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June 5, 2024

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Dear Dan Lynch,

This letter is in response to Central California County Emergency Medical Service (EMS) Agency's 2023 EMS, Triage to Alternate Destination (TAD), Trauma, St-Elevation Myocardial Infarction (STEMI), Stroke, and Quality Improvement (QI) plan, submissions to EMSA on January 25, 2024.

EMSA has reviewed the EMS plan based on compliance with statutes, regulations, and case law. It has been determined that the plan meets all EMS system components identified in Health and Safety Code (HSC) § 1797.103 and is <u>approved</u> for implementation pursuant to HSC § 1797.105(b). Based on the transportation documentation provided, please find the enclosed EMS area/subarea status, compiled by EMSA.

EMSA has also reviewed the TAD, Trauma, STEMI, Stroke, and QI plans based on compliance with Chapters 5, 7, 7.1, 7.2, and 12 of the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 9, and has been <u>approved</u> for implementation.

Per HSC § 1797.254, local EMS agencies must annually submit EMS plans to EMSA. Central California County EMS Agency will only be considered current if an EMS plan is submitted each year.

Your 2024 EMS plan will be due on or before June 5, 2025. Concurrently with the EMS plan, please submit an annual TAD, Trauma, STEMI, Stroke, and QI plan.

If you have any questions regarding the EMS plan review, please contact Roxanna Delao, EMS Plans Coordinator, at (916) 903-3260 or roxanna.delao@emsa.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

Tom McGinnis, MHA, EMT-P Chief, EMS Systems Division

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Central California EMS Agency 2023 EMS Areas or Subareas	Non-Exclusive	Exclusive	Method to Achieve Exclusivity	Emergency Ambulance	ALS	LALS	All Emergency Ambulance Services	9-1-1 Emergency	7-digit Emergency	ALS Ambulance	All CCT Ambulance Services	ALS Inter Facility Transportation	Standby Service with Transport Authorization
Area/Subarea Name		EXC	CLUSIVITY	T	YPE					ı	.EVEL		
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Zone I	Χ												
Zone J		Χ	Non- Competitive	Х				Χ	Х				Х
Zone K	Χ												
Kings County													
Kings County EOA		Χ	Competitive	Χ				Χ	Х	Χ		Х	Х
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Zone 3	Χ												
Zone 4	Χ		Exempt										
Madera County	,												
Chowchilla Zone	Χ			Χ									
Madera Zone	Χ			Χ									
Madera Mountain Zone		Χ	Non- Competitive	Χ				Χ	Х				Х
Tulare County													
Zone 1		Χ	Non- Competitive	Χ				Χ	Χ				Х
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#### Central California Emergency Medical Services Agency

A Division of Fresno County Department of Public Health

January 25, 2024

Tom McGinnis, Chief State of California Emergency Medical Services Authority EMS Division 11120 International Drive, Suite 200 Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

Chief McGinnis,

Please find included with this letter the 2023 Central California EMS Plan update.

The EMS Plan submission from the Central California EMS Agency includes the following plan updates:

- Continuous Quality Improvement Plan update
- STEMI Plan update
- Stroke Plan update
- Trauma Plan update, and
- Triage to Alternate Destination

We appreciate the time that is involved to review these documents. If you have any questions, please contact me by email at <a href="mailto:dlynch@fresnocountyca.gov">dlynch@fresnocountyca.gov</a> or by telephone at (559) 600-3387.

Sincerely

Daniel J. Lynch EMS Director

# Central California Emergency Medical Services Agency

# 2023 REGIONAL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PLAN UPDATE









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### Central California EMS Agency 2023 EMS Plan UPDATE

### **System Summary**

This Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Plan update outlines the progress that has occurred over the past year. It is difficult to discuss the changes in the last year without acknowledging the incredible impact of the unprecedented rain and snowfall in the first half of the year and the continued impact of hospital overcrowding and its impact on the healthcare system, which includes the EMS system. While COVID-19 has greatly reduced its stronghold on the County, our community continues to be challenged by respiratory illness, RSV, flu and some impact from COVID-19. Exacerbated by the closure of Madera Community Hospital in January 2023, these healthcare issues continue to push the hospital systems to their near-breaking points. The admission rates of hospitals have increased significantly, and hospital emergency departments are routinely filled with admitted patients waiting for an available hospital bed. The EMS system if frequently impacted by increased ambulance patient off-load times (APOT).

The EMS System continues to address significant disruptions and distractions caused by unnecessary legislation and/or legal challenges that potentially threaten to change the effective operations of the EMS system. While isolated localized disagreements occur in other parts of the state, the "fix" to that disagreement often becomes a legislative change, unnecessarily impacting all EMS systems. Fire services throughout the state are on the offensive intending to control EMS. They are using the court system and the legislative processes to push agendas beneficial to their cities or jurisdictions and catastrophic to organized countywide EMS systems. Regardless of whether the EMS system works well, counties and EMS agencies must spend time, energy, and money trying to protect themselves from these unnecessary actions. Staff time and costs to address these conflicts are overwhelming to a system with limited staff and very little access to funding for the EMS system.

The CCEMSA region continues to see increases in ambulance rates due to the costs to recruit/retain personnel and other costs impacted by historic inflation. The CCEMSA has struggled to maintain programs and services due to increased costs and limited funding. The largest of the region's four counties, Fresno County, has been burdened with additional expenses that the three other member counties cannot fund and has been subsidizing these counties rather than decreasing the level of services. Fortunately, with the assistance of EMSA, the six EMS regions in the state successfully increased the State General Fund assistance for EMS regions beginning in FY 22/23. This additional funding has been a game-changer and has benefited the regional EMS agencies in covering unrecoverable costs and moving forward with sustaining services and programs.

EMS system providers have gradually recovered from the impacts of COVID-19 as it is related to staffing and financial sustainability. The volume of non-emergent patients transported by ambulance and seen in local emergency departments exceeds historical levels. Over 60% of the residents in the CCEMSA Region are Medi-Cal dependent, and 90% of the ambulance patients are either on Medi-Cal or Medi-Care. Since both Medi-Cal and Medicare are fixed rates and do not cover the marginal cost of ambulance transport, this leaves a substantial financial burden on the patient, ambulance provider, and private insurance carriers. The EMS Agency has supported legislation to add additional funding to the ambulance system through increases in Medi-Cal, the Quality Assurance Fee, the Ground Emergency Medical Transport program, and the Intergovernmental Transfer process. California Assembly bill 716 appears to be helpful to ambulance

providers. However, the increasing burden on ambulance providers and the lack of stable reimbursement of ambulance services will continue to place the EMS system in a challenging position.

Overall, the EMS system remains resilient. While the COVID-19 pandemic has taken its toll, EMS providers and, albeit extremely busy, hospitals continue to manage sufficiently to provide quality services. The primary strength of the CCEMSA system is the partnerships and relationships between first responders, ambulance providers, hospitals, and the EMS agency.

The EMS system continues to use the Fresno County Crisis Stabilization Center as an approved alternate destination. On September 7, 2023, The EMS Authority approved the Triage to Alternate Destination Program. The program has been very successful. While this program was included in the EMSA's original pilot program since 2018, Fresno County has been using this alternate destination for over 20 years. This alternate destination is very important to the EMS system because nearly 50% of prehospital patients on a 5150 hold (over 400 patients) each month are transported to the alternate destination rather than to an emergency department. A specific report on the Triage to Alternate Destination is included with the EMS plan document.

The EMS Agency has made significant progress this past year, despite the challenges of 2023. The EMS plan sets out the priorities of the EMS system and lists the objectives to be achieved and maintained. The following is a summary of the progress made since our last EMS Plan update.

### System Organization and Management

- Spent time and effort protecting the EMS region and EMS agency system from disruptive legislation and regulations that would decrease local control, remove medical control, and add significant costs to system operations.
- o Added an assistant EMS Medical Director that will assist the EMS agency in it continuity of operations as retirements are considered.
- o Updated EMS Policies and Procedures for the 4-county EMS region
- o Construction and implementations of a new EMS Training Facility that serves Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare counties and several fire departments in Fresno County.
- o Reorganized the EMS Agency staffing and responsibilities in response to staffing changes.
- With assistance from the EMS Authority, we secured additional State General Fund assistance to help support the regional EMS system.
- o Updated multiple prehospital agreements.

#### Staffing and Training

- Continued the expansion of the capacity of two paramedic training courses each year in an
  effort to increase the number of paramedic graduates, which will assist in the recruitment and
  employment of paramedics throughout the region.
- Upgraded training equipment and resources through the use of grant funds to increase skills retention and primary training.
- The EMS Agency paramedic program coordinated with the other paramedic training program in the EMS region to share and coordinate the use and training of paramedic preceptors to assure consistency in oversight.

#### Communications

- o Installed and implemented a backup radio system for dispatch redundancy.
- o Continued the build-out and installation of communications infrastructure for med channel 102, which will be used for a region-wide coordination channel.
- EMS Policy 408 Helicopter Dispatch, has been updated to include language in section 100306 of the California Code of Regulations.

### • Response and Transportation

- Continued to address the increase of non-emergent requests for ambulance and impact on overwhelmed hospital emergency departments. The EMS agency implemented its "Assess and Refer" program and its suspension of ambulance responses to low priority requests.
- o Continued to monitor policies to address immediate transport of patients as a priority.
- Monitor EMS response to 5150 and mental health patients. Continue work with behavioral health departments to better manage the care and destination of clients. This includes the participation in the triage to alternate destination program.
- o Prepare and distribute monthly performance reports on ambulance providers.
- o Completed the annual ambulance rate study for the region.
- Continued to work with hospitals and ambulance providers on ambulance patient off-load times.

#### • Facilities and Critical Care Centers

- o Participation and leadership of the Central Region Trauma Coordinating Committee for development and management of a trauma system with-in the surrounding 12 counties.
- Assist in the ACS re-verification of Community Regional Medical Center as a Level I
  Trauma Center and Kaweah Delta Medical Center as a Level III Trauma Center, and Valley
  Children's Hospital as a Level II Pediatric Trauma Center. All trauma centers have ACS
  verification.
- The Fresno County Crisis Stabilization Center continues to serve as an approved alternate destination for prehospital behavioral health patients.
- Staff has been meeting with hospitals and stroke coordinators to develop and finalize a stroke destination system. This includes development of policies/procedures and agreements. The challenge that has delayed this project is the overcrowded hospital issue and the limited appetite to work on this particular issue.
- o STEMI center policies have been implemented and Agreements are currently being approved by the hospitals and Board of Supervisors.
- The EMS Agency monitors the hospital census and emergency department status due to the overcrowding issues.

#### Data Collection and Evaluation

- Continued to evaluate and monitor on-scene time performance regarding STAT trauma and STAT Medical patients.
- o Continued the collection, verification and submittal of prehospital and trauma data to CEMSIS.
- o Transitioned patient care information data set to the latest version of NEMSIS and continue to work with providers to assure that data is correct.
- o Continued participation in the Central Valley Health Information Exchange and participated

- with Manifest Medex in the +EMS project. This included development of POLST in the EMS system.
- Established an online certification/accreditation process that allows for additional application data to meet the reporting requirements of state regulations.
- The EMS Agency collected and reported Ambulance Patient Offload Times to the State and system participants.
- The EMS agency purchased and has been implementing FirstWatch software to better monitor system performance and improve reporting capabilities.

#### • Disaster Response

 Each County in the region employs a Medical/Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC). The past two years have been challenging, which required expanding staffing and resources for this program. The MHOAC staffing and response has been refined. The designated MHOACS in the region are:

Fresno County – Curtis Jack Madera County – Terrance Carter Kings County – Alexander Mena Tulare County – Annette Burgos

- o The MHOAC, in cooperation with the county office of emergency services, local public health department, the local office of environmental health, the local department of mental health, the local EMS agency, the local fire department, the regional disaster and medical health coordinator (RDMHC), and the regional office of the Office of Emergency Services, shall be responsible for ensuring the development of a medical and health disaster plan for the operational area following SEMS and NIMS. This plan shall include preparedness, response, recovery, and mitigation functions consistent with the State Emergency Plan and have procedures that include the 17 MHOAC functions. In the event of a local, state, or federal declaration of emergency, the MHOAC shall assist the agency operational area coordinator in the coordination of medical and health disaster resources within the operational area and be the point of contact in that operational area, for coordination with the RDMHC, the agency, the regional office of the agency, the State Department of Public Health, and the authority.
- o Manage and implement the Public Health Emergency Preparedness Program and the Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Grants
- o Participation and leadership of the Homeland Security Grant Committee
- Planning and implementation of disaster drills including tabletop and functional hospital exercise, hazmat and MCI training, Incident Command System training, and ambulance strike team leader training.
- o Deployed ambulance strike teams to San Francisco for the Asia-Pacific Conference.
- o Continued implementation and training of EMS polices related to multi-casualty/mass casualty incidents, including prehospital, hospital, dispatch and EMS Agency responses.
- Training and preparedness for deployment of ambulance strike teams incidents throughout the state
- The local EMS agency is involved in disaster planning and participates in disaster exercises in the operational area.

### • Public Information and Education

 Release of media information and participation in media events related emergency medical services. o Provided regular updates and impromptu interviews to news media regarding hospital overcrowding and the status of hospitals and EMS system.

#### **Confirmation of Compliance with New Laws and Regulations**

The Central California EMS Agency participates in the EMSAAC legislative committee and maintains a strong awareness and vigilance of any legislation associated with emergency medical services. While there has been an increasing number of legislative activities related to EMS in the last few years, the EMS Agency has worked very hard to ensure that the EMS Agency and its EMS providers are in full compliance with all statutes and regulations.

The approval of the Community Paramedic or Triage to Alternate Destination regulations on November 1, 2022, required Fresno County to apply for approval to continue its existing Triage to Alternate Destination program., which was approved by the EMS Authority on September 7, 2023. This program has been extremely important to the Fresno County EMS system because it allows almost 50% of the prehospital behavioral health patients to be transported to the County's Crisis Stabilization Center instead of a overcrowded hospital emergency department.

SB 438 was approved on October 1, 2019 and addressed emergency medical services dispatch. The Fresno County Department of Public Health's Emergency Services Division owns and operates a regional EMS and Fire Dispatch Center. This public safety dispatch center receives all medical 9-1-1 calls in Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties and is the designated EMS dispatch center for all ambulance providers in those counties. In addition, it is also the primary fire department dispatch center for the Cities of Fresno, Clovis, Sanger, Hanford and North Central Fire Protection District and the community of Laton. The Fresno County EMS Communications Center receives and dispatch approx. 280,000 calls per year. The County of Tulare also has a consolidated EMS dispatch center that is recognized by the County, EMS agency, and fire agencies as the designated EMS dispatch center in Tulare County.

Both dispatch centers meet the requirements of SB 438, which includes Government Code Section 53110, Health and Safety Code Sections, 1797.223 and 1798.8. We are very proud of the dispatch center and the consolidation of EMS and Fire services, which provides a very efficient and cost-effective service to the community. We invite the EMS authority to visit this unique and important resource that serves the central valley.

<u>Title 22 Chapter 4, section 100170 – Medical Control</u> requires that EMS policies be established to provide for direct voice communications between a paramedic and base hospital physician, authorized nurse, or MICN, as needed. CCEMSA Policy 530.02 – general procedures outline the call-in criteria and call-in formats. EMS Policy 400 – EMS Communications Center Overview identifies the specific radio channels and frequencies designated for all base hospital and receiving hospitals.

EMS Policy 311 – Base Hospital Criteria, currently outlines the requirements to operate as a base hospital, which includes the maintenance of written and recorded messages. These records are available for medical control upon request. Recordings and documents are regularly used in continuing educations classes and training courses.

<u>Title 22 Chapter 8, section 100306 – [EMS Helicopter] Space and Equipment</u> – While the EMS helicopters based in the region already comply with section 100306, it was noted that this requirement is not documented in policy. We have updated CCEMSA Policy 408 – Helicopter Dispatch, to specifically address CCR 100360.

## **EMS System Standards Update Chart**

See the chart in the following pages

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
1.01	Each Local EMS Agency shall have a formal organizational structure which includes both staff and non-agency resources and which includes appropriate technical and clinical expertise.	₹	The EMS Agency has reorganized staff to address the priorities of the EMS Agency and to address cross-training of personnel through-out the agency. The organizational chart included in this update reflects the changes that have been made in job assignments.	To maintain funding and staffing levels that allows the EMS Agency to meet the requirements of the EMS Act and Code of Regulations.
1.02	Each local EMS agency shall plan, implement, and evaluate the EMS system. The agency shall use its quality assurance/quality improvement and evaluation processes to identify needed system changes	∀	The EMS Agency Continuous Quality Improvement committee has implemented the evaluation of the alternate destination program. This committee also reviews the EMS agency's Assess and Refer program.	The objective is to monitor the care and treatment of EMS responses and report outcomes to the EMS system.
1.04	Each local EMS agency shall appoint a medical director who is a licensed physician who has substantial experience in the practice of emergency medicine.  The local EMS agency medical director should have administrative experience in emergency medical services systems.	V	In 2023, the EMS agency added an assistant EMS Medical Director to the organization who is a fellow on emergency medicine and will assist in training and CQI.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
1.07	The local EMS agency shall plan for trauma care and shall determine the optimal system design for trauma care in its jurisdiction.  The local EMS Agency should designate appropriate facilities or execute agreements with trauma facilities in other jurisdictions	₹	Valley Children's Hospital, and Community Regional Medical Center were re-verified by ACS. All trauma centers in CCEMSA are ACS verified and that is the standard in the EMS region.	All trauma centers in the EMS region will achieve verification through ACS.
1.09	Each local EMS agency shall develop a detailed inventory of EMS resources (e.g., personnel, vehicles, and facilities) within its area and, at least annually, shall update this inventory.	₹	The EMS agency has set a goal to reengineer the inventory system to assure response capabilities	Continue to improve response to special populations.
1.10	Each Local EMS Agency shall identify population groups served by the EMS system which require specialized services.  Each EMS agency should develop services, as appropriate, for special population groups served by the EMS system which require specialized services.	<b>\</b>	While the EMS agency has met this requirement for many years, the one area of weakness was in disaster response and identifying these populations in the event of evacuation due to power shut-off or other disasters requiring evacuation. We are working with our PHEP program and our various county departments to develop a better plan to access data that would identify fragile populations.	Continue to improve response to special populations.

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
1.12	Each local EMS agency shall provide for review and monitoring of EMS system operations.	₽	In 2023, the EMS Agency purchased FirstWatch software to increase its capability of monitoring the system. The purchase also allows the EMS providers access to the system for monitoring and improvement.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.
1.13	Each Local EMS agency shall coordinate EMS system operations	₹	In 2023, the EMS Agency worked with CalFire to upgrade and enhance the connection of dispatch computers through a Cad-to-Cad interface. This allowed for immediate sharing of call information and coordination with first responders.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.
1.14	Each Local EMS Agency shall develop a policy and procedures manual which includes all EMS agency policies and procedures. The agency shall ensure that the manual is available to all EMS system providers (including public safety agencies, ambulance services, and hospitals) within the system.	V	The policy and procedures are reviewed, and policies are updated as needed on the EMS Agencies updated website. All policies and procedures are posted on the EMS agency website and changes to EMS policy are posted as draft and also sent out through social media when implemented.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
1.15	Each local EMS agency shall have a mechanism to review, monitor, and enforce compliance with system policies.	₹	In 2023, the EMS Agency purchased FirstWatch software to increase its capability of monitoring the system. The purchase also allows the EMS providers access to the system for monitoring and improvement.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.
1.16	Each local EMS agency shall have a funding mechanism which is sufficient to ensure its continued operation and shall maximize use of its Emergency Medical Services Fund	✓	The EMS Agency has been struggling with a balanced budget due to increasing personnel costs and impacts of inflation. The EMS Agency is reassessing fees and the costs to its member counties. The EMS Fund has decreased, and this has increased the need to adjust fees. With successful results, the EMS agency worked with the EMS Authority and the other EMS regions to increase regional general funds, which went into effect FY 22/23.	To maintain funding and staffing levels that allows the EMS Agency to meet the requirements of the EMS Act and Code of Regulations.
2.01	The EMS agency shall routinely assess personnel and training needs	₹	The EMS Agency continued to increase the capacity of its primary paramedic training courses. This required adding an FTE to the primary paramedic program. The EMS agency replaced and updated training equipment to assure that students and providers have the most appropriate equipment and resources. In May, the EMS training relocated to a larger space to accommodate larger class sizes.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum	Progress	Objective
3.01	The local EMS agency shall plan for EMS communications. The plan shall specify the medical communications capabilities of emergency medical transport vehicles, non-transporting. advanced life support responders, and acute care facilities and shall coordinate the use of frequencies with other users.  The local EMS agency's communications plan should consider the availability and use of satellites and cellular telephones.	Req.  ✓	This year, backup mechanisms were finalized to access EMS channels. In addition, Med 102 infrastructure installations were started and scheduled to be final by 2024.  EMS Policy 400 is the region's EMS communications plan and was updated to account for additional ambulance identifiers and channels.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.
2.04 and 3.09	Public safety answering point (PSAP) operators with medical responsibility shall have emergency medical orientation and all medical dispatch personnel (both public and private) shall receive emergency medical dispatch training in accordance with the EMS Authority's Emergency Medical Dispatch Guidelines	V	The Fresno CalFire dispatch center receives medical 9-1-1 calls directly from PSAPS and then transfers through a cad-to-cad interface to the EMS agency's designated EMS dispatch center for prearrival instructions and priority dispatch determination.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
3.05	All hospitals within the local EMS system shall have the ability to communicate by two- way radio		Hospitals throughout the EMS region use StatusNet software, which is a hospital-to-hospital communications system. This software has been installed in every receiving hospital and allows the hospitals to communicate with each other.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.
3.09 / 4.03 / 6.04	The local EMS agency shall establish guidelines for proper dispatch triage which identifies appropriate medical response	V	The two designated EMS dispatch centers in the CCEMSA use Medical Priority Dispatch System, which is in compliance with AB 438 and EMS agency policy and procedures. The priorities for each type of response are determined/approved by the EMS Medical Director. These priorities are routinely evaluated by EMS agency staff.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
4.01	Each local EMS Agency shall determine the boundaries of emergency medical transportation service areas.  The local EMS agency should secure a county ordinance or similar mechanism for establishing emergency medical transport service areas	V	This year, the EMS agency worked with a Madera County ambulance provider to modify response areas for compliance updates and to assure that the closest ambulance was sent.	Continue to find opportunities to increase the level of service throughout the EMS region
4.03 and 6.04	The local EMS agency shall determine criteria for classifying medical requests and shall determine the appropriate level of medical response for each.	<b>\</b>	The EMS Medical Director and the EMS director perform a very specific and deep re-evaluation of the response data every 3 years to assure that the appropriate response priority is assigned to each call determinant. This evaluation is an in-depth study of 3 years data, consisting of over 300,000 responses. The result has safely reduced the number of vehicles responding with red lights and sirens.	Continue to find opportunities to increase the level of service throughout the EMS region

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
5.02	The local EMS agency shall establish prehospital triage protocols and shall assist hospitals with the establishment of transfer protocols and agreements.	V	The EMS agency has worked closely with the trauma centers and the local hospital council to re-establish and update transfer protocols and procedures for interfacility transfers. In addition, prehospital triage protocols have also been reviewed as we establish stroke center procedures. A new transfer agreement for all hospitals was approved in September 2023.	Continue to find opportunities to increase the level of service throughout the EMS region
5.05	The local EMS agency shall encourage hospitals to prepare for mass casualty management.  The local EMS agency should assist hospitals with preparation for mass casualty management, including procedures for coordinating hospital communications and patient flow.	Y	This year, the EMS Agency's Disaster Coordinator provided Hospital Incident Command System training to several hospitals in the region.	Continue to work with local area hospitals for integration into the EMS system.

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
5.13	Local EMS agencies developing specialty care plans for EMS-targeted clinical conditions shall determine the optimal system for the specific condition involved including:  a) The number and role of system participants b) The design of catchment area c) Identification of patients who should be triaged or transferred to a designated center d) The role of non-designated hospitals including those which are outside of the primary triage area, and e) A plan for monitoring the evaluation of the system.	<b>Y</b>	Fresno County utilizes the Crisis Stabilization Center as an approved alternat destination for prehospital behavioral health patients. This program was originally approved as a pilot project in 2018 and was approved by the EMS Authority in September 2023.	Continue to work with local area hospitals for integration into the EMS system.
5.14	In planning other specialty care systems, the local EMS agency shall ensure input from both prehospital and hospital providers and consumers.	₹.	The EMS agency has been working with system participants on the development of a prehospital stroke system. It is anticipated that a stroke system will be implemented in 2024 with great involvement of hospitals and in accordance with the newly approved state regulations.	Continue to work with local area hospitals for integration into the EMS system

Standard	EMSA Requirement	Meets Minimum Req.	Progress	Objective
6.04	The local EMS agency shall have a mechanism to review medical dispatching to ensure that the appropriate level of medical response is sent to each emergency and to monitor the appropriateness of prearrival/post-dispatch directions.	<b>&gt;</b>	Using other grant funds, the EMS agency purchased FirstWatch software system to assist in the management of date and provide easier access to system reporting and monitoring.  This system will eventually be integrated with patient care reports.	Continue to improve and enhance the EMS system wherever possible.

**TABLE 1: System Organization and Management** 

Agency Administration	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long-range Plan
1.01 LEMSA Structure		X		X	
1.02 LEMSA Mission		X		X	
1.03 Public Input		X		X	X
1.04 Medical Director		X	X		
Planning Activities					
1.05 System Plan		X		X	
1.06 Annual Plan Update		X		X	
1.07 Trauma Planning		X	X	X	X
1.08 ALS Planning		X			
1.09 Inventory of Resources		X		X	
1.10 Special Populations		X	X		X
1.11 System Participants		X	X	X	
Regulatory Activities	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long-range Plan
1.12 Review & Monitoring		X		X	
1.13 Coordination		X		X	
1.14 Policy & Procedures Manual		X		X	
1.15 Compliance w/ Policies		X		X	
System Finances					
1.16 Funding		X			

Mechanism

Medical Direction	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
1.17 Medical Direction		X		X	X
1.18 QA / QI		X	X	X	
1.19 Policies, Procedures, Protocols		X	X	Х	X
1.20 DNR Policy		X		X	X
<b>1.21</b> Determination of Death		X		X	
1.22 Reporting of Abuse		X		X	
1.23 Interfacility Transfer		X		X	
hanced Level: Advanced Life	Support			•	
1.24 ALS Systems	•	X	X	X	X
1.25 On-Line Medical Direction		X	X	X	
Enhanced Level: Trauma Care System	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long-range Plan
<b>1.26</b> Trauma System Plan		X		X	
hanced Level: Pediatric Eme	rgency Medical and	Critical Care S	System		
1.27 Pediatric System Plan		X			
hanced Level: Exclusive Ope	rating Areas				

Local EMS agency	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
2.01 Assessment of Needs		X		X	X
2.02 Approval of Training		X			X
2.03 Personnel		X		X	
Dispatchers					
2.04 Dispatch Training		X	X	X	X
First Responders (non-transpo	rting)				
2.05 First Responder Training		X	X	X	X
2.06 Response		X		X	X
2.07 Medical Control		X			
Transporting Personnel					
2.08 EMT-I Training		X	X	X	X
Hospital					
2.09 CPR Training		X			
2.10 Advanced Life Support		X	X		X
Enhanced Level: Advanced Life Support	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long-range Plan
2.11 Accreditation Process		X			X
<b>2.12</b> Early Defibrillation		X			
2.13 Base Hospital Personnel		X		X	

### Communications

Communications Equipment	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
3.01 Communication Plan		X	X	X	X
3.02 Radios		X	X	X	
3.03 Interfacility Transfer		X		X	
3.04 Dispatch Center		X			
3.05 Hospitals		X	X	X	X
3.06 MCI/Disasters		X		X	X
Public Access					
3.07 9-1-1 Planning/ Coordination		X	X	X	
3.08 9-1-1 Public Education		X		X	
Resource Management					
3.09 Dispatch Triage		X	X	X	X
3.10 Integrated Dispatch		X	X		

### Response / Transportation

Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
	X	X	X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X		X	X
	Х			
	currently meet	currently meet standard  X  X  X	currently meet standard minimum standard recommended guidelines  X  X  X  X  X	currently meet standard     minimum standard     recommended guidelines     Plan       X     X     X       X     X     X       X     X     X       X     X     X

Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
	X	X	X	X
	X		X	X
	X		X	X
	X		X	X
	X			
	X		X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X		X	X
	X	X	X	X
	X		X	X
	X			
Support				
	X	X		X
	X			
Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long-range Plan
	X		X	X
rating Permits				
	X		X	X
	Currently meet standard  Support  Does not currently meet standard	currently meet standard  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X  X	currently meet standard minimum standard recommended guidelines   X X   X X   X X   X X   X X   X X   X X   X X   X X   X X   Support X   X X   Does not currently meet standard Meets minimum standard   X Meets recommended guidelines   X X	currently meet standard standard guidelines    X

X

 $\mathbf{X}$ 

X

4.20 "Grandfathering"

4.21 Compliance

**4.22** Evaluation

 $\mathbf{X}$ 

X

X

### Facilities / Critical Care

Universal Level	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
5.01 Assessment of Capabilities		X	Action needed to complete	X	X
<b>5.02</b> Triage & Transfer Protocols		X		X	X
5.03 Transfer Guidelines		X			X
<b>5.04</b> Specialty Care Facilities		X			X
5.05 Mass Casualty Management		X	X	X	
5.06 Hospital Evacuation		X		X	
nhanced Level: Advanced	Life Support				
<b>5.07</b> Base Hospital Designation		X			
nhanced Level: Trauma Ca	are System				
<b>5.08</b> Trauma System Design		X			X
5.09 Public Input		X			
nhanced Level: Pediatric E	mergency Medical and	Critical Care S	System		
<b>5.10</b> Pediatric System Design		X		Х	X
5.11 Emergency Departments		X	X		X
5.12 Public Input		X		X	
nhanced Level: Other Spec	cialty Care Systems				
5.13 Specialty System Design		X			X
<b>5.14</b> Public Input		X			

### Data Collection / System Evaluation

Universal Level	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
6.01 QA/QI Program		X	X	X	X
6.02 Prehospital Records		X			X
<b>6.03</b> Prehospital Care Audits		X	Action needed to complete	X	X
6.04 Medical Dispatch		X		X	
6.05 Data Management System		X	Action needed to complete	X	X
<b>6.06</b> System Design Evaluation		X			X
<b>6.07</b> Provider Participation		X			
6.08 Reporting		X			X

**Enhanced Level: Advanced Life Support** 

6.09 ALS Audit X Action needed X	X
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**Enhanced Level: Trauma Care System** 

<b>6.10</b> Trauma System Evaluation	X		X	X
6.11 Trauma Center Data	X	Action needed to complete	X	X

Public Information and Education

Universal Level	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
7.01 Public Information Materials		X	Action needed to complete		X
7.02 Injury Control		X	Action needed to complete		X
7.03 Disaster Preparedness		X	X		X
7.04 First Aid & CPR Training		X	Action needed		X

### Disaster Medical Response

Universal Level	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
8.01 Disaster Medical Planning		X		X	
8.02 Response Plans		X	X	X	
8.03 HazMat Training		X			
8.04 Incident Command System		X	X		
<b>8.05</b> Distribution of Casualties		X	X	X	
8.06 Needs Assessment		X	X		
8.07 Disaster Communications		X		X	X
8.08 Inventory of Resources		X	X	X	X
8.09 DMAT Teams	n/a			X	
8.10 Mutual Aid Agreements		X		X	X
8.11 CCP Designation		X			X
<b>8.12</b> Establishment of CCPs		X			X
8.13 Disaster Medical Training		X	X	X	X
8.14 Hospital Plans		X	X	X	
8.15 Interhospital Communications		X		X	X
8.16 Prehospital Agency Plans		X	X	X	X

**Enhanced Level: Advanced Life Support** 

8.17 ALS Policies		X			
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Enhanced Level: Specialty Care Systems	Does not currently meet standard	Meets minimum standard	Meets recommended guidelines	Short-range Plan	Long- range Plan
8.18 Specialty Center Roles		X			

**Enhanced Level: Exclusive Operating Areas/Ambulance Regulations** 

8.19 Waiving Exclusivity	X			
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### TABLE 2: System Organization and Management

EMS System: Central California EMS Agency Reporting Year: 2023

**NOTE:** Number (1) below is to be completed for each county. The balance of Table 2 refers to each agency.

1. Percentage of population served by each level of care by county:

12.17%
<u>-0-</u>
<u>87.83%</u>
<u>2.1%</u>
<u>-0-</u>
<u>97.9%</u>
1.6%
1.6% -0-
<u>-0-</u>
<u>-0-</u>
<u>-0-</u>
<u>-0-</u> 98.4%

### Table 2 - System Organization & Management (cont.)

2. Type of agency

a.\*

- a Public Health Department
- b County Health Services Agency
- c Other (non-health) County Department
- d Joint Powers Agency
- e Private Non-profit Entity

\*Fresno County Department of Public Health under

contract to Kings, Madera and Tulare Counties

- 3. The person responsible for day-to-day activities of EMS agency reports to:
- <u>d.</u>

- a Public Health Officer
- b Health Services Agency Director/Administrator
- c Board of Directors
- d Other: Fresno Director of Public Health;

Kings - Public Health Director;

Madera - Director of Public Health,

Tulare – Health Agency Director

4. Indicate the non-required functions which are performed by the agency

Implementation of exclusive operating areas	Yes
Designation of trauma centers/trauma care system planning	Yes
Designation/approval of pediatric facilities	Yes
Designation of STEMI centers	Yes
Designation of Stroke centers	Yes
Designation of other critical care centers	Yes
Development of transfer agreements	Yes
Enforcement of local ambulance ordinance	Yes
Enforcement of ambulance service contracts	Yes
Operation of ambulance service	No
Continuing education	Yes
Personnel training	Yes
Operation of oversight of EMS dispatch center	Yes
Non-medical disaster planning	Yes
Administration of critical incident stress debriefing team (CISD)	No
Administration of disaster medical assistance team (DMAT)	No
Administration of EMS Fund [Senate Bill (SB) 12/612]	Yes
Administration of local EMS training/certification of EMS Dispatchers, MICNs and Base Hospital Physicians	Yes
Assist with the training of Emergency Resident Physicians and National Park Ranger (ParkMedic) Program	Yes

### **Table 2 - System Organization & Management (cont.)**

#### 5. EXPENSES

Salaries and benefits (all but contract personnel)	<u>\$2,248,454</u>
Contract Services (e.g. medical director)	<u>\$2,126,970</u>
Operations (e.g. copying, postage, facilities)	<u>\$1,343,916</u>
Travel, Education, Garage	<u>\$7,500</u>
Fixed assets	\$55,000
Indirect expenses (overhead)	<u>\$0</u>
Ambulance subsidy	<u>\$258,000</u>
EMS Fund payments to physicians/hospital	Managed by each County
Dispatch center operations (non-staff)	<u>\$2,101,205</u>
Training program operations (non-staff)	<u>\$161,840</u>
Other: Public Health Funding	<u>\$0</u>
TOTAL EXPENSES	<u>\$8,302,886</u>

<u>Note</u>: The EMS agency is included in the Fresno County Public Health Department – Emergency Services Division, which includes the EMS agency, the Public Health Emergency Preparedness Program (PHEP), the Hospital Preparedness (HPP) Program, and the Fresno County Office of Emergency Services (OES). The expenses and revenues do not included PHEP, HPP, or OES.

### **Table 2 - System Organization & Management (cont.)**

### 6. SOURCES OF REVENUE

Special project grant(s) [from EMSA]	<u>-0-</u>
Preventive Health and Health Services (PHHS) Block Grant	<u>-0-</u>
Office of Traffic Safety (OTS)	<u>-0-</u>
State general fund	\$959,900
County general fund	<u>-0-</u>
Other local tax funds (e.g., EMS district)	<u>-0-</u>
County contracts (e.g. multi-county agencies)	<u>\$161,624</u>
Certification fees	<u>\$135,698</u>
Training program approval fees	<u>-0-</u>
Training program tuition/Average daily attendance funds (ADA)	<u>\$770,500</u>
Job Training Partnership ACT (JTPA) funds/other payments	<u>-0-</u>
Base hospital application fees	<u>-0-</u>
Base hospital designation fees	<u>-0-</u>
Trauma center application fees	<u>-0-</u>
Trauma center designation fees	<u>-0-</u>
Pediatric facility approval fees	<u>-0-</u>
Pediatric facility designation fees	<u>-0-</u>
Other critical care center application fees  Type: <u>n/a</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Other critical care center designation fees  Type: <u>n/a</u>	<u>-0-</u>
Ambulance service/vehicle fees	<u>-0-</u>
Contributions	<u>-0-</u>
EMS Fund (SB 12/612)	<u>\$130,000</u>
Other grants:	<u>\$474,612</u>
Other fees: Dispatch Services	\$3,041,980
Other (specify): Other Public Health Funding	\$2,628,572

TOTAL REVENUE

\$8,302,886

## **Table 2 - System Organization & Management (cont.)**

# 7. Fee structure for FY 2023-24

We do not charge any fees  X Our fee structure is:				
First responder certification	<u>-0-</u>			
EMS dispatcher certification	\$63			
EMT certification	\$127			
EMT recertification	\$82			
EMT-defibrillation certification	-0-			
EMT-defibrillation recertification	<u>-0-</u>			
Advanced EMT certification	<u>-0-</u>			
Advanced EMT recertification	<u>-0-</u>			
Paramedic accreditation	<u>\$48</u>			
Mobile Intensive Care Nurse/				
Authorized Registered Nurse (MICN/ARN) certification	<u>\$39</u>			
MICN/ARN recertification	<u>\$39</u>			
EMT training program approval	<u>-0-</u>			
EMT-Advanced training program approval	<u>-0-</u>			
Paramedic training program approval	<u>-0-</u>			
MICN/ARN training program approval	<u>-0-</u>			
Base physician certification/recertification	<u>\$36</u>			
Base hospital designation	<u>-0-</u>			
Trauma center application	<u>-0-</u>			
Trauma center designation	<u>-0-</u>			
Pediatric facility approval	<u>-0-</u>			
Pediatric facility designation	<u>-0-</u>			
Other critical care center application	<u>-0-</u>			
Type: <u>n/a</u>				
Other critical care center designation	<u>-0-</u>			
Type: <u>n/a</u>				
	<u>Fresno</u>	<u>Kings</u>	Madera	<u>Tulare</u>
Ambulance service license	<u>\$221</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$100</u>
Ambulance vehicle permits	<u>\$30</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$25</u>
Other: Paramedic Training Tuition	\$8,820			

**Table 2 - System Organization & Management (cont.)** 

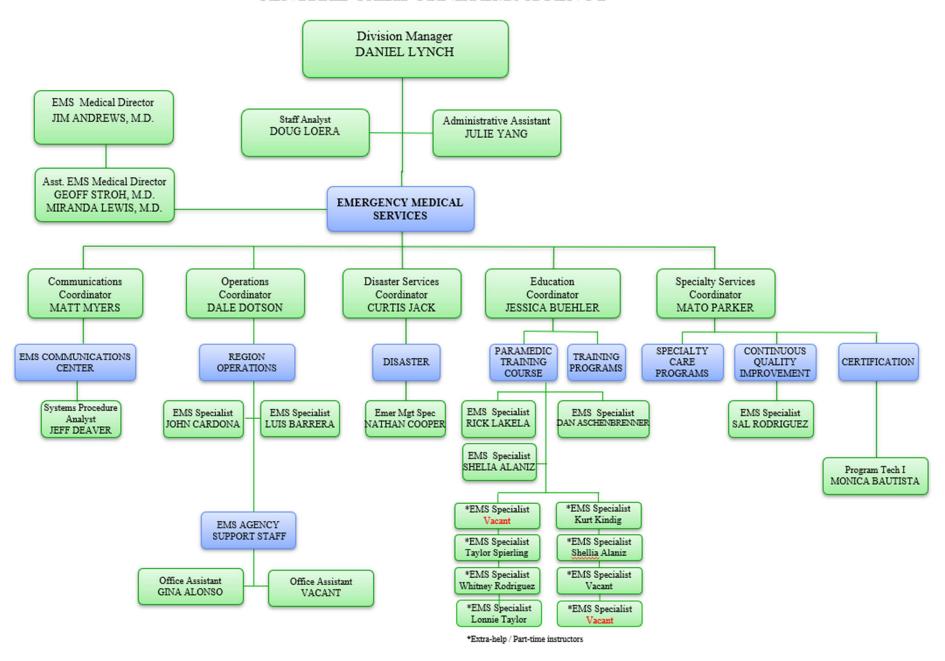
EMS System: Central California EMS Agency Reporting Year: <u>2022</u>

CATEGORY	ACTUAL TITLE	FTE POSITIONS (EMS ONLY)	TOP SALARY BY <u>HOURLY</u> EQUIVALENT	BENEFITS (% of Salary)	COMMENTS
EMS Admin./ Coord./Dir.	EMS Director	1	\$57.06hr	79.5%	
Senior Staff Analyst	EMS Analyst	1	\$41.00/hr	81.6%	
ALS Coord./ Field Coord./ Trng Coord.	Senior EMS Specialist	4	\$38.83/hr	83.5%	
Program Coord./ Field Liaison (Non-clinical)	EMS Specialist	6	\$35.35/hr	88.8%	
Trauma Coord.	Included in other job				
Med. Director	EMS Medical Director	1	Contract	Contract	
Other MD/ Med. Consult./ Trng. Med. Dir.	Assistant EMS Medical Director	2	Contract	Contract	

Table 2 - System Organization & Management (cont.)

CATEGORY	ACTUAL TITLE	FTE POSITIONS (EMS ONLY)	TOP SALARY BY <u>HOURLY</u> EQUIVALENT	BENEFITS (% of Salary)	COMMENTS
Emergency Mgmnt Specialist	Emergency Mgmnt Specialist	1	\$28.13/hr	81.4%	
QA/QI Coordinator	Senior EMS Specialist	1	\$38.83/hr	83.5%	
IT/GIS Support	Systems Procedures Analyst (IT)	1	\$40.98/hr	81.4%	
Public Info. & Ed. Coord.	N/A				
Ex. Secretary	Administrative Assistant	1	\$21.24/hr	83.7%	
Other Clerical	Office Assistant III	2	\$19.49/hr	85.6%	
Program Technician	Certification Coordinator	1	\$22.27/hr	83.7%	

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**TABLE 3: Personnel/Training** 

EMS System: <u>Central California EMS Agency</u> Reporting Year: <u>2023</u>

	EMT	Paramedic	ССР	MICN	EMS Dispatchers	Base Physician
Total certified	2453		16	279	118	257
Number newly certified this year	364	88	3	38	25	47
Number recertified this year	965	246	10	104	31	36
Total number of accredited personnel on July 1 of the reporting year		624				
a) formal investigations	0	0	0	0	0	0
b) probation	2	0	0	0	0	0
c) suspensions	0	0	0	0	0	0
d) revocations	0	0	0	0	0	0
e) denials	0	0	0	0	0	0
f) denials of renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0
g) no action taken	0	0	0	0	0	0

1. Early defibrillation:

a) Number of EMT authorized to use AEDs

<u>2,453</u>

b) Number of public safety (defib) certified (non-EMT)

141

2. Paramedic Triage to Alternate Destination:

<u>284</u>

3. Do you have an EMR training program?

No

## **TABLE 4: Communications**

Cour	System: nty: orting Year:	Central California EMS Agency Fresno County 2023	
1.	Number of p	orimary Public Service Answering Points (PSAP)	13
2.	Number of s	econdary PSAPs	2
3.	Number of c	lispatch centers directly dispatching ambulances	1
4.	Number of I	EMS dispatch agencies utilizing EMD guidelines	1
5.	Number of c	lesignated dispatch centers for EMS Aircraft	1
6.	Who is you	primary dispatch agency for day-to-day EMS emergencies?	
	The Fresno	County EMS Communications Center	
7.	Who is you	primary dispatch agency for an EMS disaster?	
	The Fresno	County EMS Communications Center	
8.	a. Radio pri 1. <u>EMS (</u>	e an operational area disaster communication system? mary frequency Command - Med 10 TX: 467.975 (114.8) RX: 462.975 (114.8) y Command - Linknet TX: 465.025 (136.5) RX: 460.025 (136.5)	ĭ Yes □ No
	b. Other me	thods <u>Local and state interoperability channels</u>	Yes □ No
		nedical response units communicate on the same disaster cations system?	ĭ Yes □ No
	d. Do you pa (OASIS)?	articipate in the Operational Area Satellite Information System	ĭ Yes □ No
	•	ave a plan to utilize the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services as a back-up communication system?	ĭ Yes □ No
	,	n the operational area? en operation area and the region and/or state?	Yes □ No     Yes □ No

## **TABLE 4: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Communications**

Central California EMS Agency

Cour	nty: orting Year:	Kings County 2023	<del></del>	
1.	Number of r	orimary Public Sei	rvice Answering Points (PSAP)	4
2.		secondary PSAPs		0
3.		·	lirectly dispatching ambulances	0
4.		·	encies utilizing EMD guidelines	0
5.			ch centers for EMS Aircraft	0
6.			agency for day-to-day EMS emergencies?	
0.	•		mmunications Center	
7.		-		
1.	•		agency for a EMS disaster?	
	Ine Fresno	County EMS Cor	mmunications Center	
8.	a. Radio pri 1. <u>EMS (</u>	mary frequency Command - Med	area disaster communication system?  10 TX: 467.975 (114.8) RX: 462.975 (114.8)  CI-INTEROP TX: 465.075 (146.2) RX: 460.075 (136.5)	ĭ Yes □ No
	b. Other me	ethods	Local and state interoperability channels	ĭ Yes □ No
		nedical response ( cations system?	units communicate on the same disaster	ĭ Yes □ No
	d. Do you p (OASIS)?		perational Area Satellite Information System	ĭ Yes □ No
	•	•	ze the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services mmunication system?	ĭ Yes □ No
	,	n the operational a en operation area	area? a and the region and/or state?	Yes □ No Yes □ No

## **TABLE 4: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Communications**

Central California EMS Agency

Cour	nty: orting Year:	Madera County 2023	<del></del>	
-	-			
1.	Number of p	orimary Public Ser	vice Answering Points (PSAP)	3
2.	Number of s	secondary PSAPs		0
3.	Number of o	dispatch centers d	irectly dispatching ambulances	0
4.	Number of	EMS dispatch age	encies utilizing EMD guidelines	0
5.	Number of o	designated dispato	ch centers for EMS Aircraft	0
6.	Who is you	r primary dispatch	agency for day-to-day EMS emergencies?	
	The Fresno	County EMS Co	mmunications Center	
7.	Who is you	r primary dispatch	agency for a EMS disaster?	
	The Fresno	County EMS Con	nmunications Center	
8.	a. Radio pri 1. <u>EMS (</u>	mary frequency Command - Med 1	nrea disaster communication system?  10 TX: 467.975 (114.8) RX: 462.975 (114.8)  10 dera SO 3 TX: 159.165 (156.7) RX: 151.070 (156.7)	ĭ Yes □ No
	b. Other me	ethods	Local and state interoperability channels	ĭ Yes □ No
		nedical response ucations system?	units communicate on the same disaster	ĭ Yes □ No
	d. Do you p (OASIS)?	-	perational Area Satellite Information System	⊠ Yes □ No
	-	•	ze the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services nmunication system?	⊠ Yes □ No
	,	n the operational a en operation area	rea? and the region and/or state?	坚 Yes □ No 坚 Yes □ No

## **TABLE 4: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Communications**

Central California EMS Agency

Cou	nty:	Tulare County	<del></del>	
Repo	orting Year:	<u>2023</u>		
1.	Number of p	orimary Public Se	ervice Answering Points (PSAP)	8
2.	Number of s	secondary PSAPs	S	1
3.	3. Number of dispatch centers directly dispatching ambulances			
4.	Number of	EMS dispatch ag	encies utilizing EMD guidelines	1
5.	Number of o	designated dispat	ch centers for EMS Aircraft	0
6.	Who is you	r primary dispatcl	n agency for day-to-day EMS emergencies?	
	The Tulare	County Consolid	lated Ambulance Dispatch Center	
7.	Who is you	r primary dispatcl	h agency for a EMS disaster?	
	The Tulare	County Consolida	ated Ambulance Dispatch Center	
8.	a. Radio pri 1. <u>EMS</u>	mary frequency Command - Med	area disaster communication system?  10 TX: 467.975 (146.2) RX: 462.975 (114.8)  TU-Command TX:458.975 (131.8) RX:453.975 (114.8)	ĭ Yes □ No
	b. Other me	ethods	Local and state interoperability channels	ĭ Yes □ No
		nedical response ications system?	units communicate on the same disaster	ĭ Yes □ No
	d. Do you p (OASIS)?	•	Operational Area Satellite Information System	ĭ Yes □ No
	-	•	ze the Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services mmunication system?	ĭ Yes □ No
	•	n the operational en operation area	area? a and the region and/or state?	ĭ Yes □ No ĭ Yes □ No

## **TABLE 5: Response/Transportation**

EMS System:	Central California EMS	Agency

Reporting Year: 2023

**Note:** Table 5 is to be reported by agency.

## **Early Defibrillation Providers**

1. Number of EMT-Defibrillation providers <u>32</u>

# SYSTEM STANDARD RESPONSE TIMES (90TH PERCENTILE)

Enter the response times in the appropriate boxes	METRO/URBAN	SUBURBAN/RURAL	WILDERNESS	SYSTEMWIDE
BLS and CPR capable first responder	5 min	15 min	Best effort	Measured by area
Early defibrillation responder	5 min	15 min	Best Effort	Measured by area
Advanced life support responder	5 min	15 min	Best Effort	Measured by area
Transport Ambulance				
Fresno (90% Performance)	9 min	12 min	45 min	Measured by area
Kings (90% Performance)	8 min	15 min	60 min	Measured by area
Madera (95% Performance)	10 min	20 min	60 min	Measured by area
Tulare (95% Performance)	10 min	20 min	60 min	Measured by area

## **TABLE 6: Facilities/Critical Care**

EMS System: <u>Central California EMS Agency</u>

Number of base hospitals with written agreements

Reporting Year: 2023

**NOTE**: Table 6 is to be reported by agency.

## **Trauma**

Trauma patients:	
a) Number of patients meeting trauma registry criteria	<u>7,287</u>
b) Number of major trauma victims transported directly to a trauma center by ambulance	<u>1,309</u>
c) Number of major trauma patients transferred to a trauma center	<u>51</u>
d) Number of patients meeting triage criteria who weren't treated at a trauma center	<u>Unknown</u>
<b>Emergency Departments</b>	
Total number of emergency departments:	
a) Number of referral emergency services	<u>0</u>
b) Number of standby emergency services	<u>3</u>
c) Number of basic emergency services	<u>6</u>
d) Number of comprehensive emergency services	<u>4</u>
Receiving Hospitals	
1. Number of receiving hospitals with written agreements	<u>3</u>

2.

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### **TABLE 7: Disaster Medical**

EMS System: Central California EMS Agency County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023 SYSTEM RESOURCES 1. Casualty Collections Points (CCP) Refer to Fresno County CCP List - attached a. Where are your CCPs located? b. How are they staffed? Multi-agency staffing - as necessary c. Do you have a supply system for supporting them for 72 hours? yes X no 2. **CISD** Do you have a CISD provider with 24 hour capability? yes X no 3. Medical Response Team a. Do you have any team medical response capability? yes \_\_\_\_ no X b. For each team, are they incorporated into your local yes \_\_\_\_ response plan? no X yes \_\_\_\_ c. Are they available for statewide response? no X d. Are they part of a formal out-of-state response system? yes \_\_\_\_ no X 4. Hazardous Materials a. Do you have any HazMat trained medical response teams? yes no X b. At what HazMat level are they trained? c. Do you have the ability to do decontamination in an emergency room? yes X no yes X d. Do you have the ability to do decontamination in the field? no **OPERATIONS** 1. Are you using a Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS) that incorporates a form of Incident Command System (ICS) structure? yes X no \_\_\_\_

What is the maximum number of local jurisdiction EOCs you will need to

interact with in a disaster?

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# **TABLE 7 - SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS - Disaster Medical (cont.)**

3.	Have you tested your MCI Plan this year in a:		
	a. real event?	yes X	no
	b. exercise?	yes X	no
4.	List all counties with which you have a written medical mutual aid agreem Developed through RDMHC for OES Region V	nent.	
5.	Do you have formal agreements with hospitals in your operational area to participate in disaster planning and response?	yes	no X
6.	Do you have a formal agreement with community clinics in your operation areas to participate in disaster planning and response?	nal yes	no X
7.	Are you part of a multi-county EMS system for disaster response?	yes X	no
8.	Are you a separate department or agency?	yes	no X
9.	If not, to whom do you report? <u>Fresno County</u>	Public Health	Director
10.	If not in the Health Department, do you have a plan to coordinate public health and environmental health issues with the Health Department?	yes	no <u>n/a</u>

## TABLE 7: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Disaster Medical (Cont)

### Fresno County Casualty Collection Points (CCP)

Clovis Clark Intermediate School

902 Fifth Street (@ Clovis Avenue)

Coalinga West Hills College

300 W Cherry Lane (@ Elm Street)

Firebaugh Los Deltas High School

Morris Kyle Drive (@ Hwy 33)

Fowler Fowler High School

701 E Main Street (@ Adams)

Fresno District Fairgrounds

East Kings Canyon Road (@ Maple)

Chandler Air Field

Kearney Blvd and Thorne Avenue

Fresno Air Terminal

5175 East Clinton (@ Chestnut Ave)

Kerman Union High School

205 S First Street (@ Stanislaus Street)

Kingsburg Kingsburg High School

1900 18th Avenue (@ Sierra)

Kingsburg City Yard

Kern Street and Freeway 99

Mendota McCabe Elementary School

Derrick and Quince

Orange Cove Citrus Junior High School

222 Fourth Street (@ Adams)

Parlier Parlier Community Center

1100 Parlier Avenue (@ Mendocino)

Reedley College

995 N Reed Avenue (@ Manning)

Sanger Fire Department

Jensen Avenue and West

Selma High School

3125 Wright Street (@ Floral)

Jackson Elementary School 2220 Huntsman (@ Wright)

## **TABLE 7: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Disaster Medical**

Central California EMS Agency

Count	y:	Kings County			
Repor	ting Year:	<u>2023</u>			
SYST	EM RESOU	URCES			
1.	Casualty C	Collections Points (CCP)			
	a. Where a	are your CCPs located?	Refer to Kings Cour	ty CCP List - a	ttached
	b. How are	e they staffed?	Multi-agency	staffing - as n	ecessary
	c. Do you	have a supply system for supporting ther	n for 72 hours?	yes <u>X</u> _	no
2.	CISD				
	Do you hav	ve a CISD provider with 24 hour capabili	ity?	yes <u>X</u>	no
3.	Medical Re	esponse Team			
	a. Do you	have any team medical response capabili	ity?	yes	no X
	b. For each	h team, are they incorporated into your lo	ocal	yes	no X
	c. Are they	y available for statewide response?		yes	
	_	y part of a formal out-of-state response sy	ystem?	yes	
4.	Hazardous	Materials			
	a. Do you	have any HazMat trained medical respon	nse teams?	yes	no X
	b. At what	HazMat level are they trained?			<u>n/a</u>
	•	have the ability to do decontamination in necy room?	ı an	yes X	no
	d. Do you	have the ability to do decontamination in	the field?	yes X	no
OPEI	RATIONS				
1.	<u>-</u>	ing a Standardized Emergency Managemorates a form of Incident Command Syst	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	yes X	no
2.		e maximum number of local jurisdiction lath in a disaster?	EOCs you will need to	)	4

# **TABLE 7 - SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS - Disaster Medical (cont.)**

3.	Have you tested your MCI Plan this year in a:		
	a. real event?	yes X	no
	b. exercise?	yes X	no
4.	List all counties with which you have a written medical mutual aid agreem Developed through RDMHC and OES Region V	nent.	
5.	Do you have formal agreements with hospitals in your operational area to participate in disaster planning and response?	yes	no <u>X</u>
6.	Do you have a formal agreements with community clinics in your operation areas to participate in disaster planning and response?	onal yes	no <u>X</u>
7.	Are you part of a multi-county EMS system for disaster response?	yes X	no
8.	Are you a separate department or agency?	yes	no X
9.	If not, to whom do you report? <u>Fresno County Public Health</u>	Department	
10.	If not in the Health Department, do you have a plan to coordinate public health and environmental health issues with the Health Department?	yes	no <u>n/a</u>

## TABLE 7: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Disaster Medical (Cont)

## **Kings County Casualty Collection Points (CCP)**

Avenal High School

601 E Mariposa

Corcoran Unified High School

Whittler and Sixth Street

Hanford Kings County Fairgrounds

Tenth Avenue (@ Hanford-Armona Road)

Lemoore Unified High School

Bush Street and Lemoore Street

## **TABLE 7: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Disaster Medical**

Central California EMS Agency

Coun	ty:	Madera County			
Repor	rting Year:	<u>2023</u>			
SYST	TEM RESO	URCES			
1.	Casualty C	Collections Points (CCP)			
	a. Where a	are your CCPs located?	Refer to Madera Cou	nty CCP List -	attached
	b. How ar	e they staffed?	Multi-agency	staffing - as n	ecessary
	c. Do you	have a supply system for supporting the	em for 72 hours?	yes X	no
2.	CISD				
	Do you hav	ve a CISD provider with 24 hour capab	ility?	yes	no <u>X</u>
3.	Medical R	esponse Team			
	a. Do you	have any team medical response capab	ility?	yes	no X
	b. For each respons	h team, are they incorporated into your e plan?	local	yes	no <u>X</u>
	c. Are the	y available for statewide response?		yes	
	d. Are the	y part of a formal out-of-state response	system?	yes	no X
4.	Hazardous	Materials			
	a. Do you	have any HazMat trained medical response	onse teams?	yes	no X
	b. At what	t HazMat level are they trained?			<u>n/a</u>
	•	have the ability to do decontamination ncy room?	in an	yes X	no
	d. Do you	have the ability to do decontamination	in the field?	yes X	no
OPE	RATIONS				
1.	•	sing a Standardized Emergency Manage orates a form of Incident Command Sy	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	yes X	no
2.		e maximum number of local jurisdiction th in a disaster?	n EOCs you will need to	)	3

# TABLE 7 - SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS - Disaster Medical (cont.)

3.	Have you tested your MCI Plan this year in a:		
	a. real event?	yes X	no
	b. exercise?	yes X	no
4.	List all counties with which you have a written medical mutual aid agreem Currently under development through RDMHC and OES Region V	nent.	
5.	Do you have formal agreements with hospitals in your operational area to participate in disaster planning and response?	yes	no <u>X</u>
6.	Do you have a formal agreements with community clinics in your operation areas to participate in disaster planning and response?	onal yes	no <u>X</u>
7.	Are you part of a multi-county EMS system for disaster response?	yes X	no
8.	Are you a separate department or agency?	yes	no X
9.	If not, to whom do you report? <u>Fresno County Public Health</u>	Department	
10.	If not in the Health Department, do you have a plan to coordinate public health and environmental health issues with the Health Department?	yes	no <u>n/a</u>

### **TABLE 7: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Disaster Medical (Cont)**

### **Madera County Casualty Collection Points (CCP)**

#### **Cities**

Chowchilla Gudgels Aero-Ag Service

Chowchilla Airport

800 S Third Street (@ Avenue 25)

Dairyland School

12861 Avenue 18 □ (@ Road 19)

Madera County Health Department

14215 Road 28 (@Avenue 14)

Madera Community Hospital 27600 Avenue 13 □ (@ Hwy 99)

National Guard Armory

701 E Yosemite Avenue (@ Flume)

Madera High School

200 S L Street (@ Sixth Street)

Jefferson Junior high School 1407 Sunset (@ Foster)

Madera Airport

4020 Aviation Drive (@ Avenue 17)

Oakhurst Elementary School

Road 427 and Road 426

33087 Rd 228

## **TABLE 7: SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS -- Disaster Medical**

Central California EMS Agency

**Tulare County** 

Repor	rting Year: 2023			
SYST	TEM RESOURCES			
1.	Casualty Collections Points (CCP)			
	a. Where are your CCPs located?	Throughout T	ulare County	
	b. How are they staffed?	Multi-agency	staffing - as ne	cessary
	c. Do you have a supply system for supporting them for 72	hours?	yes X	no
2.	CISD			
3.	Do you have a CISD provider with 24 hour capability? Medical Response Team		yes	no <u>X</u>
	a. Do you have any team medical response capability?		yes	no X
	b. For each team, are they incorporated into your local response plan?		yes	no X
	c. Are they available for statewide response?		yes	no X
	d. Are they part of a formal out-of-state response system?		yes	no X
4.	Hazardous Materials			
	a. Do you have any HazMat trained medical response team	s?	yes	no <u>X</u>
	b. At what HazMat level are they trained?			<u>n/a</u>
	c. Do you have the ability to do decontamination in an emergency room?		yes X	no
	d. Do you have the ability to do decontamination in the fiel	ld?	yes X	no
OPEI	RATIONS			
1.	Are you using a Standardized Emergency Management Systhat incorporates a form of Incident Command System (ICS	· /	yes X	no
2.	What is the maximum number of local jurisdiction EOCs you interact with in a disaster?	ou will need to		9_

EMS System:

County:

# **TABLE 7 - SYSTEM RESOURCES AND OPERATIONS - Disaster Medical (cont.)**

3.	Have you tested your MCI Plan this year in a:		
	a. real event?	yes X	no
	b. exercise?	yes X	no
4.	List all counties with which you have a written medical mutual aid agreen Currently under development through RDMHC and OES Region V	ment.	
5.	Do you have formal agreements with hospitals in your operational area to participate in disaster planning and response?	yes	no X
6.	Do you have a formal agreements with community clinics in your operation areas to participate in disaster planning and response?	onal yes	no X
7.	Are you part of a multi-county EMS system for disaster response?	yes X	no
8.	Are you a separate department or agency?	yes	no X
9.	If not, to whom do you report? <u>Fresno County Publi</u>	c Health Depart	ment_
10.	If not in the Health Department, do you have a plan to coordinate public health and environmental health issues with the Health Department?	yes	no <u>n/a</u>

# **TABLE 8: Resource Directory – EMS Providers**

Reporting Year:	2023					
	R	desponse/T	Transportation/Prov	viders		
County: Fresno		Provider:	American Ambulance	Re	sponse Zone:	Fresno EOA
Address: 2911 E Tu	ulare Avenue A 93721		Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet	: <u>103</u>	
Phone	5900		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)			
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of Se	rvice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes 🗖 No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport X Non-Transpor □ LALS X C		X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air er X IFT
O	If Doubling		Darkii	IS A :		Air Olessifications
Ownership: □ Public X Private	If Public: ☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	Public:  County Fire District	<u>If Air:</u> □ Rotary □ Fixed Win		Air Classification:  Auxiliary Rescue Air Ambulance ALS Rescue BLS Rescue
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
174,477Total number of responses130,841Total number of transports77,100Number of emergency responses5,339Number of emergency transports97,377Number of non-emergency responses125,429Number of non-emergency transports						
		<u>Air /</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of tra Number of emerger Number of non-eme	ncy transports	ports

Reporting Ye	ear:	2023						
		Note: Table 8 is to be		e/Transportation/Provi or each provider by cou		es as needed	d.	
County: _F	Fresno		_ Provider:	Auberry Volunteer Fir	e Department	Response	Zone:	Auberry District
Address:	PO Box 1 Auberry, 0			Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in F	leet: 0		
Phone Number:	559-855-4			Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)				
Written C	Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Leve	l of Serv	vice:
☐ Yes	X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transpor X Non-Tran	nsport X E	ALS BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT
					1			
<u>Owner</u>	<u>rship:</u>	<u>If Public:</u>	<u></u>	Public:	<u>lf Ai</u>	<u>r:</u>		Air Classification:
X Pul □ Pri	blic ivate	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	☐ City ☐ State ☐ Federa	☐ County X Fire District al	☐ Rotar ☐ Fixed		0	ALS Rescue
First Respond	der / Non-Tran	sport	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			1	
138N	Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of Number of non	ergency tran		orts
			<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services				
N	Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of Number of non	ergency tran	-	orts

#### Reporting Year: 2023 Response/Transportation/Providers Provider: Bald Mountain Vol. Fire Department Response Zone: Bald Mtn. Fire Dist. County: Fresno 41967 Auberry Road **Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet:** Address: 0 Auberry, CA 93602 Phone **Average Number of Ambulances on Duty** 559-855-8443 At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: Number: **Written Contract: Medical Director: System Available 24 Hours:** Level of Service: □ Transport ☐ Yes X No ☐ Yes X No X Yes No ☐ ALS X Ground X 9-1-1 X Non-Transport □ 7-Digit □ Air X BLS □ CCT ☐ LALS □ Water □ IFT Ownership: If Public: If Public: If Air: **Air Classification:** City County ☐ Auxiliary Rescue X Public X Fire □ Rotary Private ☐ Law State X Fire District ☐ Fixed Wing ☐ Air Ambulance ☐ ALS Rescue ☐ Other ☐ Federal Explain: ☐ BLS Rescue **Transporting Agencies** First Responder / Non-Transport 56 Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports 56 Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports **Air Ambulance Services** Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports

Reporting Year: 2023 Response/Transportation/Providers Provider: California Highway Patrol Response Zone: Central Valley County: Fresno 3770 N. Pierce **Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet:** Address: Fresno, CA 93727 Phone **Average Number of Ambulances on Duty** At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: Number: 559-448-4121 **Written Contract: Medical Director: System Available 24 Hours:** Level of Service: X Transport X Yes D No X Yes D No ☐ Yes X No ☐ Ground X ALS X 9-1-1 ■ Non-Transport
■ BLS ☐ 7-Digit X Air □ CCT □ Water ☐ LALS X IFT Ownership: If Public: If Public: **Air Classification:** If Air: X Public □ Fire ☐ City X Rotary ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ Countv ☐ Air Ambulance ☐ Fixed Wing □ Private X Law X State ☐ Fire District X ALS Rescue ☐ Other ☐ Federal Explain: ☐ BLS Rescue **Transporting Agencies** Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports Air Ambulance Services Total number of responses Total number of transports 71 71 Number of emergency responses 51 Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses

#### Reporting Year: 2023 Response/Transportation/Providers Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed. **Provider:** Clovis City Fire Department **Response Zone:** City of Clovis County: Fresno 1233 5<sup>th</sup> Street Address: **Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet:** Clovis, CA 9312 **Average Number of Ambulances on Duty** Phone At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: Number: 559-324-2200 0 **Written Contract: Medical Director: System Available 24 Hours:** Level of Service: ☐ Transport ☐ Yes X No ☐ Yes X No. X Yes □ No ☐ ALS X Ground X 9-1-1 X Non-Transport X BLS □ 7-Digit □ Air ☐ LALS ☐ CCT □ Water ☐ IFT Ownership: If Public: Air Classification: If Public: If Air: X Public X Fire X City County □ Rotary ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ State ☐ Air Ambulance □ Private ☐ Law ☐ Fire District ☐ Fixed Wing □ Other □ ALS Rescue ☐ Federal ☐ BLS Rescue Explain: **Transporting Agencies** First Responder / Non-Transport Total number of responses 8,341 Total number of transports 8,341 Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports **Air Ambulance Services** Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provid	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed f	or each provider by coul	nty. Make copies as	needed.	
County: Fresno		_ Provider:	Coalinga City Fire De	partment Res	ponse Zon	e: Zone C
Address: 300 Elm S			Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	_4	
Coalinga, CA 93210  Phone Number: 559-935-1652  Average Number of Ambulances on D At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Da						
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of S	Service:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport X Non-Transport	X ALS X BLS LALS	X 7-Digit 🗖 Air
Ournamahim	If Dublic.		Dublica	IE A:		Air Olassifiantian
Ownership:  X Public  □ Private	If Public:  X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Federa	□ County □ Fire District	<u>If Air:</u> ☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	3	Air Classification:  ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ Air Ambulance ☐ ALS Rescue ☐ BLS Rescue
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
2,747Total number of responses2,131Total number of transports1,352Number of emergency responses65Number of emergency transports1,395Number of non-emergency responses2,066Number of non-emergency transports						
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of tran Number of emergen Number of non-eme	cy transport	

#### Reporting Year: 2023 Response/Transportation/Providers Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed. **Provider:** Firebaugh City Fire Department **Response Zone:** City of Firebaugh County: Fresno 1575 11<sup>th</sup> Street Address: **Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet:** Firebaugh, CA 93622 **Average Number of Ambulances on Duty** Phone At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: Number: 559-659-2061 0 **Written Contract: Medical Director: System Available 24 Hours:** Level of Service: ☐ Transport ☐ Yes X No ☐ Yes X No. X Yes □ No ☐ ALS X Ground X 9-1-1 X Non-Transport X BLS □ 7-Digit □ Air ☐ LALS ☐ CCT □ Water ☐ IFT Ownership: If Public: Air Classification: If Public: If Air: X Public X Fire X City County □ Rotary ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ State ☐ Air Ambulance □ Private ☐ Law ☐ Fire District ☐ Fixed Wing □ Other □ ALS Rescue ☐ Federal ☐ BLS Rescue Explain: **Transporting Agencies** First Responder / Non-Transport 346 Total number of responses Total number of transports 346 Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports **Air Ambulance Services** Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports

#### Reporting Year: 2023 Response/Transportation/Providers Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed. **Provider:** Fowler City Fire Department **Response Zone:** City of Fowler County: Fresno 128 S. 5<sup>th</sup> Street Address: **Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet:** Fowler, CA 93625 **Average Number of Ambulances on Duty** Phone At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: Number: 559-659-2061 0 **Written Contract: Medical Director: System Available 24 Hours:** Level of Service: ☐ Transport ☐ Yes X No ☐ Yes X No. X Yes □ No ☐ ALS X Ground X 9-1-1 X Non-Transport X BLS □ 7-Digit □ Air ☐ LALS ☐ CCT □ Water ☐ IFT Ownership: If Public: Air Classification: If Public: If Air: X Public X Fire X City County □ Rotary ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ State ☐ Air Ambulance □ Private ☐ Law ☐ Fire District ☐ Fixed Wing □ Other □ ALS Rescue ☐ Federal ☐ BLS Rescue Explain: **Transporting Agencies** First Responder / Non-Transport Total number of responses 533 Total number of transports 533 Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports **Air Ambulance Services** Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/	Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	-	•		needed.	
County: Fresno		Provider:	Fresno City Fire Depart	artment Res	sponse Zon	e: City of Fresno
Address: 911 H Str			Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Phone Number: 559-621-4			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System A	vailable 24 Hours:		Level of S	Service:
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transpor	□ ALS t X BLS □ LALS	7-Digit Air
	<u> </u>			Ī		
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If I</u>	<u>Public</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire Law Other Explain:	X City State Federa	☐ County ☐ Fire District	□ Rotary □ Fixed Win	g	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Tran	sporting Agencies			
24,941 Total number of responses  24,941 Number of emergency responses  Number of non-emergency responses				Total number of trar Number of emerger Number of non-eme	icy transport	
		Air A	mbulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trar Number of emerger Number of non-eme	icy transport	

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed fo	or each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as r	needed.	
County: Fresno		_ Provider:	Fresno County Fire P	rot. Dist. Res	ponse Zo	one: County FPD
Address: 210 S Aca	ademy Avenue		Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Phone Number: 559-493-4			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System .	Available 24 Hours:		Level of	Service:
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport ☐ ALS X Non-Transport X BLS ☐ LAI		S 🔲 7-Digit 🖫 Air
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If</u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	☐ County X Fire District	☐ Fixed Wing ☐ Air		
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
8,481 Total number of responses  8,481 Number of emergency responses  Number of non-emergency responses				Total number of trans Number of emergend Number of non-emer	cy transpo	
		Air A	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trans Number of emergend Number of non-emer	cy transpo	

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provi	iders		
County: Fresn	0	Provider:	Hume Lake Vol. Fire	Department <b>Re</b> s	sponse Zone	e: Hume Lake Christian Camp
	144 Hume Lake Road me, CA 93628		Number of Ambuland	ce Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Phone	9-305-7576		Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)			
Written Contra	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of S	ervice:
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transpor	□ ALS t X BLS □ LALS	3
Ownership	: If Public:	If	Public:	If Air:		Air Classification:
□ Public X Private	☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	☐ County ☐ Fire District	□ Rotary □ Fixed Win	g	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / N	on-Transport	Tra	nsporting Agencies		<u> </u>	
36 Numb	number of responses er of emergency responses er of non-emergency responses	s		Total number of trai Number of emerger Number of non-eme	ncy transport	
		<u>Air /</u>	Ambulance Services			
Numb	number of responses er of emergency responses er of non-emergency response	s		Total number of trai Number of emerger Number of non-eme	ncy transport	

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/Transportation/Provi	ders					
Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.								
County: Fresno		Provider: _Huntington Lake VFD	Response	Zone: Huntington FPD				
Address: 334 Shaw Avenue, Suite 135 Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet: 0								
Clovis, CA 93612  Phone Number: 559-893-2347		Average Number of Ambulances on Duty At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day:  0						
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Available 24 Hours:	Level of Service:					
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes □ No	X Non-Transport X I	ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS				
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If Public</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>	Air Classification:				
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	☐ City ☐ County ☐ State X Fire District ☐ Federal	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>				
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Transporting Agencies						
64 Total number of responses 64 Number of emergency responses 0 Number of non-emergency responses			Total number of transports  Number of emergency transports  Number of non-emergency transports					
		Air Ambulance Services						
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency					

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Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.								
County: Fresno		Provider:	Kingsburg City Fire D	epartment Respo	nse Zone:	Zone K		
Address: 1460 Marion Street Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet: 3								
Phone Number: 559-935-2	g, CA 93631 1652	Average Number of Ambulances on Duty At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day:  2						
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	Level of Service:		vice:		
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport X Non-Transport	X ALS X BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT		
0			: Dublic	If Air.		Air Classification		
Ownership:  X Public  □ Private	If Public:  X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Federa	□ County □ Fire District	If Air: ☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		7120 1100000		
Transporting Agencies								
<ul> <li>2,488 Total number of responses</li> <li>1,275 Number of emergency responses</li> <li>1,213 Number of non-emergency responses</li> </ul>			1,785 63 1,722	Total number of transports  Number of emergency transports  Number of non-emergency transports				
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services					
Total number of responses  Number of emergency responses  Number of non-emergency responses				Total number of transports  Number of emergency transports  Number of non-emergency transports				

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Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.								
County: Fresno		Provider: Laton Volunteer Fire	Department Response	Zone: Laton FPD				
-	Fowler Avenue	Number of Ambulan	ce Vehicles in Fleet: 0					
Laton, CA 93242  Phone Number: 559-381-1063		Average Number of Ambulances on Duty At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day:  0						
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Available 24 Hours:	Level of Service:					
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes □ No	X Non-Transport X	ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS 7-Digit Air LALS CCT Water IFT				
Ownership:	<u>lf Public:</u>	<u>If Public</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>	Air Classification:				
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	☐ City ☐ County ☐ State X Fire District ☐ Federal	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ Als Rescue ☐ BLS Rescue					
First Responder / Non-Transport  Transporting Agencies								
96 Total number of responses 96 Number of emergency responses 0 Number of non-emergency responses			<ul><li>Total number of transports</li><li>Number of emergency transports</li><li>Number of non-emergency transports</li></ul>					
		Air Ambulance Services						
Total number of responses  Number of emergency responses  Number of non-emergency responses			Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency					

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/Trans	sportation/Provid	lers			
Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.							
County: Fresno		Provider: Mou	ntain Valley Vol. F	ire Depart. Res	sponse Zone	e: Mtn Valley FPD	
Address:46694 Ch	uckwagon Road	Numl	per of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	_0		
Phone Number: 559-332-2				mbulances on Duty on Any Given Day:	_0		
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Availa	ble 24 Hours:		Level of S	ervice:	
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes □ No	)	☐ Transport X Non-Transpor	☐ ALS t X BLS ☐ LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground  7-Digit   Air CCT  Water	
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If Publi</u>	<u>c</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:	
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:		County Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	g	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>	
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Transpor	ting Agencies				
21 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trar Number of emerger Number of non-eme	icy transports		
		Air Ambul	ance Services				
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trar Number of emerger Number of non-eme	icy transports		

### Reporting Year: 2023 Response/Transportation/Providers Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed. Provider: Orange Cove City Fire Department Response Zone: Orange Cove FPD County: Fresno Address: 550 Center Street Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet: 0 Orange Cove, CA 93646 **Average Number of Ambulances on Duty** Phone At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: Number: 559-626-7758 0 **Written Contract: Medical Director: System Available 24 Hours:** Level of Service: ☐ Transport ☐ Yes X No ☐ Yes X No. X Yes □ No ☐ ALS X Ground X 9-1-1 X Non-Transport X BLS □ 7-Digit □ Air ☐ LALS ☐ CCT □ Water ☐ IFT Ownership: If Public: Air Classification: If Public: If Air: X Public X Fire Citv □ Rotary ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ County State ☐ Air Ambulance □ Private ☐ Law X Fire District ☐ Fixed Wing □ ALS Rescue □ Other ☐ Federal ☐ BLS Rescue Explain: **Transporting Agencies** First Responder / Non-Transport 528 Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports 528 Number of non-emergency responses Number of non-emergency transports **Air Ambulance Services** Total number of responses Total number of transports Number of emergency responses Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency transports Number of non-emergency responses

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/	Transportation/Provi	ders			
Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.							
County: Fresno		Provider:	Reedley City Fire Dep	partment Res	ponse Zone	e: City of Reedley	
Address: 1060 D S			Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0		
Phone Number: 559-637-4	CA 93656 1230		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0		
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System A	Available 24 Hours:		Level of S	ervice:	
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	☐ ALS X BLS ☐ LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground  7-Digit    Air CCT    Water IFT	
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If</u>	<u>Public</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:	
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Federa	☐ County ☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	1	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>	
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Trar	sporting Agencies				
480 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of tran Number of emergend Number of non-eme	cy transports		
		Air A	mbulance Services				
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of tran Number of emergene Number of non-eme	cy transports		

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provid	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	<u>-</u>	or each provider by coul		needed.	
County: Fresno		_ Provider:	Sanger City Fire Depa	artment Res	ponse Zon	e: Zone I
Address: 601 West			Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	4	
Sanger, C Phone Number: 559-637-4			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		2	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of S	Service:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport X Non-Transport	X ALS X BLS LALS	
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Ownership:  X Public  □ Private	If Public:  X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Feder	f <b>Public</b> : ☐ County ☐ Fire District	If Air: ☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	3	Air Classification:  ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ Air Ambulance ☐ ALS Rescue ☐ BLS Rescue
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
1,852 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		2,173 117 2,054	Total number of tran Number of emergen Number of non-eme	cy transport	
		<u>Air</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of tran Number of emergen Number of non-eme	cy transport	

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	•	•	nty. Make copies as need	ded.	
County: Fresno		Provider:	Selma Fire Departme	nt Respon	se Zone:	Zone G
Address: 2857 A Si			Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	4	
Selma, C.  Phone Number: 559-891-2			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		3	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	<u>Le</u>	vel of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Non-Transport	X ALS X BLS I LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water X IFT
	W D 1111			15.41		Al-Oleverine
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u> </u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Federa	☐ County ☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		71207100000
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
2,635 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		4,973 187 4,784	Total number of transport Number of emergency tr Number of non-emergen	ansports	orts
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transport Number of emergency transport Number of non-emergen	ansports	orts

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	-		nty. Make copies as neede	ed.	
County: Fresno		Provider:	Sequoia Safety Counc	cil Respons	e Zone:	Zone J
Address: 500 E 11			Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet: 6		
Reedley, Phone Number: 559-891-2	CA 93662 2211		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)			
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System .	Available 24 Hours:	Lev	el of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	□ Non-Transport >	ALS BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground ☐ 7-Digit ☐ Air ☐ CCT ☐ Water X IFT
Ownership:	If Public:	If	Public:	If Air:		Air Classification:
X Public Private	☐ Fire ☐ Law X Other Explain: Not for Profit	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	☐ County ☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		Auxiliary Rescue Air Ambulance ALS Rescue
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
3,328 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		5,448 262 5,186	Total number of transport Number of emergency tra Number of non-emergence	nsports	orts
		<u>Air A</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transport Number of emergency tra Number of non-emergence	nsports	orts

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed for	each provider by coul	nty. Make copies as nee	eded.	
County: Fresno		Provider: _/	AirMethods dba: Skyli	fe Respo	nse Zone:	Central Valley
Address: 5526 E Ai	r Corp Way	N	umber of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	3	
Phone Number: 559-284-2			verage Number of A t 12:00 p.m. (noon)	Ambulances on Duty on Any Given Day:	3	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Av	vailable 24 Hours:	<u>L</u>	evel of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes 🗆	I No	X Transport □ Non-Transport	X ALS □ BLS □ LALS	X 9-1-1 ☐ Ground X 7-Digit X Air X CCT ☐ Water X IFT
O	If Doubling	14.0	- de la c	If A!		Alm Olas alfia atlana
Ownership:	<u>lf Public:</u>	<u>If P</u>	<u>ublic</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>		<u>Air Classification</u> :
☐ Public X Private	☐ Fire☐ Law☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federal	☐ County ☐ Fire District	X Rotary X Fixed Wing	X	Auxiliary Rescue Air Ambulance ALS Rescue BLS Rescue
		Trans	porting Agencies			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transpo Number of emergency to Number of non-emerge	transports	orts
		<u>Air An</u>	nbulance Services			
1,072 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		870 870 0	Total number of transport Number of emergency to Number of non-emerge	transports	orts

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed for ea	ach provider by cour	nty. Make copies as nee	ded.	
County: Kings		Provider: Ar	merican Ambulance	Respor	se Zone:	Kings County EOA
	er Avenue CA 93230	Nu	mber of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	18	
Phone Number: 559-585-6				ambulances on Duty on Any Given Day:	13	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Ava	ilable 24 Hours:	<u>Le</u>	vel of Ser	vice:
X Yes 🗖 No	X Yes □ No	X Yes 🗖	No	□ Non-Transport	X ALS X BLS □ LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air X CCT □ Water X IFT
Ownership	If Dublice	If D.ul	hlio	If Air.		Air Classification
Ownership: ☐ Public X Private	If Public: ☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:		□ County □ Fire District	<u>If Air:</u> ☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		
		Transp	orting Agencies			
11,839 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		16,465 641 15,817	Total number of transpo Number of emergency to Number of non-emerger	ansports	orts
		Air Amb	oulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transpo Number of emergency to Number of non-emerger	ansports	orts

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed for each provider by cou		l.
County: Kings		Provider: Hanford City Fire Dep	partment Response	Zone: City of Hanford
	angeville Boulevard	Number of Ambulan	ce Vehicles in Fleet: 0	
Phone Number: 559-585-2	CA 93230 2545	Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)	Ambulances on Duty on Any Given Day: 0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Available 24 Hours:	Level	of Service:
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes □ No	X Non-Transport X	ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS
		1		
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If Public</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>	Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	X City	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Transporting Agencies		
3,875 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	
		Air Ambulance Services		
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed fo	or each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as n	eeded.	
County: Kings		_ Provider:	Kings County Fire De	partment Resp	onse Zor	ne: Kings County
	mpus Drive CA 93230		Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Phone Standard Standa			Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of	Service:
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	□ ALS X BLS □ LAL	7-Digit Air
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u></u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	X County ☐ Fire District al	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		•	
2,941 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trans Number of emergence Number of non-emer	y transpor	
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trans Number of emergence Number of non-emergence	y transpor	

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed f	or each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as r	eeded.	
County: Kings		_ Provider:	Lemoore City Fire De	partment Res	oonse Zon	e: City of Lemoore
Address: 210 Fox S			Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Phone Number: 559-924-6	CA 93245 6797		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of S	Service:
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	☐ ALS X BLS ☐ LALS	7-Digit Air
				I		
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u> </u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	X City State Feder	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	sport	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		·	
1,695 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trans Number of emergend Number of non-emer	y transport	
		<u>Air</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of trans Number of emergence Number of non-emer	y transport	

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County: Madera		Provider: Chowchilla City Polic	e Department Response	Zone: City of Chowchilla	
Address: 122 Trinity	y Avenue a, CA 93610	Number of Ambulance Vehicles in Fleet: 0			
Phone	,	Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)	Ambulances on Duty on Any Given Day: 0		
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Available 24 Hours:	Level	of Service:	
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes □ No	X Non-Transport X	ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS 7-Digit Air LALS CCT Water	
Ownership:	If Public:	If Public:	If Air:	Air Classification:	
X Public □ Private	☐ Fire X Law ☐ Other Explain:	X City	□ Rotary □ Fixed Wing	☐ Auxiliary Rescue☐ Air Ambulance☐ ALS Rescue☐ BLS Rescue	
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Transporting Agencies			
648 Total number Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	•	
		Air Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	•	

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Reporting Year:	2023	Response/	Fransportation/Provi	ders		
Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.						
County: Madera		Provider: _	Pistoresi Ambulance S	Service, Inc. Response	Zone: Chowchilla	
Address: 113 North		!	Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet: 1		
Madera, 0 Phone Number: 559-673-8			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)			
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System A	vailable 24 Hours:	Leve	l of Service:	
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes [	□ No	□ Non-Transport X	ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS 7-Digit Air LALS CCT Water X IFT	
Own a malaim.	If Dublic.	14.5	Duk li a .	If A i	Air Classification	
Ownership: ☐ Public X Private	If Public: ☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	□ City □ State □ Federal	Public:  County Fire District	<u>If Air:</u> ☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	Air Classification:  ☐ Auxiliary Rescue ☐ Air Ambulance ☐ ALS Rescue ☐ BLS Rescue	
		Tran	sporting Agencies			
1,191 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		1,373 66 1,307	Total number of transports Number of emergency tran Number of non-emergency	sports	
		Air A	mbulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transports Number of emergency tran Number of non-emergency	sports	

Table 8: Resource Dire	ectory					
Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provi	ders		
County: Madera		Provider:	Pistoresi Ambulanco Madera, Inc.	e Service of <b>Respo</b>	onse Zone:	Madera Valley
Address: 113 North	n R Street CA 93637		Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in Fleet:	8	
Phone Number: <u>559-673-8</u>	3004		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		5	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	<u>L</u>	evel of Se	vice:
X Yes 🗖 No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport X Non-Transport	X ALS X BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water X IFT
Ownership:	If Public:	lf lf	· Public:	If Air:		Air Classification:
□ Public X Private	☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	☐ City ☐ State ☐ Feder	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		J Auxiliary Rescue J Air Ambulance J ALS Rescue
		Tra	nsporting Agencies			
7,445 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses	<u>Air </u>	394	Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerge	transports	orts
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerge	transports	orts

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed f	or each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as neede	ed.	
County: Madera		Provider:	Sierra Ambulance Sei	rvice Respons	e Zone:	Mountain EOA
	nding Way CA 93644		Number of Ambulanc	ce Vehicles in Fleet: 6		
Phone Number: 559-6423			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)			
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	Leve	el of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Non-Transport X	ALS BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT
	16 2 1 11			15.4		At a Observation and the second
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u> </u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	☐ Fire☐ Law X Other Explain: Not for Profit	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		
		Tra	nsporting Agencies		1	
2,571 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		2,558 150 2,408	Total number of transports Number of emergency train Number of non-emergence	nsports	orts
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transports Number of emergency train Number of non-emergence	nsports	orts

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	•	•	nty. Make copies as need	led.	
County: Tulare		Provider:	American Ambulance	of Visalia Respon	se Zone:	Zones 2, 3 and 13
Address: E Noble			Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	14	
Visalia, C Phone Number: 559-730-3			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		11	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	Le	vel of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Non-Transport	〈 ALS 〈 BLS ☑ LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water X IFT
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u> </u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
☐ Public X Private	☐ Fire☐ Law☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Feder	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
10,497 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		18,586 594 17,992	Total number of transpor Number of emergency transport Number of non-emergen	ansports	orts
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transpor Number of emergency transport Number of non-emergen	ansports	orts

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/1	ransportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed for	each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as need	ded.	
County: Tulare		Provider: _	California Hot Springs	Ambulance Respon	se Zone:	Zone 16
-	ahter Meadow Drive		OUT OF SERVICE	AND NON-OPERATIO	NAL	
Phone Sumber: 559-733-6	Hot Springs, CA 93207		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)	Ambulances on Duty on Any Given Day:	0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System A	vailable 24 Hours:	Le	vel of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes D	l No	☐ Non-Transport	ALS X BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT
Ownership:	If Public:	If P	·ublic:	If Air:		Air Classification:
□ Public X Private	☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federal	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		Auxiliary Rescue Air Ambulance ALS Rescue
		Trans	sporting Agencies		·	
0 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		0 0 0	Total number of transpo Number of emergency tr Number of non-emerger	ansports	orts
		<u>Air Ar</u>	mbulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transpo Number of emergency tr Number of non-emerger	ansports	orts

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/Transportation/Prov	riders	
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed for each provider by co	unty. Make copies as needed	<b>1</b> .
County: Tulare		Provider: Camp Nelson Volun	teer Ambulance Response	Zone: Zone 14
Address: 1500 A N	elson Drive	OUT OF SERVICE AN	ND NON-OPERATIONAL	
Camp Ne Phone Number: 559-747-8	Ison, CA 93208 3233		Ambulances on Duty ) on Any Given Day: 1	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Available 24 Hours:	Leve	l of Service:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	☐ Non-Transport ☐	ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS 7-Digit Air LALS CCT Water IFT
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If Public</u> :	<u>lf Air:</u>	Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	☐ Fire☐ Law X Other Explain: Not for Profit	☐ City ☐ County ☐ State ☐ Fire District ☐ Federal	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
		Transporting Agencies		
0 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses	0 0 0	Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	
		Air Ambulance Services		
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Total number of transports  Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	•

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	•	•	nty. Make copies as nee	eded.	
County: Tulare		Provider:	Dinuba City Fire Depa	artment Respon	nse Zone:	Zone 1
Address: 496 E Tul			Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	4	
Phone Number: 559-591-5			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		2	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	Le	evel of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No		X ALS X BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT
Ownership:	If Public:	14	· Public:	If Air:		Air Classification:
X Public Private	X Fire Law Other Explain:	X City State Feder	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		Auxiliary Rescue Air Ambulance ALS Rescue
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
2,308 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		2,763 88 2,675	Total number of transpo Number of emergency t Number of non-emerge	transports	orts
		<u>Air</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transpo Number of emergency t Number of non-emerge	transports	orts

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	e/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	•	•	nty. Make copies as neede	ed.	
County: Tulare		Provider:	Exeter District Ambula	ance Respons	e Zone:	Zones 3, 5, 8, 13
Address: 302 E Pal			Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in Fleet: 4		
Phone Number: 559-594-5			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)			
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	Leve	el of Ser	vice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Non-Transport ☐	ALS BLS LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT
Ownership	If Dublice		Dublica	If Aim		Air Classification
Ownership:  X Public  □ Private	If Public: ☐ Fire ☐ Law X Other Explain: Health District	☐ City☐ State☐ Feder	☐ County☐ Fire District	<u>If Air:</u> ☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		•	
1,954 Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		2,365 75 2,290	Total number of transports Number of emergency tra Number of non-emergence	nsports	orts
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of e	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transports Number of emergency tra Number of non-emergence	nsports	orts

Reporting Year:	2023	Response/Transpor	tation/Providers					
Note: Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.								
County: Tulare		Provider: Farmers	/ille City Fire Depar	tment Respon	se Zone:	City of Farmersville		
-	salia Road	Number o	of Ambulance Veh	icles in Fleet:	0			
Phone Number: 559-747-0	ille, CA 93223 0791		Number of Ambula p.m. (noon) on An	_	0			
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System Available	24 Hours:	<u>Le</u>	vel of Serv	/ice:		
☐ Yes X No	☐ Yes X No	X Yes □ No		Non-Transport	□ ALS X BLS □ LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground □ 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT		
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If Public</u> :		<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:		
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City		☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	0	Auxiliary Rescue Air Ambulance ALS Rescue BLS Rescue		
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	Transporting	Agencies		·			
491 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Numb	number of transport ber of emergency tr ber of non-emerger	ansports	rts		
		Air Ambulanc	e Services					
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		Numb	number of transported ber of emergency tr ber of non-emerger	ansports	rts		

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	/Transportation/Provi	ders	
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed fo	or each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as neede	d.
County: Tulare		Provider:	Imperial Ambulance	Response	Zones 8, 9
Address: 22 N Cott			Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in Fleet: 6	
Porterville, CA 93257  Phone Number: 559-784-8500  Average Number of Ambulances on Duty At 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Any Given Day: 4					
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System /	Available 24 Hours:	Leve	el of Service:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No		ALS X 9-1-1 X Ground BLS □ 7-Digit □ Air □ Water X IFT
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If</u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>	Air Classification:
□ Public X Private	☐ Fire☐ Law☐ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing	<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		
6,244 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses		9,951 318 9,633	Total number of transports Number of emergency trans Number of non-emergency	nsports
		<u>Air A</u>	Ambulance Services		
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses octory			Total number of transports Number of emergency transports Number of non-emergency	nsports

Reporting Year: _	2023					
		Response	/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	completed f	or each provider by cou	nty. Make copies as ne	eded.	
County: Tulare		_ Provider:	Sierra LifeStar Ambul	ance Resp	onse Z	one: Zones 8, 9
Address: 234 N	I M Street		Number of Ambulance	ce Vehicles in Fleet:	6	
Tulare	e, CA 93274					
Phone Number: 559-6	88-2550		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		3	
Written Contract	:: Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level c	of Service:
X Yes 🗖 No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport X Non-Transport	X AL X BL	_S □ 7-Digit □ Air
Ownership:	If Public:	<u></u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
□ Public X Private	☐ Fire☐ Law☐ Other Explain:	□ City □ State □ Feder	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		•	
5,580 Number	mber of responses of emergency responses of non-emergency responses		8,668 277 8,391	Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	transp	
		<u>Air</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number	mber of responses of emergency responses of non-emergency responses Directory			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	ransp	

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	Note: Table 8 is to be	-	•		eded.	
County: Tulare		Provider:	Lindsay Department	Respo	onse Zone	e: City of Lindsay
Address: 185 N Ga			Number of Ambulanc	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Phone Number: 559-562-2		_	Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	<u> </u>	_evel of S	ervice:
☐ Yes XNo	☐ Yes X No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	□ ALS X BLS □ LALS	7-Digit Air
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u>If</u>	Public:	<u>If Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Federa	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies			
774 Total number 774 Number of er	of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	transport	
		<u>Air A</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses ctory			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	transport	

Reporting Year:	2023	Pagnanga	/Transportation/Provi	doro		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	-	e/Transportation/Provi		eded	
County: Tulare	Note: Table 616 to be	,	Tulare City Fire Depa			ne: City of Tulare
Address: 800 S Bla	ckstone		Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Tulare, C	A 93257					
Phone	1290		Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of	Service:
X Yes 🗖 No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	X ALS	S 🔲 7-Digit 🖫 Air
Ownership:	If Public:	<u>If</u>	· Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire Law Other Explain:	X City State Federa	☐ County ☐ Fire District al	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	nort	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		1	
4,335 Total number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	transpo	
		<u>Air </u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses octory			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	transpo	

Reporting Year:	2023	Daananaa	/Tuesses a substitute /Duessi	da					
	Note: Table Office to	-	/Transportation/Provi						
<b>Note:</b> Table 8 is to be completed for each provider by county. Make copies as needed.									
County: Tulare		_ Provider:	Tulare County Fire De	epartment Resp	onse Zor	ne: County of Tulare			
Address: 907 W Vis	salia Road		Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0				
Farmersv	ille, CA 93223								
Phone Number: 559-747-8	3233		Average Number of At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0				
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:		Level of	Service:			
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	□ ALS X BLS □ LAL	🗖 7-Digit 🗖 Air			
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>	<u></u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:			
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State☐ Federa	X County ☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>			
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies						
8,629 Total number of responses Number of emergency responses Number of non-emergency responses			Total number of transports  Number of emergency transports  Number of non-emergency transports						
		<u>Air /</u>	Ambulance Services						
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses octory		Total number of transports  Number of emergency transports  Number of non-emergency transports						

Reporting Year:	2023	Response	/Transportation/Provi	ders		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	-	•		eded.	
County: Tulare		Provider:	Tule River Ambulance	e Respo	onse Zone	: _Tule River Indian Res.
	servation Road		Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	2	
Phone Number: 559-747-8	e, CA 93257 3233		Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		_1	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	<u>I</u>	_evel of Se	ervice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	X Transport ☐ Non-Transport	X ALS  BLS  LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground X 7-Digit □ Air □ CCT □ Water □ IFT
Ownership:	<u>If Public:</u>		Public:	<u>If Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	☐ City☐ State X Federa	☐ County☐ Fire District	□ Rotary □ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
		<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		·	
<ul> <li>276 Total number of responses</li> <li>170 Number of emergency responses</li> <li>106 Number of non-emergency responses</li> </ul>			170 5 165	Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerge	transports	
		<u>Air /</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses ctory			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerge	transports	

Reporting Year:	2023	Deenenee	/Transportation/Dravi	dava		
	Note: Table 8 is to be	-	/Transportation/Provi		eded	
County: _Tulare	Note: Table 6 to to 50	•	Visalia City Fire Depa			: City of Visalia
Address: 309 S Joh	nson		Number of Ambulance	e Vehicles in Fleet:	0	
Visalia, C. Phone Number: 559-734-8			Average Number of A At 12:00 p.m. (noon)		0	
Written Contract:	Medical Director:	System	Available 24 Hours:	<u> </u>	Level of Se	ervice:
X Yes □ No	X Yes □ No	X Yes	□ No	☐ Transport X Non-Transport	X ALS  BLS  LALS	X 9-1-1 X Ground ☐ 7-Digit ☐ Air ☐ CCT ☐ Water ☐ IFT
				1	1	
Ownership:	If Public:	<u>If</u>	Public:	<u>lf Air:</u>		Air Classification:
X Public □ Private	X Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:	X City State Federa	☐ County☐ Fire District	☐ Rotary ☐ Fixed Wing		<ul><li>☐ Auxiliary Rescue</li><li>☐ Air Ambulance</li><li>☐ ALS Rescue</li><li>☐ BLS Rescue</li></ul>
First Responder / Non-Trans	port	<u>Tra</u>	nsporting Agencies		·	
8,700 Number of er	r of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emerg	/ transports	
		<u>Air /</u>	Ambulance Services			
Number of er	of responses mergency responses on-emergency responses			Total number of transp Number of emergency Number of non-emergency	/ transports	

**TABLE 9: Resource Directory - Facilities** 

Facilities							
Reporting Po	eriod: 2023	3					
County:	Fresno Co	<u>ounty</u>					
Facility:	Adventist	Health – R	Reedley Teleph	none Number: (559) 638-8155			
Address:	372 W Cy	press Ave,	Reedley, CA 93654				
Written Contract: Service:					Base Hospital:	Burn Center:	
□ Yes	⊠ No		Referral Emergency Basic Emergency	<ul><li>☑ Standby Emergency</li><li>☐ Comprehensive Emergence</li></ul>	y ☐ Yes ⊠ No	□ Yes ⊠ No	
Pediatric C	ritical Car	e Center <sup>1</sup>	☐ Yes ⊠ No	Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center -	- What Level:	
EDAP <sup>2</sup>	EDAP <sup>2</sup>		☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Level I ☐ Level II		
PICU <sup>3</sup>	$\mathrm{CU}^3$		□ Yes ⊠ No	165 2 100	☐ Level III ☐	Level IV	
STE	EMI Center	<u>r:</u>	Stroke Center:				
	Yes ⊠ N	lo	□ Yes ⊠ No				
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Meets EMSA Pediatric Critical Care Center (PCCC) Standards
 Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

Reporting Po	eriod: 2023		<u>Fac</u>	<u>cilities</u>			
County:	Fresno County						
Facility: Address:		ch Center – Selma , Selma, CA 93662	Telephone N	umber: (559) 891-1000			
Written Co	ontract:		Service:		Base Hospital:	Burn Center:	
□ Yes	⊠ No	<ul><li>□ Referral Emergency</li><li>□ Basic Emergency</li></ul>		Standby Emergency Comprehensive Emergen	cy ☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	
				1			
Pediatric C	ritical Care Cen	ter <sup>4</sup> □ Yes ⊠	No	Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center	- What Level:	
EDAP <sup>5</sup>		□ Yes ⊠	□ Yes ⊠ No □ Yes ⊠ No		☐ Level II ☐ Level IV		
PICU <sup>6</sup>	CU <sup>6</sup> □ Yes ⊠ No		No	_ 1 <b>0</b> 5 _ 1,0			
STF	EMI Center:	Stroke Cen	nter:				
	Yes ⊠ No	□ Yes ⊠	I No				

Meets EMSA Pediatric Critical Care Center (PCCC) Standards
 Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

Reporting Pe	eriod: 202	23		<u></u>			
County:	Fresno C	County					
Facility: Address:		•	Medical Center Te	elephone l	Number: (559) 324-4000	<u>)</u>	
Written Co	ontract:			vice:		Base Hospital:	Burn Center:
⊠ Yes	□ No		Referral Emergency Basic Emergency		, ,	ncy ☐ Yes ☒ No	□ Yes ⊠ No
Pediatric Co	ritical Ca	re Center <sup>7</sup>	☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Yes ☒ No		Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center	– What Level: Level II
PICU <sup>9</sup>			☐ Yes ⊠ No		☐ Yes ⊠ No		Level IV
	EMI Cente		Stroke Center:  ☐ Yes ☑ No				

Meets EMSA Pediatric Critical Care Center (PCCC) Standards
 Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

Reporting Pe	riod: 202	.3							
County:	Fresno C	<u>ounty</u>							
Facility: Address:			Medical Center Tel	lephone l	Number: (559) 935-6400	<u>l</u>			
Written Co	ntract:		Serv	vice:		Bas	e Hospital:	Burn C	<u>'enter</u> :
□ Yes □	⊠ No		Referral Emergency Basic Emergency		Standby Emergency  Comprehensive Emergen	ley \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	es ⊠ No	☐ Yes	⊠ No
Pediatric Cr	ritical Car	e Center <sup>10</sup>	☐ Yes ⊠ No		Trauma Center:	If Tr	auma Center	– What Lev	
EDAP <sup>11</sup>			□ Yes ⊠ No		☐ Yes ⊠ No		☐ Level I ☐ Level II		
PICU <sup>12</sup>		☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No		<del></del>	☐ Level III ☐ Level IV			
	MI Cente		Stroke Center:  ☐ Yes ⊠ No						

Meets EMSA *Pediatric Critical Care Center (PCCC) Standards* Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

Reporting Pe	riod: 2023	-	<u></u>		
County:	Fresno County				
Facility: Address:	Community Regiona 2823 Fresno Street, I		ephone Number: (559) 459-	<u>6000</u>	
Written Co		Service:	1 G. 11 F	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:
⊠ Yes [		Referral Emergency  Basic Emergency	Standby Emergency Comprehensive Emergency	⊠ Yes □ No	⊠ Yes □ No
Padiatria Cr	ritical Care Center <sup>13</sup>	□ Yes ⊠ No	Tuanina Cantain	If Tuesday Conton	What I aval.
EDAP <sup>14</sup>	iticai Care Centei	☐ Yes ⊠ No	Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center -	
PICU <sup>15</sup>		⊠ Yes □ No	⊠ Yes □ No		Level II Level IV
STE	MI Center:	Stroke Center:			
⊠ Y	es □ No	⊠ Yes □ No			

Meets EMSA *Pediatric Critical Care Center (PCCC) Standards* Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

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Reporting Period: 2023						
County:	Fresno County					
Facility: Kaiser Permanente – Fresno Telephone Number: (559) 448-4500  Address: 7300 N Fresno Street, Fresno, CA 93720						
Written Co		Service:	Cton they Engage	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:	
☐ Yes	⊠ No ⊠	2 ,	<ul><li>Standby Emergency</li><li>Comprehensive Emergency</li></ul>	√	□ Yes ⊠ No	
<b>Pediatric Critical Care Center</b> <sup>16</sup>		6 □ Yes ⊠ No	Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center – What Level:		
EDAP <sup>17</sup>		□ Yes ⊠ No	□ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Level II ☐ Level II ☐ Level IV		
PICU <sup>18</sup>		☐ Yes ☒ No				
STEMI Center:		Stroke Center:				
□ Yes ⊠ No		⊠ Yes □ No				

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Reporting Po	eriod: 2023	3					
County:	Fresno Co	ounty					
Facility: Address:		Medical Co	enter Tele	ephone N	umber: (559) 450-3000	<u>)</u>	
Written Co	ontract:		Servi			Base Hospital:	Burn Center:
☐ Yes	⊠ No		Referral Emergency Basic Emergency		Standby Emergency Comprehensive Emergen	cy ⊠ Yes □ No	□ Yes ⊠ No
Pediatric C	ritical Car	e Center <sup>19</sup>	☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Yes ☒ No		Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center	
PICU <sup>21</sup>			☐ Yes ☒ No		□ Yes ⊠ No		Level IV Level IV
STE	EMI Center		Stroke Center:  ⊠ Yes □ No		, l		

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 Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

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County:	Fresno County						
Facility: Veterans Administration Hospital Telephone Number: (559) 225-6100  Address: 2615 E Clinton Ave, Fresno, CA 93703							
Written C	ontract:	<u>s</u>	ervice:		Base Hospital:	Burn Center:	
☐ Yes	⊠ No	☐ Referral Emergency ☐ Basic Emergency		Standby Emergency Comprehensive Emerger	ncy ☐ Yes ☒ No	□ Yes ⊠ No	
Pediatric Critical Care Center <sup>22</sup> ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Trauma Center: ☐ If Trauma Center — What Level:							
EDAP <sup>23</sup>	Tuicai Ca	re Center <sup>22</sup> □ Yes ⊠ N □ Yes ⊠ N		Trauma Center:  ☐ Yes ☒ No	If Trauma Center  ☐ Level I ☐	- What Level: Level II	

STEMI Center:	Stroke Center:
□ Yes ⊠ No	□ Yes ⊠ No

☐ Yes ☒ No

PICU<sup>24</sup>

☐ Level III ☐ Level IV

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 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

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Reporting Po	eriod: 2023		<u>r acmues</u>		
County:	Fresno County				
Facility: Address:	•	isis Stabilization Center nyon Road, Fresno, CA 93702	Telephone Number:	<u>(559) 600-4099</u>	
Written Co		<i>U</i> ,	☐ Standby Emergency	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:
☐ Yes		☐ Basic Emergency  ☑ Alternate Destination	☐ Comprehensive Emerger	ncy ☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☒ No
EDAP <sup>26</sup>	ritical Care Cente	□ Yes ⊠ No	Trauma Center:  ☐ Yes 🖾 No		Level II
PICU <sup>27</sup>	EMI Center:	☐ Yes ☒ No  Stroke Center:		☐ Level III ☐	Level IV
	Yes ⊠ No	□ Yes ⊠ No			

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 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

Reporting Po	eriod: 2023	·					
County:	Kings County						
Facility: Address:	Adventist Health  115 Mall Drive, H	- Hanford Telephone anford, CA 93230	e Number: (559) 582-9000				
Written Contract: Service:				Base Hospital:	Burn Center:		
☐ Yes		<i>S</i> ,	<ul><li>☐ Standby Emergency</li><li>☐ Comprehensive Emergence</li></ul>	cy ⊠ Yes □ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No		
Pediatric C	ritical Care Cente	28 ☐ Yes ☒ No	<u>Trauma Center</u> :	If Trauma Center	- What Level:		
EDAP <sup>29</sup>		☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Level I ☐	☐ Level I ☐ Level II		
PICU <sup>30</sup>		☐ Yes   ⊠ No		☐ Level III ☐	Level IV		
STE	EMI Center:	Stroke Center:					
	Yes ⊠ No	⊠ Yes □ No					

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Reporting Period:	Reporting Period: 2022							
County: Mad	lera County							
-	ey Children's H ) Valley Childre	ospital Telephone Numbe	er: (559) 353-3000					
Written Contrac		Service:	l Ctan iller Emanager	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:			
⊠ Yes □ No □		Referral Emergency □ Basic Emergency □	Standby Emergency Comprehensive Emergenc	y ⊠ Yes □ No	□ Yes ⊠ No			
			T					
Pediatric Critical	l Care Center <sup>31</sup>	⊠ Yes □ No	<u>Trauma Center</u> :	<u> If Trauma Center -</u>	- What Level:			
EDAP <sup>32</sup>		⊠ Yes □ No	⊠ Yes □ No	☐ Level I	Level II Pediatric			
PICU <sup>33</sup>		⊠ Yes □ No			Level IV			
STEMI C	Center:  ☑ No	Stroke Center:  ☐ Yes ⊠ No						
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 Meets EMSA Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics (EDAP) Standards
 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

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Reporting Po	Reporting Period: 2023							
County:	Madera C	<u>County</u>	CLOSED IN JANUARY	<mark>/ 2023</mark>				
Facility: Address:	Facility: Madera Community Hospital Telephone Number: (559) 675-5555							
Written Co	ontract:		Service:	Ct. Il. F.	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:		
			Referral Emergency  Basic Emergency  Comprehensive Emergency		y ☐ Yes ☒ No	□ Yes ⊠ No		
		24	_					
Pediatric C	critical Car	e Center <sup>34</sup>	☐ Yes ☒ No	<u>Trauma Center</u> :	<u> If Trauma Center -</u>	- What Level:		
EDAP <sup>35</sup>			☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Level I ☐ Level II			
PICU <sup>36</sup>			☐ Yes ⊠ No		☐ Level III ☐ Level IV			
STI	EMI Cente	<u>r:</u>	Stroke Center:					
	Yes ⊠ N	No	□ Yes ⊠ No					

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 Meets California Children Services (CCS) Pediatric Intensive Care Unit (PICU) Standards

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Reporting Pe	eriod: 2023	-	<u>uemues</u>		
County:	Tulare County				
Facility: Address:	Kaweah Health Med 400 W Mineral King	ical Center Tele  Ave., Visalia, CA 93291	ephone Number: (559) 624	<u>4-2000</u>	
Written Co		Service:	7	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:
⊠ Yes		Referral Emergency □ Basic Emergency □	<ul><li>Standby Emergency</li><li>Comprehensive Emergency</li></ul>	y ⊠ Yes □ No	□ Yes ⊠ No
Pediatric Cr	ritical Care Center <sup>37</sup>	□ Yes ⊠ No	Trauma Center:	If Trauma Center -	- What Level:
EDAP <sup>38</sup> PICU <sup>39</sup>		☐ Yes ☒ No ☒ Yes ☐ No	⊠ Yes □ No		Level II Level IV
STE	CMI Center:	Stroke Center:	]		
× Y	Yes □ No	⊠ Yes □ No			

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Reporting Po	eriod: 202	2.3										
County:	<u>Tulare County</u>											
Facility:	Sierra Vi	ew Medical	Center T	elephone Nur	<b>nber:</b> (559) 784-1110							
Address:	465 W P	utnum Ave,	Porterville, CA 9	<u>3257</u>								
Written Co	ontract:			Service:		Base H	ospital:	Burn C	<u>'enter</u> :			
			Referral Emergen	cy	☐ Standby Emergency							
			Basic Emergency		☐ Comprehensive Emerger	ncy   Yes	□ No	☐ Yes	⊠ No			
Pediatric C	ritical Car	re Center <sup>40</sup>	□ Yes	⊠ No	Trauma Center:	<u>If Trau</u>	na Center -	- What Leve	<u>el</u> :			
EDAP <sup>41</sup>			□ Yes	⊠ No		☐ Lev	vel I 🗆	Level II				
PICU <sup>42</sup>			☐ Yes	⊠ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No	☐ Lev		Level IV				
STE	EMI Cente	<u>er:</u>	Stroke (	<u>Center</u> :								
	Yes 🗵 1	No	⊠ Yes	□ No								

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Reporting Pe	eriod: 2023						
County:	Tulare County						
Facility:	Adventist Health - T	ulare Telephor	ne Number: (559) 688-0821				
Address:	869 N Cherry, Tular	e, CA. 93274					
Written Co		Service: Referral Emergency	☐ Standby Emergency	Base Hospital:	Burn Center:		
☐ Yes		Basic Emergency	<ul><li>☐ Standby Emergency</li><li>☐ Comprehensive Emergence</li></ul>	cy 🛮 🖾 Yes 🗀 No	□ Yes ⊠ No		
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Pediatric C	ritical Care Center <sup>43</sup>	☐ Yes ☒ No	<u>Trauma Center</u> :	<u> If Trauma Center -</u>	If Trauma Center – What Level:		
EDAP <sup>44</sup>		☐ Yes ☒ No	☐ Yes ⊠ No	□ Level I □	Level II		
PICU <sup>45</sup>		☐ Yes ⊠ No	□ Tes ⊠ No		Level IV		
STE	CMI Center:	Stroke Center:					
	Yes ⊠ No	□ Yes ⊠ No					

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# **TABLE 10: Resource Directory - Training Programs**

County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Institution: Address:	2750 N	Medic/Reedley Volunteer Fire Dept N Clovis Ave #105 D, CA 93727	Telephone Number: <u>559-456-6006</u>
Student		**Program Level EMT	
Eligibility*: General F	Public	Cost of Program:	
		Basic: \$1595 Number of students completing training per year Refresher: Refresher: Continuing Education: Expiration Date: Number of courses: Initial training: Refresher: Continuing Education:	1/31/28 3 1

Training Institution: Address:		can Ambulan E Tulare Ave	ce/ Fresno	o County Public Health	Telephone Number:	559-443-5900
Address.		o, CA 93721			-	
Student	116311	D, OA 33721		**Program Level _EMT	-	
Eligibility*: General I	Public	Cost of Prog	ıram:			
		Basic:	Apply	<ul> <li>Number of students completing training per y</li> </ul>	ear:	
		Refresher:		_ Initial training:		_
				Refresher:		_
				Continuing Education:		
				Expiration Date:	9/30/25	
				Number of courses:		-
				Initial training:	2	
				Refresher:		-
				Continuing Education:		-
				•		-

<sup>\*</sup>Open to general public or restricted to certain personnel only.

\*\* Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Institution: Address:		Fresno E San Ramon	Ave			Telephone Number:	559-278-4014
	Fresn	o, CA 93740					
Student Eligibility*: Genera		Cost of Progra	am:	**Program Level	EMT		
		_	n/a	Number of studer Initial trainin Refresher: Continuing E Expiration D Number of course Initial trainin Refresher: Continuing E	Education: pate: es: g:	ar:6/30/221	EXPIRED Currently under review by EMS
Training Institution	From	a County Dant	of Dubl	io I Ioolth		Talanhana Numbari	FEO 600 2207
Training Institution:		o County Dept	oi Pubi	ic nealth		Telephone Number:	559-600-3387
Address:		Fulton Street					
	Fresn	o, CA 93721		**D			
Student	l Duklia	Ctf D		**Program Level	<u>Paramedic</u>		
Eligibility*: Genera	Public	Cost of Progra Basic: Refresher:	\$8,863 n/a	Number of students Initial training: Refresher: Continuing Ed	s completing training per year: ucation:		
				Expiration Dat		1/31/20	26
				Number of courses	:		
				Initial training:		2	

Continuing Education:

Refresher:

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Institution Address:	tution:	2930 E	City College Annadale , CA 93706			Telephone Num	nber:	<u>559-26</u> 5-5776
Student	•				**Program Level <u>EMT</u>			
Eligibility*:	General P	ublic	Cost of Progr	ram:				
			Basic:	\$46/Unit	Number of students completing training per ye	ar:		
			Refresher:	n/a	Initial training:			
					Refresher:			
					Continuing Education:			EXPIRED
					Expiration Date:	6/3	30/22	Currently under
					Number of courses:			review by EMS
					Initial training:	2		
					Refresher:			
					Continuing Education:			
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Training Institution: Address:	Sequoia Safety Counc 500 Center Street Orange Cove, CA 936		Telephone Number: <u>559-638-9995</u>
Student		**Program Level EMT	
Eligibility*: Employee	es Cost of Program	n:	
		Number of students completing training per year:	
	Refresher: \$	150 Initial training: Refresher: Continuing Education:	
		Expiration Date:	7/31/26
		Number of courses:	
		Initial training:	1
		Refresher:	1
		Continuing Education:	

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\*\* Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Institutio	n: <u>H</u>	ume Lake Fire De	partment		Telephone Number:	559-335-2000
Address:	64	4144 Hume Lake F	Road		,	
	H	ume, CA 93628				
Student				**Program Level EMT		
Eligibility*: Gene	eral Pub	lic Cost of Progr	ram:	<del></del>		
		Basic:	\$150	Number of students completing training per year	<del>.</del>	
		Refresher:	n/a	Initial training:		
				Refresher:		
				Continuing Education:		
				Expiration Date:	11/30/25	
				Number of courses:		
				Initial training:	1	
				Refresher:	2	
				Continuing Education:		
				•		

Training Ins	titution:	Nation	al University			Telephone Number:	559-256-4982
Address:		20 Riv	er Park Place	e Avenue			
		Fresno	o, CA 93711				
Student					**Program Level EMT		
Eligibility*:	General F	⊃ublic	Cost of Prog	ram:			
			Basic:	\$150	Number of students completing training per year	r:	
			Refresher:	n/a	Initial training:		
					Refresher:		_
					Continuing Education:		_
					Expiration Date:	5/31/25	_
					Number of courses:		_
					Initial training:	1	
					Refresher:		_
					Continuing Education:		_
					-		<del>_</del>

<sup>\*</sup>Open to general public or restricted to certain personnel only.

\*\* Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Ins Address:	stitution:	Roosevelt Emerger 4250 E Tulare Aver Fresno, CA 93702	nue	cal Training	Telephone Number:	559-253-5200
Student		·		**Program Level EMT		
Eligibility*:	Students	Cost of Prog	ram:			
		Basic:	n/a	Number of students completing training per year	 -	
		Refresher:	n/a	Initial training:		
				Refresher:		_
				Continuing Education:		_
				Expiration Date:	10/31/27	_
				Number of courses:		_
				Initial training:	2	
				Refresher:		_
				Continuing Education:		<del>-</del> -

County: Kings County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Institution: Address: Student	West Hills College 555 College Ave Lemoore, CA 93	**Program Level <u>EM</u> 7	Telephone Number:	559-925-3759
Eligibility*: General F	Public Cost of Pr Basic: Refresher		8/31/27 1 1	
Training Institution: Address:	West Hills College 555 College Ave Lemoore, CA 93	15	Telephone Number:	559-925-3759
Student Eligibility*: <u>General F</u>		**Program Level <u>Para</u> gram:	8/31/27 1 1	

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\*\* Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

County: Kings County Reporting Year: 2023

Training Ins	titution:	Lemod	re Vol Fire D	ept		Telephone Numbe	r: 559-924-6797
Address:		210 Fox Street				•	
		Lemoc	re, CA 9324	.5			
Student		-	•		**Program Level EMT		
Eligibility*:	Fire Person	onnel	Cost of Prog	ıram:			
			Basic:		Number of students completing training per year	ar:	
			Refresher:	\$	Initial training:		
					Refresher:		
					Continuing Education:		
					Expiration Date:	_11/30	/26
					Number of courses:		
					Initial training:	_1	
					Refresher:	<u>1</u>	
					Continuing Education:		

<sup>\*</sup>Open to general public or restricted to certain personnel only.

\*\* Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

County: Madera County Reporting Year: 2023

Telephone Number: 559-658-1052 Training Institution: Minarets Adult Education Address: 33144 Road 233 North Fork, CA 93643 Student \*\*Program Level **EMT** Eligibility\*: Cost of Program: General Public \$500 Number of students completing training per year: Basic: Refresher: \$150 Initial training: Refresher: Continuing Education: **Expiration Date:** 6/28/25 Number of courses: Initial training: Refresher: Continuing Education:

<sup>\*</sup>Open to general public or restricted to certain personnel only.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

Reporting Year: 2023 County: Tulare County

Training Ins	stitution:	American EMT Academy				Telephone Num	ber:	800-477-6193
Address:		2313 E Tulare Ave						
		Tulare,	, CA 93274			-		
Student		,			**Program Level EMT	-		
Eligibility*:	General F	Public	Cost of Prog	ram:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
			Basic:	\$	Number of students completing training per ye	ear:		
			Refresher:	\$	Initial training:			
					Refresher:			
					Continuing Education:			-
					Expiration Date:	6/2	28/25	
					Number of courses:			-
					Initial training:	2		
					Refresher:	2		-
					Continuing Education:			•
					-			-

Training Institution:	Porterville College Te	lephone Number: 559-791-2321
Address:	900 S Main Street	
	Porterville, CA 93257	
Student	**Program Level EMT	
Eligibility*: General F	ublic Cost of Program:	
	Basic: \$46/unit Number of students completing training per year:	
	Refresher: \$46/unit Initial training:	
	Refresher:	
	Continuing Education:	
	Expiration Date:	11/30/27
	Number of courses:	
	Initial training:	2
	Refresher:	2
	Continuing Education:	

<sup>\*</sup>Open to general public or restricted to certain personnel only.

\*\* Indicate whether EMT, A-EMT, EMT-P, or MICN; if there is a training program that offers more than one level complete all information for each level.

**TABLE 11: Resource Directory - Dispatch Agency** 

County: Fresno County Reporting Year: 2023 Fresno County EMS Communications Center Primary Contact: Daniel Lynch Name: Address: 555 N Halifax Ave Regional Dispatch Center Clovis, CA 93612 559-600-7838 For Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties Telephone Number: Written Contract: ■ Day-to-Day Number of Personnel Providing Services: Medical Director: ☑ Disaster Yes □ No ➤ Yes □ No 80 EMD Training EMT-D **ALS BLS LALS** Other Ownership: If Public: □ Private □ Fire If Public: ☐ City ☑ County ☐ State ☐ Fire District ☐ □ Law Federal ✓ Other Explain: Health Reporting Year: 2023 **County:** Kings County Fresno County EMS Communications Center Primary Contact: Daniel Lynch Name: 555 N Halifax Ave Address: Clovis, CA 93612 Regional Dispatch Center For Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties Telephone Number: 559-600-7838 Written Contract: ☑ Day-to-Day Number of Personnel Providing Services: Medical Director: Yes □ No Disaster 80 EMD Training **ALS** ➤ Yes □ No EMT-D **BLS** LALS Other Ownership: If Public: ☑ Public □ Private ☐ Fire If Public: ☐ City ☑ County ☐ State ☐ Fire District ☐ □ Law Federal Other Explain: Health

# TABLE 11: RESOURCES DIRECTORY -- Dispatch Agency

**County:** Madera County Reporting Year: 2023 Name: Fresno County EMS Communications Center Primary Contact: Daniel Lynch 555 N Halifax Ave Address: Clovis, CA 93612 Regional Dispatch Center For Fresno, Kings and Madera Counties Telephone Number: 559-600-7838 Written Contract: Medical Director: ■ Day-to-Day Number of Personnel Providing Services: ▼ Yes □ No ➤ Yes □ No Disaster 80 EMD Training ALS **BLS** LALS Other Ownership: If Public: If Public: ☐ City ☒ County ☐ State ☐ Fire District ☐ □ Private ☐ Fire □ Law Federal ✓ Other Explain: Health **County:** Tulare County Reporting Year: 2023 Tulare County Consolidated Dispatch Center Primary Contact: Jennifer Bowman Name: 125 North N Street Address: Tulare, CA 93274 Telephone Number: 559-687-3314 Medical Director: ■ Day-to-Day Number of Personnel Providing Services: Written Contract: 16 EMD Training \_\_\_\_\_ Yes □ No ➤ Yes □ No Disaster EMT-D BLS LALS Other If Public: Ownership: ☐ Public ☒ Private If Public: ☐ City ☐ County ☐ State ☐ Fire District ☐ Federal ☐ Fire □ Law □ Other Explain:

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: The Fresno County Exclusive Operating Area

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance

### Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

The Fresno County Exclusive Operating Area includes the northern portion of the County. It currently includes all or portions of the cities of Fresno, Clovis, Firebaugh, Mendota, and San Joaquin. The only areas of Fresno County not currently included as part of the exclusive operating area are Coalinga/Huron Service Area (Zone C), Selma/Fowler Service Area (Zone G), Sanger/Pine Flat Reservoir Service Area (Zone I), Reedley/Orange Cove/Parlier Service Area (Zone J), and Kingsburg Service Area (Zone K).

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) – Exclusive

Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code allows the EMS Agency, upon the recommendation of the County, to restrict operations to one or more emergency ambulance services or providers of limited advanced life support or advanced life support within a specific geographic area. The procurement restricts operations within the Fresno County exclusive operating area to a single emergency ground ambulance service and advanced life support (paramedic) ground ambulance service.

## Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Type: Emergency Ambulance

<u>Level</u>: 9-1-1 and 7-digit response, ALS Ambulance, Critical Care Transport, ALS Interfacility Transports, and Stand-by services with transport authorization

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service. description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Since 1984, the Fresno County Exclusive Operating Area has been awarded through multiple consecutive competitive procurement processes. The original procurement process included a competitive bid process in 1984 which awarded a three year contract. A second competitive procurement process was initiated in 1986 which awarded a five year contract with an additional 4 year extension to the provider. A third competitive bid process in 1997 was also implemented and ended on December 2007. After a competitive bid process in 2007, a five-year contract was awarded and implemented on January 1, 2008 that included one optional five-year extension. In 2017 a competitive bid process was completed and an new exclusive ambulance agreement was implemented on January 1, 2018. The exclusive agreement included the option for a 5-year extension, which was approved by the Fresno County Board of Supervisors. The agreement will expire on 12/31/2027. Prior to each procurement process, all request for proposals were submitted and approved by the State EMS Authority.

### **EMS PLAN**

### AMBULANCE ZONE SUMMARY FORM

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Fresno County – Ambulance Zone C (Non-Exclusive Operating

Area

Name of Current Provider(s): Coalinga City Fire Department

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Fresno County Ambulance Zone C is located in southwestern Fresno County and includes the Cities of Coalinga and Huron, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these cities. It borders the County of Kings on the south and east, the Counties of San Luis Obispo and Monterey on the west, and the Fresno County Exclusive Operating area on the north.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone C is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Fresno County Ambulance Zone C is a non-exclusive operating area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone C is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Fresno County – Ambulance Zone G (Non-Exclusive Operating

Area)

Name of Current Provider(s): Selma City Fire Department

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Fresno County Ambulance Zone G is located in central Fresno County and includes the Cities of Selma and Fowler and the western portion of the City of Parlier. It also includes the unincorporated areas surrounding these cities. It borders Ambulance Zone K on the south, the Reedley Exclusive Operating Area on the east, and the Fresno County Exclusive Operating area on the north.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone G is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Fresno County Ambulance Zone G is a non-exclusive operating area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone G is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Fresno County - Ambulance Zone I (Non-Exclusive Operating

Area)

Name of Current Provider(s): Sanger City Fire Department / Sequoia Safety Council

### Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Fresno County Ambulance Zone I is located in central Fresno County and includes the Cities of Sanger, the communities of Del Rey, Centerville and Minkler, and includes the unincorporated areas surrounding these areas. It borders Ambulance Zone G and the Reedley Exclusive Operating Area on the South, and the Fresno County Exclusive Operating area on the north, west and east.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone I is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Fresno County Ambulance Zone I is a non-exclusive operating area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone I is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Fresno County - Reedley Exclusive Operating Area

(Ambulance Zone J)

Name of Current Provider(s): Sequoia Safety Council

## Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

The Reedley Exclusive Operating Area is located in southeastern Fresno County and includes the Cities of Reedley, Orange Cove, the eastern portion of the City of Parlier, and the communities of Squaw Valley, Dunlap, Miramonte, and Pinehurst. It borders the County of Tulare on the South, Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks on the east, Fresno County Ambulance Zone G (non-exclusive) on the west, and Fresno County Ambulance Zone I (non-exclusive) on the north.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) - Exclusive

Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code allows the EMS Agency, upon the recommendation of the County, to restrict operations to one or more emergency ambulance services or providers of limited advanced life support or advanced life support within a specific geographic area. The designation restricts operations within the Reedley Exclusive Operating Area to a single emergency ground ambulance service. By creating the Reedley EOA in Fresno County, it is the intent of the Local EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Fresno County Board of Supervisors, to sustain the current level of medical standards and performance.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Type: Emergency Ambulance

Level: 9-1-1 and 7-digit response, Stand-by Service with Transport Authorization

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>Competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Fresno County Board of Supervisors, has developed and implemented a local plan that continues the use of existing providers operating within the local EMS area in the manner and scope in which the services have been provided without interruption since January 1, 1981.

Sequoia Safety Council is a non-profit community owned service, which was established in 1953. Sequoia Safety Council has operated in the geographical area of the Reedley EOA since that time without interruption. In 1986, Sequoia Safety Council evolved to Limited Advanced Life Support (EMT-II) and then to Advanced Life Support (Paramedic) in 1987. Since 1953, Sequoia Safety Council has been the only ambulance service providing primary emergency ambulance services within the geographical area of the Reedley EOA in Fresno County. On occasion, other ambulance providers respond into the Sequoia Safety Council's response area when needed for mutual aid assistance. There has been no change in the ownership of Sequoia Safety Council, nor has the geographical area of their service area changed.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Fresno County – Ambulance Zone K (Non-Exclusive Operating

Area)

Name of Current Provider(s): Kingsburg City Fire Department

## Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Fresno County Ambulance Zone K is located in south Fresno County and includes the Cities of Kingsburg and the unincorporated areas surrounding this area. It borders Ambulance Zone G on the north, the County of Tulare on the South, and the Fresno County Exclusive Operating area on the north and west.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone K is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Fresno County Ambulance Zone K is a non-exclusive operating area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone K is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Fresno County – Ambulance Zone N - ELIMINATED

**Name of Current Provider(s):** This Ambulance Zone was eliminated on January 1, 2018 and

was included the Fresno EOA and the competitive bid process

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Fresno County Ambulance Zone N is located in north-central Fresno County and includes the Cities of Kerman, the communities of Biola and Rolinda. This area includes the unincorporated areas surrounding this area, which includes the county islands in the north west area of the City of Fresno. It is bordered by the County of Madera on the north and the Fresno County Exclusive Operating area on the south, east, and west. The border is the boundary of the North Central Fire Protection District. The eastern border of this ambulance zone changes as the City of Fresno annexes areas of Ambulance Zone N. When that occurs, the annexed portion is automatically included in the Fresno County Exclusive Operating Area.

## Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone N is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Fresno County Ambulance Zone N was eliminated.

## Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Fresno County Ambulance Zone N is a non-exclusive operating area. Fresno County Ambulance Zone N was included in the competitive bid process for the Fresno County Exclusive Operating Area and will be added to the Area effective January 1, 2018.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: The Kings County Exclusive Operating Area

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance

**Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:** The Kings County Exclusive Operating Area includes the entire County of Kings excluding the Riverdale Service Area (Zone 01), Kingsburg Service Area (Zone 03), and the Lemoore Naval Air Station Service Area (Zone 04).

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) - Exclusive

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code allows the EMS Agency, upon the recommendation of the County, to restrict operations to one or more emergency ambulance services or providers of limited advanced life support or advanced life support within a specific geographic area. The procurement restricts operations within the exclusive operating area to a single ground emergency ambulance service and ground advanced life support service.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Type: Emergency Ambulance

<u>Level</u>: 9-1-1 and 7-digit response, ALS Ambulance, ALS IFT, stand-by services with transport authorization.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service. Description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Since 1995, the Kings County Exclusive Operating Area has been awarded through multiple consecutive competitive procurement processes. The original procurement process included a competitive bid process in 1995 which awarded a five year contract. A competitive process has been used in 2000 and 2010. The most recent agreement expired on October 31, 2020. A new competitive bid process was conducted in 2020 and the RFP was submitted and approved by the State EMS Authority as an amendment to the EMS plan. American Ambulance was chosen to continue as the exclusive provider under a new 5 year agreement beginning November 1, 2020 through October 31, 2025. The exclusive agreement also contains an option for one 5-year extension upon approval by the EMS Agency and County.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Kings County Ambulance Zone 01

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance

**Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:** The Kings County Ambulance Zone 01 is located on the northern border of Kings County, immediately adjacent to the Fresno County community of Riverdale. This area is Bordered on the south by the Kings River, which allows quicker response times from Fresno County. It contains only a rural area of Kings County and does not include any incorporated areas.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Kings County Ambulance Zone 1 is a **non-exclusive** area.

### Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Kings County Ambulance Zone 1 is a non-exclusive area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service. Description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Kings County Ambulance Zone 1 is a non-exclusive area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Kings County Ambulance Zone 03

Kingsburg City Fire Department Name of Current Provider(s):

**Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:** The Kings County Ambulance Zone 03 is located on the north-eastern border of Kings County and Fresno County, which is immediately adjacent to the City of Kingsburg in Fresno County. This area is bordered on the south by the Kings County EOA Zone 09 and 02, Tulare County on the East, and Fresno County on the west and north. The area contains a rural/unincorporated area of Kings County.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Kings County Ambulance Zone 3 is a **non-exclusive** area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Kings County Ambulance Zone 3 is a non-exclusive area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service. Description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Kings County Ambulance Zone 3 is a non-exclusive area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Kings County Ambulance Zone 04

Name of Current Provider(s): United States - Naval Air Station-Lemoore

**Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:** The Kings County Ambulance Zone 04 is the geographical area and jurisdiction of the federal government installation – Naval Air Station –Lemoore. It is bordered by the Kings County EOA on the north, east and south, and is bordered by Fresno County on the west.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Kings County Ambulance Zone 4 is operated by the federal government and Naval Air Station – Lemoore

### Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Kings County Ambulance Zone 4 is operated by the federal government and Naval Air Station - Lemoore

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service. Description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Kings County Ambulance Zone 4 is operated by the federal government and Naval Air Station - Lemoore

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Madera County – Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone

Name of Current Provider(s): Pistoresi Ambulance Service, Inc.

## Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

The Madera County - Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone is located in the northwestern Madera County and includes the City of Chowchilla, the communities of Fairmead, Dairyland, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these communities. It borders the Madera Area Zone on the south, the County of Merced on the west, and the Madera County Mountain Exclusive Operating area on the north.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

The Madera County – Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone is **non-exclusive** operating area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

The Madera County – Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone is non-exclusive operating area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The Madera County – Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone is non-exclusive operating area.

### **NOTE:**

This document was corrected in 2009. The previously submitted documents incorrectly and inaccurately included the Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone and the Madera Area Ambulance Zone into one response area serviced by Pistoresi Ambulance. In fact, there are two separate and distinct ambulance zones which are each served by separate entities. The Chowchilla Area is served by Pistoresi Ambulance Service Inc. and the Madera Area is served by Pistoresi Ambulance Service of Madera, Inc.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Madera County – Madera Area Ambulance Zone

Name of Current Provider(s): Pistoresi Ambulance Service of Madera, Inc.

## Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Madera County – Madera Area is located in the southwestern Madera County and includes the City of Madera and the communities of Madera/Bonadelle Ranchos, Rolling Hills, Eastside Acres, Raymond, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these communities. It borders the County of Fresno on the south and east, the Madera County – Chowchilla Area on the North, and the Madera County Mountain Exclusive Operating area on the northeast.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Madera County – Madera Area Ambulance Zone is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Madera County – Madera Area Ambulance Zone is a non-exclusive operating area.

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Madera County – Madera Area Ambulance Zone is a non-exclusive operating area.

### **NOTE:**

This document was corrected in 2009. The previously submitted documents incorrectly and inaccurately included the Chowchilla Area Ambulance Zone and the Madera Area Ambulance Zone into one response area serviced by Pistoresi Ambulance. In fact, there are two separate and distinct ambulance zones or areas which are each served by separate entities. The Chowchilla Area is served by Pistoresi Ambulance Service Inc. and the Madera Area is served by Pistoresi Ambulance Service of Madera, Inc.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: The Madera County Mountain Exclusive Operating Area

Name of Current Provider(s): Sierra Ambulance Service, Inc

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

The Madera County Mountain Exclusive Operating Area includes the north-eastern portion of Madera County. It includes the communities of Oakhurst, Ahwahnee, Coarsegold, North Fork, Bass Lake, and O'Neals. It borders the Counties of Mariposa on the northwest, Mono on the northeast, and Fresno on the east. The southern border of the Mountain EOA is adjacent to the south-western area of Madera County, which is a non-exclusive response area.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) - Exclusive

Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code allows the EMS Agency, upon the recommendation of the County, to restrict operations to one or more emergency ambulance services or providers of limited advanced life support or advanced life support within a specific geographic area. The designation restricts operations within the Madera County Mountain Exclusive Operating Area to a single emergency ground ambulance service. By creating the Mountain EOA, it is the intent of the Local EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Madera County Board of Supervisors, to sustain the current level of medical standards and performance.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity.

Type: Emergency Ambulance

Level: 9-1-1 and 7-digit response, Stand-by Service with Transport Authorization

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Board of Supervisors, has developed and implemented a local plan that continues the use of existing providers operating within the local EMS area in the manner and scope in which the services have been provided without interruption since January 1, 1981.

Sierra Ambulance Service is a non-profit community owned service which was established in 1964. Sierra Ambulance Service has operated in the geographical area of the Mountain EOA since that time without interruption. In 1985, Sierra Ambulance Service evolved from Limited Advanced Life Support (EMT-II) to Advanced Life Support (Paramedic). Since 1964, Sierra Ambulance Service has been the only ambulance service providing primary emergency ambulance services within the geographical area of the Mountain EOA. On occasion, other ambulance providers respond into the Sierra Ambulance Service area when needed for mutual aid assistance. There has been no change in the ownership of Sierra ambulance, nor has the geographical area of their service area changed.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 1 (Exclusive Operating Area)

Name of Current Provider(s): Dinuba City Fire Department

### Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 1 is located in the northwest portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the City of Dinuba, the communities of Cutler and Orosi, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these communities. Ambulance Zone 1 is bordered by Fresno County on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 10 on the west, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 and 13 on the east, and ambulance Zone 2 on the south...

### Statement of Exclusivey, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) Exclusive

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code allows the EMS Agency, upon the recommendation of the County, to restrict operations to one or more emergency ambulance services or providers of limited advanced life support or advanced life support within a specific geographic area. The designation restricts operations within the Tulare County Ambulance Zone 1 to a single emergency ground ambulance service. By creating the EOA in Tulare County, it is the intent of the Local EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Tulare County Board of Supervisors, to sustain the current level of medical standards and performance.

### Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition.

Type: Emergency Ambulance

<u>Level</u>: 9-1-1 and 7-digit response, Stand-by Service with Transport Authorization

### Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Tulare County Board of Supervisors, has developed and implemented a local plan that continues the use of existing providers operating within the local EMS area in the manner and scope in which the services have been provided without interruption since January 1, 1981.

Dinuba City Fire Department was established in 1909 and has been the sole provider of ambulance services in the geographical response area without interruption. In 1978, Dinuba's ambulance services evolved to Limited Advanced Life Support (EMT-II) and then to Advanced Life Support (Paramedic) in 2007. On occasion, other ambulance providers respond into the Dinuba's response area when needed for mutual aid assistance. There has been no change in the ownership of Dinuba City Fire Department's ambulance, nor has the geographical area of their service area changed.

This exclusive operating area was established on July 27, 1993 by the Tulare County EMS Agency (CCEMSA did not assume responsibility for EMS until 2004).

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 2

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance of Visalia

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 is located in the northwest portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the City of Visalia, the communities of Goshen and Tagus, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these communities. Ambulance Zone 2 is bordered by Tulare County Ambulance Zone 10 and 1 on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 5 on the east, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 6 on the south, and the County of Kings on the west.

### Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) -

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 is a **non-exclusive** operating area. After the departure of Mobile Life Support on September 1, 2016, The EMS Agency notified the County and ambulance providers that Ambulance Zone 2 was no longer an exclusive operating area due to a change in manner and scope.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 3

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance of Visalia / Exeter District Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 is located in north-central Tulare County and includes the Cities of Woodlake and the communities of Lemon Cove, Badger, and the unincorporated areas surrounding this area. It borders Ambulance Zone 5 on the south, Ambulance Zone 4 on the east, Ambulance Zone 13 on the north, and Ambulance Zone 1 and 2 on the west

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 4

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance of Visalia

Exeter District Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 4 is located in the northeast portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the community of Three Rivers and the unincorporated areas surrounding this community. Ambulance Zone 4 is bordered by Tulare County Ambulance Zone 13 on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 5 and 3 on the west, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9, 14, and 17 on the south, and the Seguoia National Park/Mono County on the east.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 4 is a **non-exclusive** operating area. It became a Non-Exclusive Operating Area on August 17, 2010, when Three-Rivers Ambulance discontinued service.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 4 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 is a non-exclusive operating area. It became a Non-Exclusive Operating Area on August 17, 2010, when Three-Rivers Ambulance discontinued service.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 5 (Exclusive Operating Area)

Name of Current Provider(s): Exeter District Ambulance Service

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 5 is located in the central portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the cities of Exeter and Farmersville, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these cities. Ambulance Zone 5 is bordered by Tulare County Ambulance Zone 3 on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 on the west, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 8 on the south, and Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 on the on the east.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6) Exclusive

Division 2.5 of the California Health and Safety Code allows the EMS Agency, upon the recommendation of the County, to restrict operations to one or more emergency ambulance services or providers of limited advanced life support or advanced life support within a specific geographic area. The designation restricts operations within the Tulare County Ambulance Zone 5 to a single emergency ground ambulance service. By creating the EOA in Tulare County, it is the intent of the Local EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Tulare County Board of Supervisors, to sustain the current level of medical standards and performance.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

<u>Type</u>: Emergency Ambulance

<u>Level</u>: 9-1-1 and 7-digit response, Stand-by Service with Transport Authorization

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The EMS Agency, at the recommendation of the Tulare County Board of Supervisors, has developed and implemented a local plan that continues the use of existing providers operating within the local EMS area in the manner and scope in which the services have been provided without interruption since January 1, 1981.

Exeter District Ambulance is a non-profit community owned ambulance service, which was established in 1977. Exeter has operated in the same geographical area of the Ambulance Zone 5 since that time without interruption. In 1978, Exeter evolved to Limited Advanced Life Support (EMT-II) and to paramedics in 2007. On occasion, other ambulance providers respond into the response area when needed for mutual aid assistance. There has been no change in the ownership of Exeter District Ambulance, nor has the geographical area of their service area changed.

This exclusive operating area was established on July 27, 1993 by the Tulare County EMS Agency (CCEMSA did not assume responsibility for EMS until 2004).

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 6

Name of Current Provider(s): Sierra LifeStar Ambulance Service

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 6 is located in the southwestern portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the City of Tulare and the unincorporated areas surrounding the city. Ambulance Zone 6 is bordered by Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 8 on the east, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 7 on the south, and the County of Kings on the west.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 6 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

The Tulare County Ambulance Zone 6 is non-exclusive

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The Tulare County Ambulance Zone 6 is non-exclusive

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 7

Name of Current Provider(s): Sierra LifeStar Ambulance Service

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 7 is located in the southwestern portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the cities of Pixley and Earlimart and the unincorporated areas surrounding these cities. Ambulance Zone 7 is bordered by Tulare County Ambulance Zone 6 on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 on the east, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 12 on the south, and the County of Kings on the west.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 7 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

The Tulare County Ambulance Zone 7 is non-exclusive

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

The Tulare County Ambulance Zone 7 is non-exclusive.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 8

Name of Current Provider(s): Exeter District Ambulance

Imperial Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 8 is located in central Tulare County and includes the City of Lindsay and the unincorporated areas surrounding this area. It borders Ambulance Zone 5 on the north, Ambulance Zone 9 on the east, Ambulance Zone 9 on the south, and Ambulance Zone 6 on the west

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 8 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 8 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 8 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 9

**Name of Current Provider(s):** Imperial Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 is located in central Tulare County and includes the City of Porterville, the communities of Springville, Terra Bella, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these areas. It borders Ambulance Zone 8 and 4 on the north, Ambulance Zone 14 and 16 on the east, Kern County on the south, and Ambulance Zone 6, 7, and 12 on the west

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 10

Name of Current Provider(s): Kingsburg City Fire Department

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 10 is located in the northwestern portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the community of Traver, and the unincorporated areas surrounding this area. Ambulance Zone 10 is bordered by Fresno County on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 1 on the east, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 2 on the south, and the County of Kings on the west.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 10 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 10 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 10 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 11

Name of Current Provider(s): Tule River Indian Health Center

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Zone 11 is the geographical area of the Tule River Indian Reservation, which is located in eastern Tulare County.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 11 is operated by the Tule River Indian Health Center in the geographical boundaries of the Tule River Indian Reservation.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 11 is operated by the Tule River Indian Health Center in the geographical boundaries of the Tule River Indian Reservation.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 11 is operated by the Tule River Indian Health Center in the geographical boundaries of the Tule River Indian Reservation.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 12

Name of Current Provider(s): Sierra LifeStar Ambulance Service

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 12 is located in the southwestern portion of Tulare County. This zone includes the unincorporated areas north of the County of Kern. Ambulance Zone 12 is bordered by Tulare County Ambulance Zone 7 on the north, Tulare County Ambulance Zone 9 on the east, the County of Kern on the south, and the County of Kings on the west.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 12 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 12 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 12 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 13

Name of Current Provider(s): American Ambulance of Visalia / Exeter District Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 13 is located in north-central Tulare County and includes the community of Badger, Hartland, and the unincorporated areas surrounding these areas. It borders Ambulance Zone 3 and 4 on the south, Ambulance Zone 1 on the west, Fresno County on the north, and Mono County/Kings Canyon National Park on the east.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 13 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 13 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 13 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 14

Name of Current Provider(s): Imperial Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 14 is located in central Tulare County and includes the wilderness area of the Sierra National Forrest. It borders Ambulance Zone 9 and 4 on the north, Ambulance Zone 17 and 18 on the east, Ambulance Zone 16 and 18 on the south, and Ambulance Zone 9 on the west.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 14 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 14 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 14 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 15

**Name of Current Provider(s):** Imperial Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 15 is located in southern Tulare County and includes the wilderness area of the Sierra National Forrest. It borders Ambulance Zone 16 on the north, Ambulance Zone 18 on the east, Kern County on the south, and Ambulance Zone 16 on the west

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 15 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85): Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 15 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If Grandfathered, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If competitively determined, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 15 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

Local EMS Agency or County Name: Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 16

Name of Current Provider(s): Imperial Ambulance

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 16 is located in southern Tulare County and includes the unincorporated rural area of Tulare County and the wilderness area of the Sierra National Forrest. It borders Ambulance Zone 9 and 14 on the north, Ambulance Zone 18 on the east, Ambulance Zone 15 on the south, and Ambulance Zone 9 on the west

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 16 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 16 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 16 is a non-exclusive operating area.

In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

**Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title:** Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 17

Name of Current Provider(s): Imperial Ambulance / Rescue Helicopter

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 17 is located in east-central Tulare County and includes the extreme wilderness area of the Sequoia National Forrest. It borders Ambulance Zone 4 on the north, the County of Mono on the east, Ambulance Zone 18 on the south, and Ambulance Zone 14 on the west. This area is innaccesible by ambulance and rarely has any requests for service.

# Statement of Exclusivity, Exclusive or Non-Exclusive (HS 1797.6)

Include intent of local EMS agency and Board of Supervisors action.

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 17 is a **non-exclusive** operating area.

# Type of Exclusivity, "Emergency Ambulance", "ALS", or "LALS" (HS 1797.85):

Include type of exclusivity (Emergency Ambulance, ALS, LALS, or combination) and operational definition of exclusivity (i.e. 9-1-1 calls only, all emergencies, all calls requiring emergency ambulance service, etc.).

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 17 is a non-exclusive operating area.

# Method to achieve Exclusivity, if applicable (HS 1797.224):

If <u>Grandfathered</u>, pertinent facts concerning changes in scope and manner of service, description of current provider including brief statement of uninterrupted service with no changes to scope and manner of service to zone. Include chronology of all services entering or leaving zone, name or ownership changes, service level changes, zone area modifications, or other changes to arrangements for service. If <u>competitively determined</u>, method of competition, intervals, and selection process. Attach copy/draft of last competitive process used to select provider or providers.

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In order to evaluate the nature of each area or subarea, the following information should be compiled for each zone individually.

**Local EMS Agency or County Name:** Central California EMS Agency

Area or subarea (Zone) Name or Title: Tulare County – Ambulance Zone 18

**Name of Current Provider(s):** Imperial Ambulance /

Liberty Ambulance (Ridgecrest-Kern County)

# Area or subarea (Zone) Geographic Description:

Tulare County Ambulance Zone 18 is located in southeastern Tulare County and includes the wilderness area of the Sierra National Forrest. It borders Ambulance Zone 17 on the north, the County of Mono on the east, County of Kern on the south, and Ambulance Zone 14, 15, and 16 on the west

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# Paramedic Triage to Alternate Destination UPDATE

January 2024

	Community Paramedic	Triage Paramedic
Total certified and accredited	N/A	282
Number newly certified this year	N/A	40
Number recertified this year	N/A	242**
Total accredited on July 1 of reporting year	N/A	245
Number of certification reviews resulting in:		
Formal Investigations	N/A	0
Probation	N/A	0
Suspensions	N/A	0
Revocations	N/A	0
Denials	N/A	0
No action taken	N/A	0

Report Year: 2023

# **Facility Resource**

County: Fresno County
Alt. Destination: Fresno County Crisis Stabilization Center
Facility Address: 4411 E Kings Canyon Avenue
Fresno, CA 93702
Phone Number: (559) 453-1008
Authorized Facility: ⊠ Mental Health ☐ Sobering Center
The alternate destination facility maintains adequate licensed medical and professional staff, facilities, and equipment in accordance with the provisions of section 1831 of the Health and Safety Code and Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 5.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The TAD program was approved by EMSA certification began by 11/1/23. The existing paramedics from the program under our 2018 pilot project were recertified under the new guidelines and entered into the registry.

Provider Resource Report Year: 2023

County: Fresno County Respo	nse Area: Fresno County EOA
ALS Provider: American Ambulance  Address: 2911 E Tulare Avenue  Fresno, CA 93721	Written Agreement with LEMSA to Participate in EMS System ⊠ Yes □ No
Phone Number: (559) 443-5900	Annual Review of provider agreement by LEMSA in accordance with 100183  ☑ Yes □ No
Ownership: ☐ Public ☒ Private  If Public: ☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other  If Public: ☐ City ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Co  ☐ Community Paramedicine Provider ☒ Tria	

Responses and Transports		
Community Paramedicine		
Total number of responses:	N/A	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	N/A	
Triage to Alternate Destination Provider		
Total number of responses (2023):	129,256	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	86,257	
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:	1,780	
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	1,777	

Number of transports to sobering center:			N/A	
Provider Resou	rce		Report	Year: 2023
County: Fresno Co	ounty	Response	Area:Ambulance Zo	ne C
ALS Provider: Address: Phone Number:	Coalinga Fire Departr 300 W Elm Avenue Coalinga, CA 93210 (559) 935-1652	ment	Written Agreement with I to Participate in EMS S ⊠ Yes □ No  Annual Review of provagreement by LEMS, accordance with 100 ⊠ Yes □ No	ystem vider A in
If Public: ⊠ City	ublic □ Private □ Law □ Other _ □ State □Federa  Paramedicine Provider	I □Count	_ y □ Fire District to Alternate Destination Pr	ovider
	* 7			
Responses and Transports  Community Paramedicine				
Total number of resp				N/A
		N/A		
Triage to Alternate Destination Provider				

Total number of responses (2023):

2,361

Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	1,559
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:	
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	
Number of transports to sobering center:	N/A

# County: Fresno County Response Area: <u>Ambulance Zone K</u> ALS Provider: Kingsburg Fire Department Written Agreement with LEMSA 1460 Marion Street Address: to Participate in EMS System Kingsburg, CA 93631 Phone Number: (559) 897-5457 Annual Review of provider agreement by LEMSA in accordance with 100183 Ownership: ⊠ Public ☐ Private If Public: ⊠ Fire □ Law □ Other \_\_\_\_ If Public: ⊠ City ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ County ☐ Fire District

Responses and Transports	
Community Paramedicine	
Total number of responses:	N/A

☐ Community Paramedicine Provider ☐ Triage to Alternate Destination Provider

**Provider Resource** 

Report Year: 2023

Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	
Triage to Alternate Destination Provider	
Total number of responses (2023):	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:	
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	
Number of transports to sobering center:	

# Provider Resource

County: Fresno Co	ounty	Response	e Area: <u>Ambulance Zone I</u>
ALS Provider: Address:	Sanger Fire Departm 601 West Avenue Sanger, CA 93657	<u>nent</u>	Written Agreement with LEMSA to Participate in EMS System ⊠ Yes □ No
Phone Number:	<u>(559)</u> 875-6568		Annual Review of provider agreement by LEMSA in accordance with 100183  ☑ Yes □ No
	ublic □ Private □ Law □ Other _ □ State □ Federa		ty □ Fire District
☐ Community F	Paramedicine Provider	⊠ Triage	to Alternate Destination Provider

Report Year: 2023

Responses and Transports  Community Paramedicine		
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	N/A	
Triage to Alternate Destination Provider		
Total number of responses (2023):	3,369	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:		
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:		
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	76	
Number of transports to sobering center:	N/A	

# Provider Resource Report Year: 2023

County: Fresno Co	ounty	Response	Area:	Ambular	nce Zone G
ALS Provider: Address:	Selma Fire Departments 1711 Tucker Street Selma, CA 93662	<u>ent</u>	to Partic	_	t with LEMSA EMS System □ No
Phone Number:	(559) 891-2211		agree accor	ement by	of provider LEMSA in th 100183 □ No
	ublic □ Private □ Law □ Other _ □ State □Federa		_ y □ Fire	District	
☐ Community P	aramedicine Provider	⊠ Triage	to Alternate	e Destina	tion Provider

Responses and Transports		
Community Paramedicine		
Total number of responses:	N/A	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	N/A	
Triage to Alternate Destination Provider		
Total number of responses (2023):	4,728	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	3,236	
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:	118	
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	118	

Number of transports to sobering center:			N/A	
Provider Reso	urce	Report	Year: 2023	
County: Fresno	County Respo	nse Area: <u>Ambulance Zo</u>	ne J	
ALS Provider: Address: Phone Number:	Sequoia Safety Council 500 11 <sup>th</sup> Street Reedley, CA 93654 (559) 638-9995	Written Agreement with to Participate in EMS S  ⊠ Yes □ No  Annual Review of pro agreement by LEMS accordance with 100  ⊠ Yes □ No	vider A in	
If Public: ☐ Fill If Public: ☐ Ci	Public ⊠ Private re □ Law □ Otherty □ State □Federal □Co Paramedicine Provider ⊠ Tria	ounty ☐ Fire District	rovider	
	Responses and T			
Total number of res			N/A	
	nsports to general acute care ho	ospitals:	N/A	
	Triage to Alternate Dest	ination Provider		
Total number of res	sponses (2023):		5,798	

Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	3,628
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:	
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	
Number of transports to sobering center:	

# Provider Resource Report Year: 2023

County: Madera County Response Area: Madera Valley / Chowchilla				
ALS Provider: Pistoresi Ambulance Service Address: 113 North R Street Madera, CA 93637	Written Agreement with LEMSA to Participate in EMS System ⊠ Yes □ No			
Phone Number: (559) 673-8004	Annual Review of provider agreement by LEMSA in accordance with 100183  ☑ Yes □ No			
Ownership: ☐ Public ☒ Private  If Public: ☐ Fire ☐ Law ☐ Other  If Public: ☐ City ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ County  ☐ Community Paramedicine Provider ☒ Triage	- y □ Fire District to Alternate Destination Provider			

Responses and Transports	
Community Paramedicine	
Total number of responses:	N/A
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	N/A

Triage to Alternate Destination Provider				
Total number of responses (2023):	13,901			
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:				
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:				
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	109			
Number of transports to sobering center:	N/A			

<sup>\*</sup>Pistoresi Ambulance did not begin transports to CSC until 1/1/2023

Provider Resource	

County: Madera C	ounty	Response A	rea: <u>Made</u>	<u>ra Mountain EOA</u>	
ALS Provider: Address:	Sierra Ambulance Se 40755 Winding Way Oakhurst, CA 93644		to Participate	nent with LEMSA in EMS System	
Phone Number:	(559) 642-0650		Annual Revie agreement accordance	ew of provider by LEMSA in with 100183	
If Public: ☐ City	ublic ⊠ Private □ Law □ Other _ □ State □Federa Paramedicine Provider	•			
Responses and Transports					
Community Paramedicine					

Report Year: 2023

Total number of responses:	
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	
Triage to Alternate Destination Provider	
Total number of responses (2023):	4,406
Total number of transports to general acute care hospitals:	
Total number of transports to alternate destination facilities:	
Number of transports to authorized mental health facility:	
Number of transports to sobering center:	

<sup>\*</sup>Sierra Ambulance did not begin transports to CSC until 1/1/2023

County: Fresno / Madera Counties	Reporting Year:	2023
EMS Agency Training Program	County: Fresno/Madera	Year: <u>2023</u>
Do you have a process for certifying and accreproviding community paramedicine services a approvals to ensure continued compliance with	ind for monitoring and withdrawing	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
Does the training for community paramedics i specialties:		
Providing directly observed therapy to collaboration with a public health ager tuberculosis and to prevent spread of	ncy to ensure effective treatment of the	□ Yes □ No ⊠ N/A
Providing case management services services users in collaboration with, a appropriate community resources?		□ Yes □ No ⊠ N/A
Does the training for triage paramedics includ	e the following program specialties:	
<ul> <li>Providing care and comfort services to response to 911 calls by providing for immediate care needs, including grief patient's hospice agency until the hos This paragraph does not impact or alt licensed paramedic operating under the a local EMS agency medical director to</li> </ul>	the patient's and the family's support in collaboration with the pice nurse arrives to treat the patient. er existing authorities applicable to a ne medical control policies adopted by	□ Yes □ No ⊠ N/A

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	the patient's current residence, or otherwise require transport to an acute care hospital in the absence of an approved triage to alternate destination hospice program?	
•	Providing patients with advanced life support triage and assessment by a triage paramedic and transportation to an alternate destination facility, as defined in section 1811 of the Health and Safety Code?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
•	Providing transport services for patients who identify as veterans and desire transport to a local veteran's administration emergency department for treatment, when appropriate?	□ Yes □ No ⊠ N/A
authori	ne Mental Health Facility training and accreditation for triage paramedics zing transport to an alternate destination facility include, but not limited to, tion on the following topics:	
a)	Mental health crisis intervention by a qualified instructor?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
b)	Assessment and treatment of intoxicated patients?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
c)	Policies for the triage, treatment, transport, and transfer of care, of patients	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
	to an alternate destination facility?	
authori	ne Mental Health TAD training and accreditation for triage paramedics zing transport to an alternate destination facility include, but not limited to, on the following topics:	
a)	Psychiatric orders?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
b)	Neuropharmacology?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
c)	Alcohol and substance abuse	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
d)	Patient consent?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
e)	Patient documentation?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
f)	Medical quality improvement?	⊠ Yes □ No □ N/A
	ne training for triage paramedics authorizing transport to a sobering center the following instruction:	
a)	The impact of alcohol intoxication on the local public health and emergency	
	medical services system?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
b)	Alcohol and substance use disorders?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
c)	Triage and transport parameters?	□ Yes □ No ☒ N/A
d)	Health risks and interventions in stabilizing acutely intoxicated patients?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
e)	Common conditions with presentations similar to intoxication?	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
f)	Disease process, behavioral emergencies, and injury patterns common to	☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A
	those with chronic alcohol use disorders?	

# TRIAGE TO ALTERNATE DESTINATION Quarterly / Annual Summary

LEMSA Summary of Outcomes					
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual Total
Total # of 911 scene call patients who are treated and transported to an E.D.	514	655	742	587	2498
Total # of 911 scene call patients who are treated and transported to a Sobering Center	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0
Total # of 911 scene call patients who are treated and transported to a mental health facility	468	620	590	649	2327
Total # of 911 scene call patients who are treated and transported to a Veteran's Admin E.D.	8	14	14	6	42
Total # of patients transported to an alternate destination that required secondary transfer to an acute care E.D.within 6 hours	2	1	4	1	8

Facility Data Reports						
Facility Name: Fresno County Crisis Stabilization center Facility Type: Authorized Mental Health Facility						
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Annual Total	
Median Ambulance Patient Offload Times (min)	36.61	33.58	12.26	13.25	23.93	
Total # of EMS Transports to Facility	468	620	590	649	2327	
Total # of patients turned away, diverted, or who required secondary transfer to an acute care E.D. within 6 hours from facility.	20	26	12	25	83	

Summary of primary reasons for turning away, diverting, or who required secondary transfer to an acute care E.D. within 6 hours from facility:

Several refusals were attributed to a positive COVID test upon arrival at CSC. There were refusals due to a medical history that the RN felt needed to be evaluated at the ED, which was outside of the criteria. One patient was refused due to previous disruptions in the CSC.

Summary of feedback about program from Emergency Medical Care Committee:

At the April 19, 2023 EMCC meeting, the report was presented to the EMCC. There wer no questions or comments. The report was accepted.

# Central California

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# Regional Trauma Plan UPDATE

January 2024

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# **Mission Statement of the Trauma Care System**

"To reduce morbidity and mortality in the trauma patient by establishing, promoting, and maintaining a system of excellence in trauma care that includes prevention education as well as effective and appropriate delivery of emergency medical treatment for victims of traumatic injury, and is supported by system access, pre-hospital providers, hospitals, and our community."

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# I. TRAUMA SYSTEM SUMMARY

The Fresno County Department of Public Health's Emergency Services Division (known as the Central California EMS Agency) is the designated Local EMS Agency for Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties. It is responsible for planning, developing, and implementing the EMS and trauma systems. The EMS Agency must approve all EMS provider agencies, base and receiving hospitals, STEMI and trauma centers. Each EMS system participant must function within the system defined by the EMS Agency policies and procedures.

The trauma system that exists today in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties is a mature system that has evolved over many years. First implemented by the Local EMS Agency in 1984, the EMS Agency has developed for the Counties of Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare an effective trauma system based upon regional trauma planning by the EMS Agency. The trauma system is the result of a genuine commitment and cooperative effort of government, community physicians, hospitals, EMS providers, and the community. While the four-county EMS region has a very diverse geography, the trauma system is designed by the EMS Agency to provide optimal trauma care while recognizing the unique mixture of rural and urban areas, including much-extended response and transport times. Centered in central California, Community Regional Medical Center is the only EMS Agency designated Level I Trauma Center in the Central Valley. Valley Children's Hospital is the only Level II Pediatric Trauma Center. Kaweah Health Medical Center, in the City of Visalia, is a designated Level III Trauma Center and is the primary destination for ground ambulance trauma patients and specific helicopter patients in Tulare County.

The operational aspects of the trauma system begin at the pre-response level with a countywide "Enhanced" 9-1-1 (E9-1-1) telephone system in each of the four counties. A designated ambulance dispatch center coordinates all ambulance service requests for each county. The Fresno County EMS Communications Center is the centralized ambulance dispatch center for all ambulance responses in Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties. Tulare County has one centralized ambulance dispatch center provided by the Tulare County Consolidated Ambulance Dispatch (TCCAD), a non-profit entity created by ambulance providers in Tulare County. Both dispatch centers have trained Emergency Medical Dispatchers (EMD) who prioritize ambulance responses using EMS Agency-approved dispatch protocols. Pre-arrival first-aid instructions are given in appropriate cases.

The trauma triage system in Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties routes moderately and severely injured trauma patients directly to the Level I Trauma Center (Community Regional Medical Center) by-passing all other hospitals. Pediatric trauma patients are taken either to the Level I trauma center or Valley Children's, depending on the location of the incident. Patients with minor injuries are transported to the appropriately staffed facility of their choice. Trauma patients meeting trauma center criteria in Tulare County go to Kaweah Health Medical Center, a designated Level III Trauma Center. Trauma patients in Tulare County transported by air ambulance are transported to Kaweah Health Medical Center or Community Regional Medical Center, depending on their location.

Throughout the four-county area, base hospitals participate in trauma destination decisions involving transportation time exceeding 60 minutes. Except for patients in cardiac arrest or with a compromised airway, most rural patients meeting triage criteria are transported directly to a trauma

center. In addition, air ambulance transport is utilized as much as possible in all rural areas of the region, weather permitting.

The three trauma centers and three receiving hospitals in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties serve as base hospitals for EMT-Paramedic prehospital personnel. Community Regional Medical Center is the designated base hospital for EMT-Advance (Parkmedic) program for the neighboring Kings Canyon and Sequoia National Park systems. Base Hospital Physicians and Mobile Intensive Care Nurses (MICN) provide online base hospital medical direction in accordance with EMS Agency policies and procedures. The EMS Agency accredits Base Hospital Physicians and MICNs upon successfully completing training and testing requirements.

The prehospital response throughout Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties is by Paramedic staffed advanced life support units. Three local helicopter agencies, Air Methods-SkyLife, CHP, Reach/GMR, and multiple air ambulances in adjacent counties are immediately available for simultaneous dispatch of air ambulance or rescue helicopter services. Additional air ambulance service is available through mutual aid when local resources are exhausted. Treatment protocols for trauma throughout the four-county area emphasize short on-scene times and rapid transportation with advanced life support treatment during transit. The trauma patient destination is determined by prehospital personnel using triage criteria, which is very similar to the CDC/ACS triage criteria that have less weight on the mechanism of injury. Base hospitals are involved in destination determination for prolonged transports and multi-casualty incidents. The utilization of air ambulance and helicopter services is integrated into EMS policy. In 2023, there were 1,930 helicopter responses to trauma incidents in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties, which resulted in 267 helicopter transports to Community Regional Medical Center, 58 transports to Kaweah Health Medical Center, and 9 to Valley Children's Hospital. While the cancellation rate is significant, it represents a very aggressive response to potential critical trauma victims. It has greatly reduced the number of prolonged emergency ground transports from rural areas.

# Trauma Patient Volume

The trauma registry included 4,851 patients in 2022. Approximately 69% of these patients were transported to CRMC, 20% to KHMC, and 11% to VCH.

The Regional Trauma Audit Committee is an advisory committee to the Local EMS Agency concerning all aspects of the trauma system. The committee monitors system operations and reviews specific cases including problem transfers involving trauma patients. The trauma nurse coordinators from the trauma centers and emergency department personnel from some of the receiving hospitals in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and

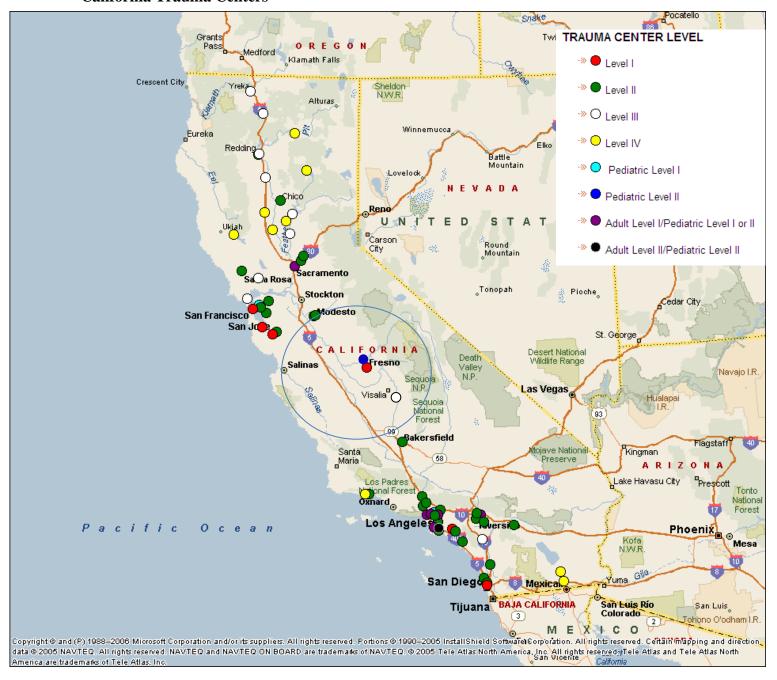
# Central California EMS Agency Statistics (2023)

- 27% of prehospital calls involve trauma.
- 77,326 Prehospital trauma responses.
  - o Falls 27,932 (27%)
  - o Traffic Accident 22,465 (29%)
  - o Assault 6,488 (8%)
  - Other trauma injuries 20,441 (27%)

Tulare Counties provide information on trauma patients seen at those facilities.

The EMS Trauma Plan Update describes the on-going commitment of the EMS Agency, the Counties of Fresno, Kings, Madera and Tulare, the trauma centers and receiving hospitals, and the prehospital providers to the communities they serve.

# California Trauma Centers



### II. CHANGES IN TRAUMA SYSTEM

The trauma system is always in evolution. As more information and data becomes available, the more changes that are made to improve the system. Over the many years that the trauma system has been in existence, it has continuously been changed and modified to meet the needs of the community and meet the challenges of new skills, education and techniques.

### Valley Children's Hospital

Valley Children's Hospital became ACS verified on February 18, 2018 as a Level II Pediatric Trauma Center. They are the only Level II Pediatric Trauma Center in the Central Valley.

### Kaweah Health Medical Center

Kaweah Health Medical Center has provided neurosurgery coverage since November 1, 2017, which exceeds the LEVEL III requirements. The current Trauma Destination Chart is in Appendix A. Kaweah Health Medical Center is contracted with the University of Southern California to provide neurosurgery. This past year, Kaweah began a medical residency program throughout its facility, which includes the trauma services.

### Trauma Registry Software and Data Reporting

The EMS Agency changed our trauma registry to Digital Innovation's Collector in 2018. All trauma registry data is uploaded to the State's trauma registry site.

### On-Scene times with Critical Trauma

For several years the EMS Agency has set a goal to transport critical trauma off-scene within 10 minutes of arrival of the ambulance. While we have set the performance measurement at 90% of patients off-scene in 10 minutes or less., . On April 1, 2015, in addition to the reduction in the use of spinal immobilization, the EMS Agency implemented the "7 minute clock". After 7 minutes from arriving on-scene, the ambulance crew would receive a page that they have been on-scene for 7 minutes, which was a reminder to get off scene. With the reduction in the use of spinal immobilization and the use of the "7 minute clock" we have continued to see an improvement of the off scene performance time. This time has improved from 77% in 10 minutes or less in 2020 to 89% off scene time in 10 minutes or less in 2021. We continue to evaluate the incidents that exceed the 10 minute criteria.

### Reach/GMR

The CCEMSA Region gained another air ambulance provider in 2023. Reach/GMR H-82 was put into service on June 15, 2023. H-82 is stationed in Porterville, CA and is available for scene calls and interfacility transfers.

### III. TRAUMA CENTERS

The EMS Agency has the following designated trauma centers:

Hospital	County	System Level
Community Regional Medical Center	Fresno	Level I Trauma Center/Burn Center
(CRMC)		
Valley Children's Hospital (VCH)	Madera	Level II Pediatric Trauma Center
Kaweah Health Medical Center	Tulare	Level III Trauma Center
(KHMC)		

In 2013, the EMS Agency modified EMS policy to require trauma centers to obtain and maintain verification from the American College of Surgeons (ACS). This verification and re-verification process is used by the EMS Agency for the periodic review to maintain trauma center designation. All three trauma centers are currently verified by the American College of Surgeons.

Community Regional Medical Center received ACS Level I verification in 2013. CRMC remains one of the busiest emergency department in the state. While there is no delays in the treatment and care of critical trauma patients, the bed availability and availability of specialty care becomes impacted at times. Clinic and follow-up is often delayed due to an enormous volume of patients. The trauma director and manager have significant challenges and have been able to maintain a very high level of quality care. There is concern that there is a critical lack of bed capacity in the EMS region and any large event could easily overwhelm the hospital system. In addition, the limited bed capacity prevents Regional Trauma Center from receiving some transfers from outlying hospitals and these patients are transferred out of the area. There is continuing concern that the changes in health care may impact the availability of the care that is currently available. The EMS Agency with the Trauma Audit Committee monitors the transfers within our system.

Valley Children's Hospital received their ACS Pediatric Level II verification February 12, 2018. Valley Children's Hospital continues to be committed in offering support to the Central Valley for Pediatric trauma care and education.

Kaweah Health Medical Center received ACS Level III verification April 24, 2017. The EMS Agency continues to monitor the number of transfers from Kaweah Health to Community Regional Medical Center, and the number of transfers out to CRMC has decreased over this last year.

The Trauma Centers are very active and meet the immediate needs of the EMS and trauma systems. Community Regional Medical Center as the Level I Trauma Center is a committed and dedicated trauma center who provides a great deal of leadership and direction for the EMS system. Each of the trauma centers provides a tremendous amount of injury prevention activities, which are welcomed by the public and provider agencies.

### IV. TRAUMA SYSTEM GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

The trauma system is an integral part of the existing regional EMS Plan. A continuing goal of the trauma system is to assure a well-prepared, coordinated and appropriate response to persons who incur traumatic injuries in the EMS region. System goals and objectives have been developed to provide a means to measure the effectiveness of the trauma system plan.

We continue to monitor the following objectives as a measure of system effectiveness:

# Goal 1. Assure that a comprehensive system of emergency medical and trauma services are available to the residents and visitors of Fresno, Kings, Madera and Tulare Counties.

- Objective 1.1 Provide impartial and objective administration of the EMS and Trauma Systems.
- Objective 1.2 Routinely monitor and review trauma system based upon compliance with established policies and system standards.
- Objective 1.3 Issues that arise shall be reviewed through the EMS CQI process and Trauma Audit Committee reviews.

<u>UPDATE</u>: Goal 1 and each of the objectives are being met. The EMS Agency continues to monitor all aspects of the trauma system using the EMS CQI process and Trauma Audit Committee.

### Goal 2. Assure definitive trauma care regardless of ability to pay.

Objective 2.1 – Monitor trauma care through the use of audit filters based upon trauma triage standards, transfer guidelines and system review of financial information.

<u>UPDATE</u>: Goal 2 and its objective are being met. The Trauma Audit Committee and the Central Regional Trauma Coordinating Committee of California are very active in providing trauma system monitoring.

### Goal 3. Promote system cost-effectiveness and economic viability.

- Objective 3.1 As permitted, provide continuous review for cost effective care delivery practices
- Objective 3.2 Share through the system and trauma audit committee.
- Objective 3.3 Monitor and pursue appropriate funding sources as needed, including grants and other state or federal funding sources.

<u>UPDATE</u>: Goal 3 and its objectives are being met. The EMS Agency works consistently with system participants in assuring a cost-effective system approach.

### Goal 4. Coordinate local trauma services between the counties within the EMS region.

Objective 4.1 – Establish agreements with each of the counties

Objective 4.2 – Establish transfer agreements between trauma centers and receiving hospitals within the region.

<u>UPDATE</u>: Goal 4 and its objectives are being met. and there are no issues. The Trauma Audit Committee monitors and discusses trauma system transfer issues at every meeting.

# Goal 5. Provide objective evaluation of the trauma system through data analysis utilizing the trauma registry.

Objective 5.1 – Perform monthly audits and review with the trauma facility and the system trauma audit committee.

<u>UPDATE</u>: Goal 5 and its objective are being met. The EMS Agency continues to review any trauma system performance issues that may arise using the trauma registry data.

# Goal 6. Promote public awareness and information regarding trauma services and injury prevention.

Objective 6.1 – Support annual health fairs, public service announcements, dissemination of annual reports to public entities, and injury prevention outreach programs.

<u>UPDATE</u>: Goal 6 and its objective are being met. and there are no issues. All three trauma centers are very engaged in public education and promotion of injury prevention. The major topics in injury prevention have been stop the bleed, car seat safety, and gun storage safety. This community service campaign is ongoing and will only be expanding in the coming years.

### V. <u>CHANGES TO IMPLEMENTATION SCHEDULE</u>

There are minor changes to the implementation schedule. For the most part, the goals and objectives do not have implementation dates since the system is constantly being monitored and reviewed. While the EMS Authority has requested implementation dates to be included in the plan update, the EMS Agency feels strongly that implementation dates are not always necessary since the system is monitored on a daily, monthly and quarterly basis. The EMS Agency will include implementation dates in updated plans when new events or objectives occur.

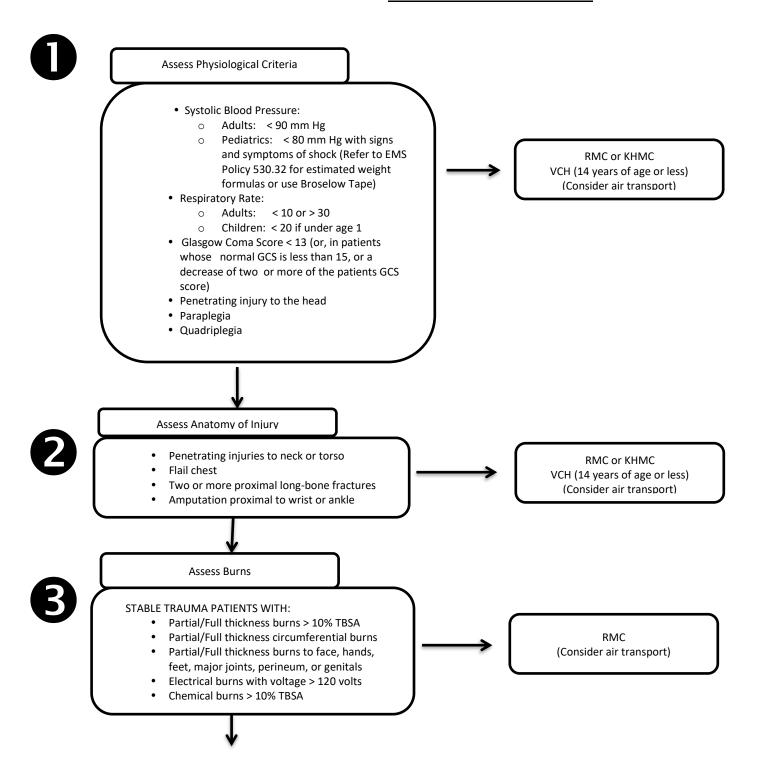
### VI. SYSTEM PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT

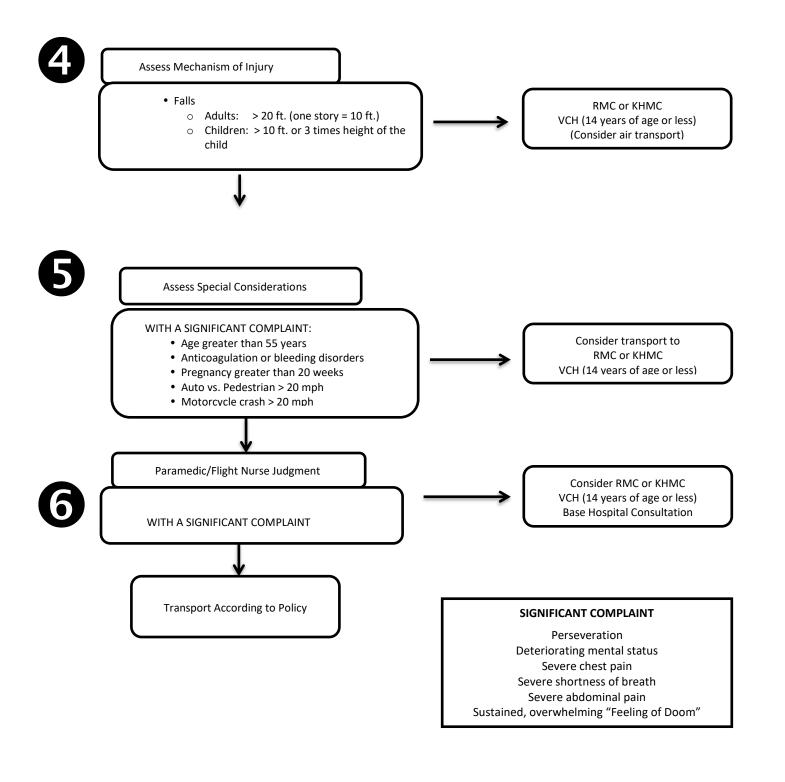
The EMS Agency continues to monitor the on-scene times with trauma patients, the destination of patients through the field triage criteria, and the transfer times from the trauma centers and receiving hospitals. The EMS Agency will monitor and measure the results of these changes.

# **ATTACHMENT A**

**Trauma Destination Chart** 

### TRAUMA DESTINATION CHART





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# STEMI CRITICAL CARE SYSTEM PLAN

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### **Mission Statement of the STEMI Critical Care System**

"To reduce morbidity and mortality in the STEMI patient by establishing, promoting, and maintaining a system of excellence in STEMI care that includes prevention education as well as effective and appropriate delivery of emergency medical treatment for victims of STEMI injury, and is supported by system access, pre-hospital providers, hospitals, and our community."

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### I. STEMI CRITICAL CARE SYSTEM SUMMARY

The Fresno County Department of Public Health's Emergency Services Division (known as the Central California EMS Agency) is the designated Local EMS Agency for Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties and is responsible for planning, developing, and implementing the EMS and STEMI Critical Care System. The EMS Agency must approve all EMS provider agencies, base and receiving hospitals, STEMI, Trauma, and Stroke Centers. Each EMS system participant must function within the system defined by the EMS Agency policies and procedures. The EMS Agency staff that oversees the STEMI Critical Care System are:

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The operational aspects of the STEMI Critical Care System begin at the pre-response level with a countywide "Enhanced" 9-1-1 (E9-1-1) telephone system in each of the four counties. All ambulance service requests for each county are coordinated by a designated ambulance dispatch center. The Fresno County EMS Communications Center is the centralized ambulance dispatch center for all ambulance responses in Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties. Tulare County has one centralized ambulance dispatch center provided by the Tulare County Consolidated Ambulance Dispatch (TCCAD), which is a non-profit entity created by the ambulance providers in Tulare County. Both dispatch centers have trained Emergency Medical Dispatchers (EMD) who prioritize ambulance responses using EMS Agency approved dispatch protocols. Pre-arrival first-aid instructions are given in appropriate cases.

In the Central California EMS Agency region, patient destination is determined by field level 12-Lead ECG interpretation. In the event that a STEMI is detected on the 12-Lead ECG, patients will be transported to the nearest designated cardiac center within 60 minutes transport time. The designated cardiac centers in Fresno County are Community Regional Medical Center and Saint Agnes Medical Center. The third designated cardiac center in the CCEMSA region is Kaweah Health Medical Center in Tulare County. In the event that transport time to a designated cardiac center is greater than 60 minutes, patients will be transported to the closest appropriate emergency department. Helicopter rendezvous will also be considered by the field crews for transport to a designated cardiac center. Throughout the four-county region, base hospitals participate in STEMI destination decisions when ground transport time exceeds 60 minutes.

The three designated cardiac centers and three receiving hospitals in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties serve as base hospitals for EMT-Paramedic prehospital personnel. Base Hospital Physicians and Mobile Intensive Care Nurses (MICN) provide on-line base hospital medical direction in accordance with EMS Agency policies and procedures. Base Hospital Physicians and MICN's are accredited by the EMS Agency upon successful completion of training and testing requirements.

The prehospital response throughout Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties is by Paramedic staffed advanced life support units. Three local helicopter agencies, Air Methods – SkyLife, Reach/GMR, and CHP, and an air ambulance in an adjacent county are immediately available for

simultaneous dispatch of air ambulance services. Additional air ambulance service is available through mutual aid when local resources are exhausted. Treatment protocols for STEMI throughout the four-county area emphasize short on-scene times and rapid transportation with advanced life support treatment provided during transit. The utilization of air ambulance services is integrated into EMS policy. In 2021, there were four helicopter responses to STEMI incidents in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties, which resulted in four helicopter transports to Saint Agnes Medical Center.

### STEMI Patient Volume

In 2023, 346 patients were treated and transported to a designated cardiac center. Approximately 41% of these patients were transported to Community Regional Medical Center, 37% were transported to Saint Agnes Medical Center, and 22% were transported to Kaweah Health Medical Center.

## Central California EMS Agency Statistics (2023)

- 346 patients transported to a designated cardiac center
  - 5 41% to Community Regional Medical Center
  - o 37% to Saint Agnes Medical Center
  - o 22% to Kaweah Health Medical Center



### II. DESIGNATED CARDIAC CENTERS

The EMS Agency has the following designated cardiac centers:

Hospital	County	System Level
Community Regional Medical Center	Fresno	STEMI Receiving Center
Saint Agnes Medical Center	Fresno	STEMI Receiving Center
Kaweah Health Medical Center	Tulare	STEMI Receiving Center

### STEMI IDENTIFICATION

The method of identification of STEMI in the prehospital setting is by patient presentation, signs and symptoms, and 12-Lead ECG interpretation. Patients that are being treated under the Coronary Ischemic Chest Discomfort protocol will have a 12-Lead ECG administered by a paramedic. In the event that the cardiac monitor returns a reading of STEMI in progress, the patient will be transported to the closest STEMI Receiving Center listed above if the transport time is within 60 minutes. If the transport time exceeds 60 minutes, the patient will be transported to the closest appropriate facility or helicopter rendezvous will be considered. STEMI patient destination as stated in policy 547 is determined by 12-Lead ECG interpretation or Base Hospital Consultation (if required).

### STEMI COMMUNICATION

Upon identification of a STEMI in the prehospital setting and initiation of treatment, the paramedic will contact the STEMI Receiving Center as stated in the General Procedures EMS Policy 530.02. The paramedic will use the Standard Call-In format to communicate patient condition as well as the 12-Lead ECG interpretation of STEMI. The purpose of a Standard Call-In is to provide the STEMI Receiving Center with adequate information to prepare for STEMI continuity of care.

### STEMI TRANSFER

In some instances, a STEMI patient may need to be transferred from a basic emergency department that is not a designated STEMI Receiving Center. In those cases, an Advanced Life Support interfacility transfer would be initiated by the originating hospital. EMS Policy 553 provides direction on ALS interfacility transfers within the EMS region.

### STEMI DATA COLLECTION

The primary method of data collection comes from prehospital care reports. The EMS Agency is working on a viable database to collect the required data from the STEMI Receiving Centers.

### III. STEMI SYSTEM GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

The STEMI system is one part of the overall EMS Plan. The goal of the STEMI system is to assure a well-prepared, coordinated, and appropriate response to persons who are identified via 12-Lead ECG as possibly experiencing a STEMI incident. System goals and objectives have been developed to provide a means to measure the effectiveness of the STEMI system plan. The following objectives are monitored as a measure of system effectiveness:

# Goal 1. Assure that a comprehensive system of emergency medical services is available to the residents and visitors of Fresno, Kings, Madera and Tulare Counties.

- Objective 1.1 Provide impartial and objective administration of the EMS and STEMI Systems.
- Objective 1.2 Routinely monitor and review the STEMI system based upon compliance with established policies and system standards.
- Objective 1.3 Issues that arise shall be reviewed through the EMS CQI process and Medical Control Committee reviews.

### Goal 2. Assure definitive STEMI care regardless of ability to pay.

Objective 2.1 – Monitor STEMI care through the use of audit filters based upon trauma triage standards, transfer guidelines and system review of financial information.

### Goal 3. Promote system cost-effectiveness and economic viability.

- Objective 3.1 As permitted, provide continuous review for cost effective care delivery practices
- Objective 3.2 Share through the system and CQI and Medical Control committees.
- Objective 3.3 Monitor and pursue appropriate funding sources as needed, including grants and other state or federal funding sources.

### Goal 4. Coordinate local STEMI services between the counties within the EMS region.

- Objective 4.1 Establish agreements with each of the counties
- Objective 4.2 Establish transfer agreements between STEMI centers and receiving hospitals within the region.

### Goal 5. Provide objective evaluation of the STEMI system through data analysis.

Objective 5.1 – Perform monthly audits and review with the STEMI facilities and the system CQI and Medical Control committees.

# Goal 6. Promote public awareness and information regarding STEMI services and cardiac care public education.

Objective 6.1 – Support annual health fairs, public service annuancements, dissemination of annual reports to public entities, and cardiac care outreach programs.

### IV. INTEGRATION WITH NEIGHBORING JURISDICTIONS

The Central California EMS Agency consists of four counties. The STEMI Receiving Centers reside in two of the four counties. In Fresno and Madera Counties, STEMI patients will be transported to either Community Regional Medical Center or Saint Agnes Medical Center which both reside in Fresno County. In Kings and Tulare Counties, the STEMI patient will be transported to either Kaweah Health Medical Center or Community Regional Medical Center. It is possible, however, that a STEMI patient may originate outside of the CCEMSA Region. The neighboring jurisdictions are aware of which facilities are designated STEMI Receiving Centers in Fresno and Tulare Counties.

### V. <u>SYSTEM PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT</u>

The EMS Agency monitors STEMI system performance on a monthly basis with the use and input of the Continuous Quality Improvement and Medical Control Committees. Any issues or gaps identified within the EMS system are brought to these two committees. Interventions and/or solutions are discussed and implemented to correct the issue or gap identified. Both of these committees meet on a monthly basis throughout the year.

# VI. ATTACHMENT A SUPPORTING STEMI POLICIES

**CCEMSA Policy 530.02 General Procedures** 

**CCEMSA Policy 547 Patient Destination** 

**CCEMSA Policy 553 ALS Interfacility Transports** 

**CCEMSA Policy 320 STEMI Critical Care System Overview** 

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CCEMSA Policy 322 STEMI Receiving Center and STEMI Referring Hospital Designation

**CCEMSA Policy 323 STEMI Critical Care System Monitoring/Data Management** 

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# STROKE CRITICAL CARE SYSTEM PLAN

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### **Mission Statement of the Stroke Critical Care System**

"To reduce morbidity and mortality in the stroke patient by establishing, promoting, and maintaining a system of excellence in stroke care that includes prevention education as well as effective and appropriate delivery of emergency medical treatment for victims of stroke injury, and is supported by system access, pre-hospital providers, hospitals, and our community."

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### I. STROKE CRITICAL CARE SYSTEM SUMMARY

The Fresno County Department of Public Health's Emergency Services Division (known as the Central California EMS Agency) is the designated Local EMS Agency for Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties and is responsible for planning, developing, and implementing the EMS and Stroke Critical Care System. The EMS Agency must approve all EMS provider agencies, base and receiving hospitals, STEMI, Trauma, and Stroke Centers. Each EMS system participant must function within the system defined by the EMS Agency policies and procedures. The EMS Agency staff that oversees the Stroke Critical Care System are:

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The operational aspects of the Stroke Critical Care System begin at the pre-response level with a countywide "Enhanced" 9-1-1 (E9-1-1) telephone system in each of the four counties. All ambulance service requests for each county are coordinated by a designated ambulance dispatch center. The Fresno County EMS Communications Center is the centralized ambulance dispatch center for all ambulance responses in Fresno, Kings, and Madera Counties. Tulare County has one centralized ambulance dispatch center provided by the Tulare County Consolidated Ambulance Dispatch (TCCAD), which is a non-profit entity created by the ambulance providers in Tulare County. Both dispatch centers have trained Emergency Medical Dispatchers (EMD) who prioritize ambulance responses using EMS Agency approved dispatch protocols. Pre-arrival first-aid instructions are given in appropriate cases.

After many months of development, a Stroke system will be implemented in the Central California EMS Agency region on March 1, 2024. The EMS Agency developed patient destination policies based on the G-Fast Stroke Scale in the prehospital setting. At this time, our EMS region has five Advanced Primary Stroke Centers and one Thrombectomy Capable Stroke Center as designated by Joint Commission. One of the challenges has been creating a patient destination policy that routes patients appropriately without overwhelming the one thrombectomy capable facility in our region.

Four of the six Joint Commission designated stroke centers serve as base hospitals for EMT-Paramedic prehospital personnel. Base Hospital Physicians and Mobile Intensive Care Nurses (MICN) provide on-line base hospital medical direction in accordance with EMS Agency policies and procedures. Base Hospital Physicians and MICN's are accredited by the EMS Agency upon successful completion of training and testing requirements.

The prehospital response throughout Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties is by Paramedic staffed advanced life support units. Three local helicopter agencies, Air Methods – SkyLife, Reach/GMR, and CHP, and an air ambulance in an adjacent county are immediately available for simultaneous dispatch of air ambulance services. Additional air ambulance service is available through mutual aid when local resources are exhausted. Treatment protocols for stroke throughout the four-county area emphasize short on-scene times and rapid transportation with advanced life support treatment provided during transit. The utilization of air ambulance services is integrated into EMS policy.

### Stroke Patient Volume

In 2023, 1,979 patients were identified as a stroke/CVA/TIA patient upon initial impression as documented by prehospital personnel. A stroke specific BLS and ALS protocol has been finalized and will be implemented on March 1, 2024.

## Central California EMS Agency Statistics (2023)

- 1,650 patients transported to a TJC designated stroke center
  - o 9% to Adventist Health Hanford
  - o 35% to Community Regional Medical Center
  - o 10% to Kaiser Permanente Fresno
  - o 17% to Kaweah Health Medical Center
  - o 23% to Saint Agnes Medical Center
  - o 6% to Sierra View Medical Center



### II. <u>DESIGNATED STROKE CENTERS</u>

The CCEMSA region has the following stroke centers as designated by Joint Commission:

Hospital	County	System Level
Community Regional Medical Center	Fresno	Comprehensive Stroke Center
Kaiser Permanente	Fresno	Primary Stroke Center
Saint Agnes Medical Center	Fresno	Primary Stroke Center
Adventist Health Hanford	Kings	Primary Stroke Center
Kaweah Health Medical Center	Tulare	Primary Stroke Center
Sierra View Medical Center	Tulare	Primary Stroke Center

### STROKE IDENTIFICATION

\*\*IN PROGRESS – Estimated date of completion is March 2024\*\* The method of identification of stroke in the prehospital setting is by patient presentation, signs and symptoms, and use of the G-FAST Stroke Assessment. The patient destination policy will be updated to provide for appropriate routing of stroke patients to appropriate stroke facilities.

### STROKE COMMUNICATION

\*\*IN PROGRESS\*\* Upon identification of a stroke in the prehospital setting and initiation of treatment, the paramedic will contact the appropriate stroke center as stated in the General Procedures EMS Policy 530.02. The paramedic will use the Standard Call-In format to communicate patient condition as well as the assessment using the G-FAST Stroke Assessment. The purpose of a Standard Call-In is to provide the stroke center with adequate information to prepare for stroke continuity of care.

### STROKE TRANSFER

In some instances, a stroke patient may need to be transferred from a basic emergency department that is not a designated stroke center. In those cases, an Advanced Life Support interfacility transfer would be initiated by the originating hospital. EMS Policy 553 provides direction on ALS interfacility transports within the EMS region.

### STROKE DATA COLLECTION

\*\*IN PROGRESS\*\*The primary method of data collection comes from prehospital care reports. The EMS Agency is working on a viable database to collect the required data from the stroke centers.

### III. STROKE SYSTEM GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

The stroke system is one part of the overall EMS Plan. The goal of the stroke system is to assure a well-prepared, coordinated, and appropriate response to persons who are identified as possibly experiencing a stroke incident. System goals and objectives have been developed to provide a means to measure the effectiveness of the stroke system plan. The following objectives are monitored as a measure of system effectiveness:

# Goal 1. Assure that a comprehensive system of emergency medical services is available to the residents and visitors of Fresno, Kings, Madera and Tulare Counties.

- Objective 1.1 Provide impartial and objective administration of the EMS and Stroke Systems.
- Objective 1.2 Routinely monitor and review the stroke system based upon compliance with established policies and system standards.
- Objective 1.3 Issues that arise shall be reviewed through the EMS CQI process and Medical Control Committee reviews.

### Goal 2. Assure definitive stroke care regardless of ability to pay.

Objective 2.1 – Monitor stroke care through the use of audit filters based upon trauma triage standards, transfer guidelines and system review of financial information.

### Goal 3. Promote system cost-effectiveness and economic viability.

- Objective 3.1 As permitted, provide continuous review for cost effective care delivery practices
- Objective 3.2 Share through the system and CQI and Medical Control committees.
- Objective 3.3 Monitor and pursue appropriate funding sources as needed, including grants and other state or federal funding sources.

### Goal 4. Coordinate local stroke services between the counties within the EMS region.

- Objective 4.1 Establish agreements with each of the designated stroke centers.
- Objective 4.2 Establish transfer agreements between stroke centers and receiving hospitals within the region.

### Goal 5. Provide objective evaluation of the stroke system through data analysis.

Objective 5.1 – Perform monthly audits and review with the stroke centers and the system CQI and Medical Control committees.

### Goal 6. Promote public awareness and information regarding stroke services and public

### education.

Objective 6.1 – Support annual health fairs, public service announcements, dissemination of annual reports to public entities, and stroke care outreach programs.

### IV. <u>INTEGRATION WITH NEIGHBORING JURISDICTIONS</u>

\*\*IN PROGRESS\*\* The Central California EMS Agency consists of four counties. The Stroke Centers reside in three of the four counties. Comprehensive integration with neighboring jurisdictions is to be identified and developed.

### V. SYSTEM PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT

The EMS Agency will monitor stroke system performance on a monthly basis with the use and input of the Continuous Quality Improvement and Medical Control Committees. Any issues or gaps identified within the EMS system are brought to these two committees. Interventions and/or solutions are discussed and implemented to correct the issue or gap identified. Both of these committees meet on a monthly basis throughout the year.

# VI. ATTACHMENT A SUPPORTING STROKE POLICIES

### **CCEMSA Policy 530.02 General Procedures**

CCEMSA Policy 510.16 Stroke \*\*Final Approval Pending\*\*

CCEMSA Policy 530.42 Suspected Stroke \*\*Final Approval Pending\*\*

CCEMSA Policy 547 Patient Destination \*\*UPDATE REQUIRED FOR STROKE\*\*

**CCEMSA Policy 553 ALS Interfacility Transports** 

**CCEMSA Policy 360 Stroke Critical Care System Overview** 

**CCEMSA Policy 361 Stroke Center Standards** 

**CCEMSA Policy 362 Stroke Center Designation** 

**CCEMSA Policy 363 Stroke Critical Care system Monitoring/Data Management** 

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# CONTINUOUS QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PLAN

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### I. Authority

On January 1,2006 the California Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) implemented regulations related to quality improvement for Emergency Medical Service throughout the state. The Central California Emergency Medical Services Agency (CCEMSA) Quality Improvement Program satisfies the requirements of Title 22, Chapter 12, Article 4 of the California Code of Regulations.

In addition, EMSA document #166, Emergency Medical Services System Quality Improvement Program Model Guidelines provided additional information on the expectations for development and implementation of a Quality Improvement Program for the delivery of EMS for Local EMS agencies and EMS service providers. Fundamental to this process is the understanding that the program will develop over time and allows for individual variances based on available resources.

### II. Mission/Vision Statement

### Mission Statement

The EMS Agency is committed to the needs of the multicounty pre-hospital environment. Our mission is to inspire, educate, evaluate, direct, provide resources, and ensure that each citizen receives the highest level of care.

Our goals are to facilitate an environment of collaboration among all providers and agencies in which there is innovation, purpose, standardized care, proactive technologies, preparedness, coordination, and integration.

Our values are honesty, loyalty, equality, originality, integrity, and communication. care.

### Vision Statement

The Emergency Medical Services System for Fresno, Kings, Madera and Tulare Counties will provide effective high quality patient care through an integrated patient care delivery system which provides services in a multi-disciplinary manner with efficiency and cost effectiveness.

### III. Continuous Quality Improvement Defined

The CCEMSA is charged by the State to approve and monitor Quality Improvement Programs. Many healthcare providers, hospitals and other facilities have in place, or are implementing, Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) Programs. Many of the ambulance providers are moving towards the "Just Culture" ideals and have committed to this process in its CQI programs.

The County mandates that all EMS providers, both BLS and ALS Providers, as well as Base Hospitals and specialty centers, institute CQI programs within their organizations that are in accordance with EMS Agency policies and procedures. The CQI programs

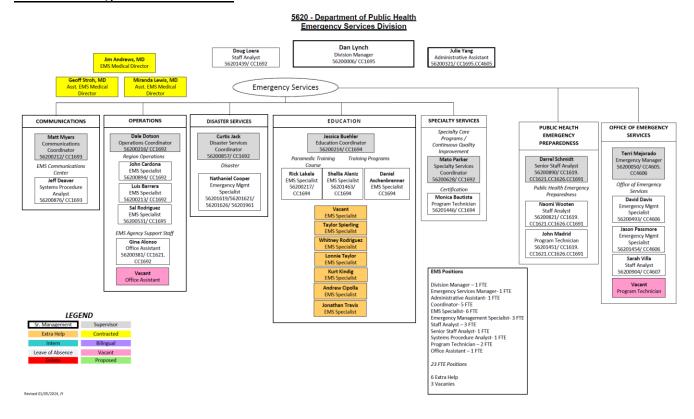
are monitored by the EMS Medical Director and EMS Agency Specialty Services Coordinator.

CQI takes on the responsibility of continuously examining performance in the system to see where the personnel, system, and processes can continue to improve. The overall concept of quality improvement begins with the idea that all members of the team or system want to do well and continues with an examination of the system to determine how it can be structured to achieve this goal. The theories of CQI look at what was done and what was done right so that the members can learn from both. Positive reinforcement is very important in a CQI Program so that trust is instilled, and fear is driven out. This is a "Top-Down" requirement and applies to the administrators of the program to the most junior level healthcare provider.

CQI programs must define the goals and objectives that meet the quality of care that the EMS system desires to achieve. These goals and objectives can be found in the core indicators and the performance standards identified by the EMS CQI committee.

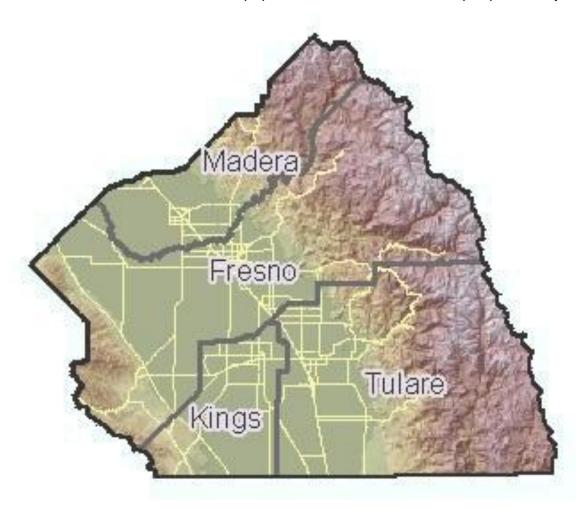
### IV. Structure and Organizational Description

### **CCEMSA Organizational Chart**



### **CCEMSA Demographics**

CCEMSA is both geographically and demographically diverse. Located at the California's Central San Joaquin Valley, CCEMSA is the gateway to the Yosemite, Sequoia, and Kings Canyon National Parks and the Sierra Nevada mountains. Encompassing 14,401 square miles, the CCEMSA has a population of 1,790,512. It is also estimated that annual tourism population exceeds 3.2 million people each year.



### **EMS System Overview**

The CCEMSA EMS System responds to approximately 200,000 calls for medical emergencies per year. With this volume of responses, the CQI process and monitoring of personnel is essential.

The CCEMSA's EMS System includes a variety of agencies and organizations working together to accomplish the goal of providing rapid emergency medical response and treatment. While most EMS responses are day-to-day emergencies, the EMS Agency also plans and prepares for disaster medical response through an active Disaster Medical Response Committee. All of the components of the EMS system, whether day-to-day or disaster, are included in the CQI process.

### The CCEMSA EMS System includes:

- Emergency Medical Dispatch (EMD)
- Fire services first response and treatment
- Private and public ground and air ambulance response, treatment and transport
- Law enforcement agencies
- Hospitals and specialty care centers
- Training institutions and programs for EMS personnel

### Organizational Structure relating to CQI

The Central California EMS Agency, a division of the Fresno County Department of Public Health, oversees a system of services organized to provide rapid response to serious medical emergencies, including immediate medical care and patient transport to definitive care in an appropriate hospital setting. The Boards of Supervisors in Fresno, Kings, Madera, and Tulare Counties designated the Fresno County Department of Public Health – Emergency Services Division as the Local EMS Agency (LEMSA) for the four-county EMS region.

The EMS Director reports directly to the Director of Public Health. The Director of Public Health Reports directly to the County Administrative Officer and Board of Supervisors which is comprised of five elected Supervisors, each representing a distinct area of the County.

The EMS Medical Director oversees medical components of the EMS System and is responsible for prehospital medical control within the system. This includes protocol development, policies, procedures, equipment approval, medical dispatch, base station protocols, and continuous quality performance.

The Regional Medical Control Committee is an advisory committee to the EMS Medical Director and is responsible for vetting local policies and procedures prior to implementation and introducing issues that are identified in the EMS system. The committee is comprised of the emergency department medical director for each of the receiving and base hospitals in the 4-county EMS region.

The Continuous Quality Improvement Committee is a subcommittee of the Regional Medical Control Committee and provides the Medical Control Committee with data, reports and recommended changes to EMS policy and procedure.

### Continuous Quality Improvement Committee

While the EMS Medical Director is responsible for the overall provision of care throughout the EMS system, the Continuous Quality Improvement Committee is the workhorse of the CQI system. It is this committee that mines the data, identifies and/or verifies potential issues and recommends changes or standards to address issues.

The responsibilities of the CQI Committee include:

- Review/Monitor Data from EMS System
- Select quality indicators, items for review and monitoring, create action plans, and monitor performance (i.e., time, patient satisfaction, workforce satisfaction, protocol compliance, outcome data).
- After review by EMS Agency, serve as a forum to discuss issues/concerns brought to the attention of the EMS Agency by internal and external customers
- Propose, review, and participate in EMS research
- Promote CQI training throughout the EMS System
- Policy/Protocol Review Selected policies reviewed with prenotification sent out to allow participant feedback. Initial review by CQI Coordinator/Medical Director and proposed revisions discussed at CQI Committee
- Provide recommendations to Training Division, including:
  - Orientation Paramedic eight-hour introduction to Central California EMS Agency policies, procedures and local scope of practice.
  - Primary Training, including:
    - Local EMS Paramedic Training Course
    - Local EMT Courses (Fire Department/Schools/Provider Agencies)
    - AED (AED Provider Agencies)
    - Emergency Medical Dispatcher Training
    - Mobile Intensive Care Nursing Training
    - Base Hospital Physician Course
  - Continuing Education
    - Case Review/Tape Review
    - Provider Agency C.E.
    - EMS C.E. Topics Based on CQI identified deficiencies.

### CQI Committee Members

- CQI Medical Director (Assistant EMS Medical Director)
- EMS CQI Coordinator
- Base Hospital Physician (chosen by Medical Control Committee)
- Prehospital Liaison Nurse (chosen by Base Hospital Committee)
- Prehospital Liaison Officer (Four preferably one from each County)
- EMS Dispatcher
- Training Program representative
- Fire First Responder (chosen by Fire Chiefs Association)

- Ex-Officio Members
  - o EMS Medical Director
  - EMS Director
- CQI Committee Guests CQI Medical Director or CQI Coordinator may approve the attendance of guests

### V. EMS Agency Responsibilities

In accordance with State H&S code section1797.204, the EMS Agency shall plan, implement and evaluate and EMS System. The EMS Agency is structured to be responsive to H&S code section 1797.103 by addressing the following components of an EMS system:

- Manpower and training
- Communications
- Transportation
- Assessment of hospitals and critical care centers
- System organization and management
- Data collection and evaluation
- Public information and education
- Disaster response

The EMS Agency's CQI program plays a role in each of these components, which includes the following:

- Implement, monitor and evaluate the CQI System and CQI requirements
- Provide oversight of the CQI Committee
- Provide regular CQI reports to Medical Control Committee, Base Hospital Committee, EMSOC, CQI Committee and EMS Staff meetings
- Review individual QI Reports and take necessary action
- Provide an access point for Internal/External Customers as identified in EMS policy
- Monitor quality indicators via database analysis
- Review and participate in research generated by the CQI process
- Forward CQI Committee recommendations to EMS Training Division
- Manage EMS database to assure quality and completeness of databases

### VI. CQI Data Collection and Reporting

Data and the ability to use data has become the life-blood of a truly effective CQI system. The ability to obtain accurate measurements of system core measures is extremely helpful when identifying goals and objectives for the EMS system. It is also helpful in identifying areas that are more challenging in the system where CQI should be more focused.

The EMS Agency accesses a few databases that contain data relevant to Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) in EMS. These databases include electronic patient care

reporting (ePCR), EMS dispatch CAD, and the EMS system's trauma registry. In October 2018, the CCEMSA joined the Cardiac Arrest Registry to Enhance Survival (CARES) and look forward to the analysis of data and the response of this information. Reporting on the data is determined by the CQI committee to measure or understand the areas that are monitored. These data systems are used to evaluate performance in the following ways:

- Prospectively identify areas of potential improvement
- Answer questions about the EMS System
- Monitor changes once improvement plans are implemented
- Provide accurate information enabling data driven decisions
- Monitor individual performance within the EMS system
- Support research that will improve our system and potentially broaden EMS knowledge through publication

### VII. Evaluation of Indicators

### **EMS Agency Quality Indicators**

The EMS Agency's CQI Committee has identified Quality Indicators that are monitored on a routine basis and ongoing reports are provided to the EMS Medical Control Committee and system providers. The EMS Agency Quality Indicators may be duplicative of the State EMSA Core Measures, which were developed after the EMS Agency's Quality Indicators, which have been monitored for years.

The Quality Indicators are separated into priorities of importance. Priority Indicators are those indicators that include performance standards set by the Regional Medical Control Committee or the CQI Committee. Priority Quality Indicators include:

- Trauma Scene Times (<10 minutes)</li>
- Medical Scene Times (<20 minutes)</li>
- Cardiac Arrest Survival Rates
- Trauma Survival Rates
- Percentage of Unrecognized Esophageal Intubation

Secondary Priority Quality Indicators are periodic reviews and issues that provider agencies are asked to review and monitor. Information is then reviewed by the committee for consistency and comparison. In many instances, best practice is identified and shared as CE topics. Secondary Priority indicators include:

- RMCT Ratios (at each Base Hospital)
- Cardiac Arrest (compliance with times in protocol)
- Nature of Incident Frequency on QA Reports
- Pediatric Survival Rates
- Prehospital Violence

- 90% Successful IV after Three Attempts
- 95% Successful ET Placement after Three Attempts

### Core Measurement Indicators

Core Indicator reports, as provided by the state, have been included in the EMS agencies reporting and monitoring process. Core measures is currently being integrated into the ePCR platforms used throughout the EMS region. The EMS Agency or the provider agency can quickly access the providers current measurement for each Core value. As this expands, the Core Measures will be a valuable tool to compare the CCEMSA with other systems across the State.

### Provider Agencies and Base Hospitals

While the Emergency Services Division is responsible for creating and coordinating the overall Quality Improvement Plan, each provider agencies and base hospitals are responsible for developing their own EMS QI plan to monitor internal quality indicators and perform quality improvement activities in accordance with EMS Agency policies.

Provider agencies, first responders, and base hospitals also monitor the quality indicators and proactively work with personnel to understand the objectives and provide education needed to meet the objectives. For example, Field Supervisors, Quality Assurance Managers, and Training Officers may perform audits of responses to monitor the quality of care provided. Finding best practices and sharing those practices with others in the organization.

It is important to note that the purpose of Quality Indicators and activities is to improve on the things that EMS is doing well and to identify processes that require improvement. The focus of EMS performance improvement is not punitive and any issues that are identified need to be assessed as a system issue before becoming an individual issue.

### VIII. Annual Update

The CCEMSA EMS Medical Director and CQI Coordinator will evaluate the CQI Program annually to ensure that the CQI Plan is in alignment with the EMS Agency's strategic goals. From this information, an Annual Update will be created and will include the following:

- · Indicated monitors
- Key findings and priority issues identified
- Identification of any trends

- Improvement action plans and plans for further action
- Description of any in-house policy revisions
- Description of any continuing education and skills training provided as a result of Improvement Plans
- Description of whether the goals were met and whether follow up is needed
- Description of next year's work plan based on the current year's indicator review

### IX. Action to Improve

Improvement can only be achieved through constant surveillance of the system and its components. The evaluation of the system as a whole is crucial to ensuring that optimal response to the sick and injured occurs when the system has been activated. Continuous Quality Improvement (CQI) provides a method for understanding the system processes and allows for their revision using data obtained from those same processes.

CQI is a dynamic process that provides critical feedback and performance data on the EMS system based on defined indicators that reflect standards in the community, state and the nation. Traditional components of a CQI process include:

- Define a problem
- Measure data to validate and quantify the problem
- Analyze the data and symptoms of the problem to determine the root cause
- Develop and implement a plan of action through education or policy/process revision
- Measure and monitor the results providing feedback
- Continuous monitoring of control system to assure compliance

CQI incorporates Quality Assurance aspects but is unique in its approach to problem analysis and problem solving.



CQI in the CCEMSA region is dynamic. Similar to trauma and its Trauma Audit Committee, specialty systems of care, (STEMI, Stroke, EMSC), will also be supported by its own CQI process that will integrate into the EMS Agencies CQI system. These specialty CQI committees, some of which are still in development, take a technical and clinical look at system performance. These committees thoroughly evaluate the effectiveness of each respective program as well as shortfalls. These committees are considered the experts in the field. They use available data and analysis to make recommendations for change, if needed, to each respective system of care. These recommended changes are discussed with the EMS Director.

### CQI Skills Retainment Requirements

Through its CQI system, the EMS Agency has implemented and maintained several requirements that assist in the maintenance of essential knowledge and skills. These CQI requirements include:

- Patient Contact requirement of 240 patient contacts per year. If unable to obtain 240 patient contacts, the paramedic will be evaluated for 5 ALS calls.
- Paramedic Field Evaluation for the first two years after initial accreditation, a
  paramedic shall be by a provider training officer at least once every 6 months.
- ACLS Requirement
- BTLS/PHTLS Requirement
- AED service providers shall be evaluated for skills efficiency every 6 months
- AED service providers will have at least 4 hours of case review every two years

### X. Training and Education

The provider agencies, through their internal CQI process, are responsible for creating and monitoring issue resolution programs in conjunction with the EMS Medical

Director, up to and including individual performance improvement plans, education and training, standardized education and if necessary, discipline.

Once a decision to take action or to solve a problem has occurred, training, and education are critical components that need to be addressed. The need for training is presented to the provider agency and personnel from said agency work in conjunction with the CQI personnel to ensure that appropriate training is presented to the prehospital care personnel.

To implement change, one must deliver verifiable, ongoing training that is appropriate to the skill level and service goals of the organization. Depending on the issue and weight of the problem, the EMS Agency can identify a topic to be included in continuing education or the EMS Agency can develop standardized training to be disseminated to all the provider agencies. Examples of this training include paramedic update classes held annually to assure that all field staff are up to date with all policies, procedures, and protocols, as well as Mobile Intensive Care Nurse updates.

The EMS Agency approves and monitors on an on-going basis EMT and Paramedic Training Programs, and Continuing Education Provider Programs. EMT and Paramedic Training Programs are approved, monitored, and managed in accordance with Title 22 regulations. Continuing Education Provider Programs are approved, monitored, and managed in accordance with Title 22 regulations and Division *Prehospital Continuing Education Policies and Procedures*. Updates are requested on a bi-annual basis with an account for the number of courses taught.

The EMS Agency conducts an orientation course to prospective paramedics seeking local accreditation. This course focuses on local policy, procedures, and protocols. An exam is given at the end of the course with a mandatory pass rate of 80%.

A training course is offered to nurses seeking MICN accreditation, which also includes an exam at the end of the course with a mandatory pass rate of 80%. Additionally, MICN's are required to complete ALS ground ambulance transport ride-along and are assigned a preceptor for responding to ALS radio call-ins and requests for medical control.

Division approved base hospitals are obligated to provide education to pre-hospital providers. Typically, this education is in collaboration with other hospitals. Other forms of Base Hospital education include case review, base station call review, specialty system of care overview, and clinical observations.