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TO:

ORANGE COUNTY PREHOSPITAL CARE PROVIDERS AND BASE HOSPITALS

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

DOPAMINE MOVED TO OPTIONAL ALS INVENTORY ITEM DUE TO NATIONWIDE

SHORTAGE

Due to a national shortage of supplies of dopamine, Orange County EMS has moved all dopamine formulations (vials, prefilled syringes, and premixed solutions) to optional inventory status for Orange County Advanced Life Support (ALS) providers. The shortage is expected to persist for an extensive period of time.

Please contact Orange County EMS at 714 834 2824 or by email at sstratton@ochca.com for any questions or comments concerning this matter.

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