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New premature baby ambulance could be in service in Pécs

The Foundation for Children with Heart Diseases has purchased a new premature infant ambulance worth nearly HUF 44 million, which will provide 24-hour continuous on-call premature infant rescue services in the South Transdanubian region, i.e. in the counties of Baranya, Somogy and Tolna. The former ambulance has already covered more than 250,000 kilometres in recent years, so it is time for it to be "retired". The foundation rescues around 700 premature and newborn babies a year in the region.

Imre Boncz, Vice President for Strategy at the Clinical Center of the UP, said at the presentation of the new ambulance on Wednesday: "A doctor, nurse, ambulance driver and premature baby ambulance are on 24-hour, non-stop standby at the station set up at the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology of the Clinical Center of the UP. These professionals are doing a very important and useful job as there is perhaps no more important and beautiful work in health care than saving the lives of newborn babies."