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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Emergency Ambulance Providers
Non-Emergency Ambulance Providers
Air Ambulance Providers
ALS First Response Providers
Receiving Hospitals

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SUBJ.: Scheduled Med Net Radio System Outage – Time Change

San Joaquin County Communications will be upgrading the County's microwave system between Monday February 23 and Friday February 27, 2009. This upgrade will result in the temporary outage of the Med Net radio system for up to 12 minutes on two separate days. The table below lists the dates, times, and the Med Net channels affected during the upgrade:

Date	Day	Times	Affected Med Net Channels
2/23/09	Monday	1000 to 1030	San Joaquin General (Med 1) North of Eight Mile Rd.
2/24/09	Tuesday	0430 to 0500	San Joaquin General (Med 1 and 2) Countywide

Please note: The February 23rd outage has change from 0930 to 1000 hours.

During the outage periods ambulance and ALS providers should communicate with the base hospital at San Joaquin General by using the VHF HEAR radio (155.4000, PL 107.2), cellular telephone on the paramedic taped line, or dispatch relays.

Questions related to the temporary Med Net outage may be directed to Phil Cook, Disaster Medical Health Specialist, by telephone (209) 468-7494 or by email at pcook@sigov.org.