



Montgomery County Fire & Rescue Service

Division of Operations

Emergency Medical and Integrated Healthcare Services

Updates to EMS Transport

1. The MDC software was recently upgraded and there is a new process to select the transport destination during EMS incidents. Personnel are to select the destination from the dropdown list:

A screenshot of the 'Unit Status Change' software interface. The form contains several input fields: 'Status Code' (with 'TRN' entered), 'Location', 'City', 'Loc Name', 'Loc Desc', and 'Odometer #'. On the right side, there are 'Status' (set to 'Transport To Hospital'), 'GPS Loc', and 'Zip Code' fields. A 'Destination' dropdown menu is highlighted with a red box and is open, showing a list of unit identifiers: 'H01 - GEC, GERMAN...', 'H02 - HCHG, HOLY ...', 'H03 - HCHSS, HOLY C...', 'H04 - MMMC, MEDST...', 'H05 - SGAH, SHADY ...', 'H06 - SUB, SUBURBAN...', 'H07 - WRNMMC, WALT...', and 'H08 - WOMC, WHITE ...'. Below the dropdown is an 'OK' button. Other buttons include 'Verify', 'Drive Directions', and 'Cancel'.

This process is not only easier; it will also streamline the data that populates our hospital transport status dashboard (HTSD) and make this information more reliable to you in the field.

2. The HTSD has a new website and there is no login required:
<http://htsd.mocofire.com/>

An icon for this website is being added to the MDC desktops.

These enhancements will improve the quality of and access to our EMS transport information.