR	Putnam County Rescue Squad	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Jonathan	Medley	Paramedic	Putnam County Rescue Squad	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Will	White	RN, EMR	Putnam County Rescue Squad	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Gary	King	EMR	Putnam County Rescue Squad	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
Additional Invitees								
4	Mr.	Tommy	Copeland	CCP, Director	Putnam County EMS	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Darren	Ford	CCP, Assistant Director	Putnam County EMS	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Mike	Thompson	Paramedic, Assistant Director	Putnam County 911	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Mr.	Brandon	Smith	Paramedic, Assistant Director	Putnam County 911	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Dr.	Sullivan	Smith	MD, Medical Director	Putnam County EMS	1 Medical Center BLVD		Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Dr.	Alex	Case	MD, Assistant Medical Director	Putnam County EMS	228 W. 4th Street	#200	Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Dr.	Brian	Dockery	MD, Assistant Medical Director	Putnam County EMS	228 W. 4th Street	#200	Cookeville, TN 38501
4	Assistant Chief	Marvin	Montgomery	Paramedic	Putnam County Fire Dept.	700 County Services Drive		Cookeville, TN 38501