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 EMS Medical Director

 Chief, Emergency Medical Services

I. INTENT:


To serve as a guideline for assisting Emergency Medical Technician - I (EMT-I) and Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic (EMT-P) in determining patient destinations; this is not a **destination** policy.

II. AUTHORITY:

- A. Health and Safety Code, Division 2.5, Ch. 4, Art. 1, §1797.220; Ch. 5, §1798(a,b) and §1798.2
- B. California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 9, Ch. 2, Art. 2, §100063; Ch. 4, Art. 2, §100144, §100145 and §100147.

III. GUIDELINE:

SERVICE	MSJ	MHS	MHF	MGH	SGH	SMH	KHN	KHR	KHS	UCD	SRMC
Emergency Department	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Base Hospital	•	•			•					•	
Labor and Delivery	•	•	•	•		•		•	•	•	•
Orthopedics	•	•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•
Trauma Base Hospital *	•								•	•	•
Interventional Cardiac Catheterization Services **	•			•		•		•		•	•
Burn Unit										•	
Certified Stroke Center	•			•			•	•	•	•	

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* Sacramento County Advanced Life Support (ALS) Service Providers may contact Sutter Roseville Medical Center and Kaiser Hospital South Sacramento for direct medical control for "trauma patients" being transported to the respective hospitals. Sutter Roseville Medical Center and Kaiser Hospital South Sacramento may not be utilized by Sacramento County ALS Service Providers as a base hospital for medical (non-trauma) patients. ALS personnel can contact UCDCMC, MSJ, KHS on all Trauma Triage patients refusing treatment and/or transportation.

** Patients requiring Interventional Cardiac Catheterization Services, as indicated by a 12-Lead ECG consistent with an acute myocardial infarction (computer interpretation reading ***** ACUTE MI ***** or *** ACUTE MI SUSPECTED ***), who request a Kaiser facility should be directed to a Kaiser or Mercy Catheterization facility.

Note: Contact a base hospital for questionable cases as services listed may change between revisions of this program document.