



## HALO-FLIGHT EXPANDS TEXAS AIR MED FLEET WITH ADDITIONAL BELL 407GXI HELICOPTER ORDER

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**HALO-Flight is set to further expand its South Texas air medical capabilities following the order of an additional Bell 407GX<sub>i</sub> announced by Bell Textron at AMTC 2026. The new aircraft will bring the operator's fleet to seven IFR-equipped Bell 407GX<sub>i</sub> helicopters, enhancing reliability, coverage, and the rapid response capabilities required for critical patient transport missions.**

Lane Evans, managing director, North America, Bell commented: "HALO-Flight's work across South Texas calls for reliable, high-performing aircraft. We are proud to support their mission with our aircraft built around reliability, safety and performance. The Bell 407GX<sub>i</sub> provides the power and safety that air medical crews count on every day."

Travis Patterson, CEO, HALO-Flight stated: "Bell has been a trusted friend, mentor and business partner to HALO-Flight for decades. As we enter our 40th year of service and continue growing to meet the needs of South Texas, we're grateful to continue that relationship with a fellow Texas organization that has supported our mission and helped keep HALO-Flight flying for generations."

As a nonprofit air medical operator, HALO-Flight provides around-the-clock emergency transport services to communities throughout South Texas, ensuring access to critical care regardless of a patient's ability to pay. Covering 23 counties and nearly 24,000 square miles, the organisation plays a vital role in connecting patients with urgent medical treatment through rapid-response scene calls and interfacility transfers.

Supporting these missions is the Bell 407GX<sub>i</sub>, a helicopter widely recognised for its performance, reliability and advanced cockpit technology. Featuring Garmin's G1000H NX<sub>i</sub> integrated avionics suite, the aircraft delivers enhanced situational awareness, IFR capability and improved operational efficiency, allowing crews to safely conduct time-critical medical missions in demanding environments.

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