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## REGULATORY/ MEDICAL HEALTH SERVICES EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

MEMO

DATE:

August 21, 2019

TO:

BASE HOSPITALS (BHC AND BHP)

**EMERGENCY RECEIVING CENTERS** 

AMBULANCE COMPANIES ERC MEDICAL DIRECTORS FIRE EMS COORDINATORS

FROM:

CARL H. SCHULTZ, MD

MEDICAL DIRECTOR, ORANGE COUNTY EMS AGENCY

SUBJECT:

LIFTING SUSPENSION OF CARDIOVASCULAR RECEIVING CENTER

DESIGNATION FOR WEST ANAHEIM MEDICAL CENTER

Effective at 7:00 AM, August 21, 2019, the Orange County EMS Agency lifted the suspension of West Anaheim Medical Center as a designated Cardiovascular Receiving Center (CVRC).

Patients with EKG changes consistent with acute myocardial infarction (STEMI) as well as cardiac arrest patients achieving return of spontaneous circulation (ROSC) can now be directed by a base hospital to West Anaheim Medical Center.

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