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TO: OCEMS Base Hospital Physicians  
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FROM: Sam J. Stratton, MD, MPH  
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**SUBJECT: DIVERSION OF EMS TRANSPORTS TO SADDLEBACK-MEMORIAL  
MEDICAL CENTER – SAN CLEMENTE (654 CAMINO DE LOS MARES, SAN  
CLEMENTE, CA 92673)**

Effective at 7:00 a.m. on Friday, May 27, Saddleback Memorial Medical Center – San Clemente will be placed on diversion status for all ambulance and 9-1-1 dispatched transports into the Emergency Department of the hospital. Diversion status will be continuous until 12:01 a.m. on May 31 when the basic services and emergency services of the hospital are scheduled to be suspended and the hospital and emergency department will no longer be accepting new patients.