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San Joaquin County Emergency Medical Services Agency



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EMS Liaison Committee
Friday, July 24, 2020 at 0900 hours
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DATE: July 24, 2020

TO: EMS Liaison Committee

PREPARED BY: Matthew R. Esposito, MS, MICP
Pre-Hospital Care Coordinator

SUBJECT: Emergency Medical Services Agency Logistics Branch

RECOMMENDED ACTION: N/A

FISCAL IMPACT: N/A

DISCUSSION:

On February 6, 2020, the San Joaquin County Emergency Medical Services Agency enacted the Medical Health Operational Area Coordination (MHOAC) Logistics Branch, in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Operating with the initial objective of supplying personal protective equipment (PPE) such as N95 masks, surgical masks and isolation gowns, to hospitals, fire departments, ambulance providers and long-term care facilities. The objectives quickly advanced to providing hospital beds, pharmaceuticals and laboratory testing supplies as well as supplying PPE to doctors' offices, dentists, clinics and law enforcement. To date, the EMS Logistics Branch has processed over 1.5 million items and gone from a staff of one person, Disaster Medical Health Specialist, Phil Cook, to a staff of 12 San Joaquin County employees from various departments such as Public Works, Human Services Agency and Probation. Figures No. 1 and No. 2 are simple breakdowns of various supplies distributed to various recipient groups to date.

Row Labels	Sum of QUANTITY
Ambulance	76816
Dentist	82644
Doctors Office	84199
Fire	59550
Hospital	641391
LTC	407938
Optometry	3351
Police	500
San Joaquin County	127278
Grand Total	1483667

Row Labels	Sum of QUANTITY
BED	500
FACE SHIELDS	52046
GLOVE	679680
GOGGLE	1490
GOWN	52926
ISOLATION MASK	312711
N95	247949
SANITIZER	16772
TESTING SUPPLIES	89365
Grand Total	1453439

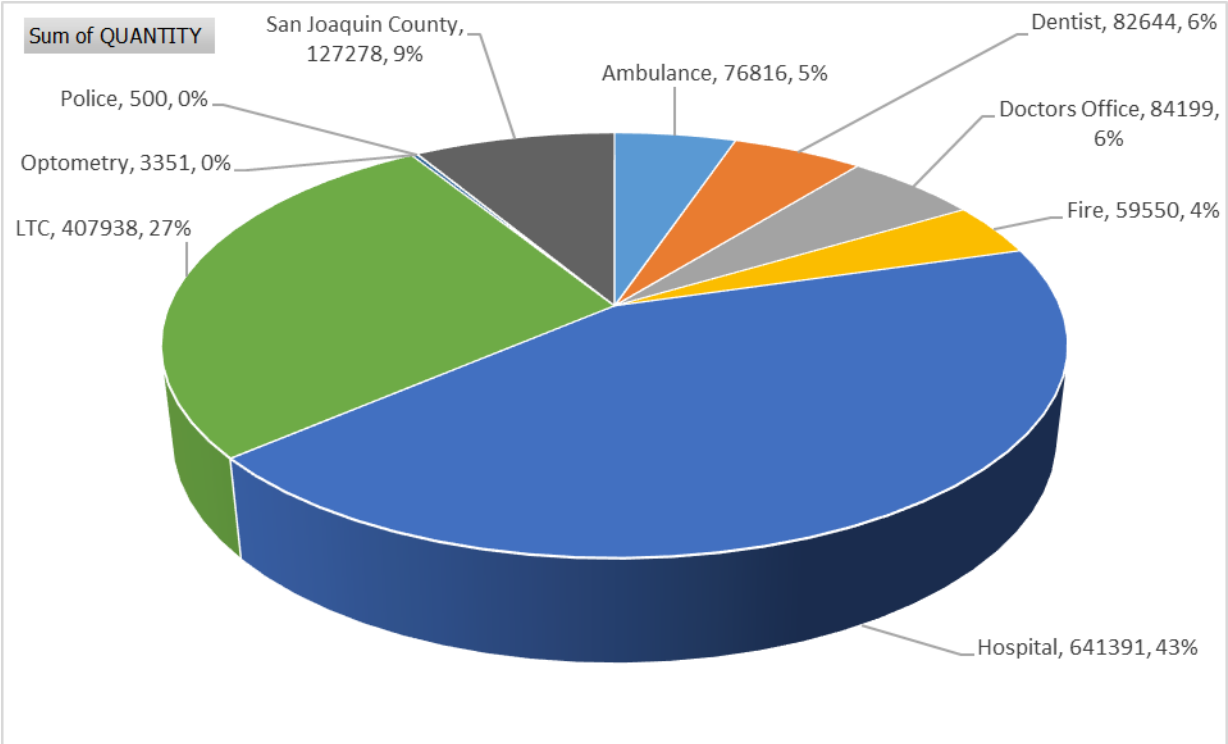


Figure 1 Recipient group breakdown

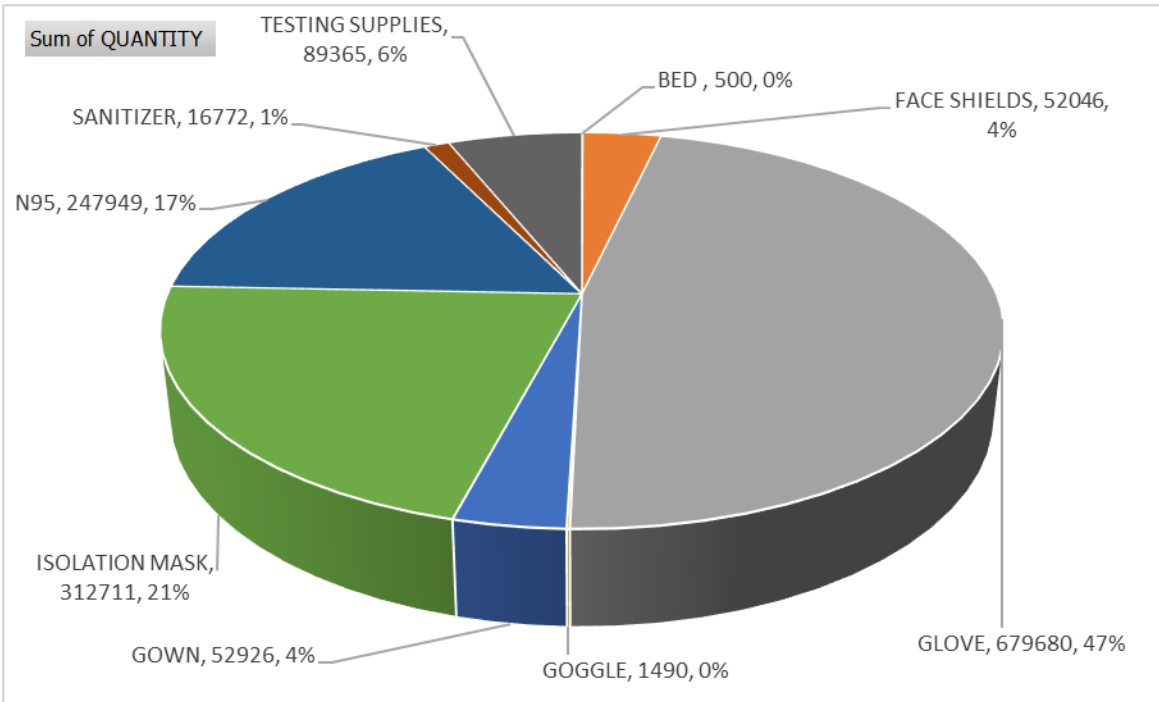


Figure 2 Deployed Items breakdown.



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DATE: July 22, 2020

TO: EMS Liaison Committee

PREPARED BY: Christine Tualla, EMS Specialist
Matthew Esposito, Prehospital Care Coordinator

SUBJECT: EMS Personnel Report – COVID-19

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Receive information on EMS Personnel activities.

DISCUSSION:

On March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom proclaimed a State of Emergency from the threat of the Coronavirus (COVID-19). On March 15, 2020, the governor issued executive order N-27-20 to address the need for an increase in healthcare workers. On March 30, 2020, the governor then issued executive order N-39-20 to address the continued operation of the Emergency Medical Services system.

As such Dr. Shafer issued the following San Joaquin County EMS Agency (SJCEMSA) Policy Memorandums:

Date Issued	SJCEMSA Policy Memorandum No. & Title	Supersedes
03/18/2020	2020-07 Extension of ACLS and CPR Card Expiration Dates	N/A
03/20/2020	2020-09 Coronavirus (COVID-19) Paramedic Accreditation	N/A
03/25/2020	2020-09 (Revised) Coronavirus (COVID-19) Paramedic Accreditation (Revised)	2020-09
03/27/2020	2020-07 (Revised) Extension of ACLS and CPR Card Expiration Dates and EMT/EMR Skills Competency Verification Forms	2020-07
04/06/2020	2020-19 Coronavirus (COVID-19) EMS Personnel Applicants	2020-07 & 2020-09
04/28/2020	2020-19 (Revised) Coronavirus (COVID-19) EMS Personnel Applicants (Revised)	2020-19
05/28/2020	2020-19 (Revised v.2) Coronavirus (COVID-19) EMS Personnel Applicants	2020-19 (Revised)
7/20/2020	2020-19 (Revised v.3) Coronavirus (COVID-19) EMS Personnel Applicants	2020-19 (Revised v.2)

The most current policy memorandum addressing personnel was issued on July 20, 2020. These memorandums were issued with guidance provided by the California EMS Authority. The most notable action that applies to all EMS Personnel classifications is that all certification, accreditations, and authorizations with expiration dates for March, April, May, and June were extended to July 31, 2020. Further, for the purpose of this extension, when the certification, accreditation, or authorization was renewed, by submission of a complete and valid application, the expiration date was reverted back to the historical month of expiration.

The second most notable action which applies to accredited paramedics is that paramedics who had apply to renew accreditation during the current public health emergency are allowed to complete a PSR course through August 31, 2020. SJCEMSA issued temporary accreditation cards valid through August 31, 2020, to applicants that had not completed the PSR course.

All other actions can be viewed in the policy memorandum.



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DATE: July 24, 2020

TO: EMS Liaison Committee

PREPARED BY: Amanda Petroske, MSN, EMS Trauma Coordinator
Jeffrey Costa, BSN, EMS Critical Care Coordinator

SUBJECT: Emergency Medical Services Agency Remdesivir Distribution

RECOMMENDED ACTION: N/A

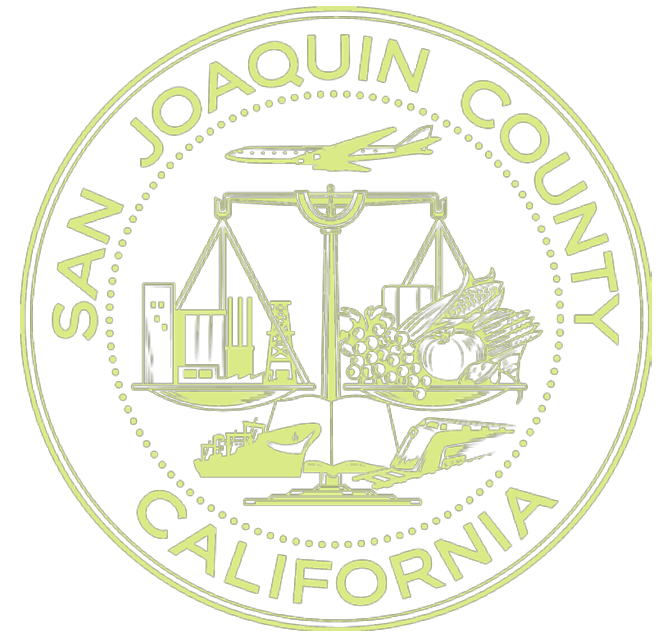
FISCAL IMPACT: N/A

DISCUSSION:

Remdesivir is an investigational antiviral compound undergoing clinical trials in a number of countries as a potential treatment for COVID-19. In May 2020 California Department of Public Health received the first allotment from the United States Federal government in coordination with the Food and Drug Administration authorizing the use of Remdesivir for treatment of COVID-19 under an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA). May 8, 2020 San Joaquin County Emergency Medical Agency received the first allocation of Remdesivir for distribution under Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC). EMS Policy Memorandum No. 2020-27: Distribution of Remdesivir, was released to ensure Remdesivir was being given to patients who met the requirements of the EUA, CDPH, and the additional criteria created by the Chief Medical Officers of each San Joaquin County hospital. As of July 8, 2020 136 courses of Remdesivir treatment were distributed by SJCEMSA to COVID-19 positive patients in the San Joaquin County hospital system. In addition to meeting all criteria identified, each patient must be consented and provided with informational handouts in relation to Remdesivir. Patients in San Joaquin County who received Remdesivir have been reported to have improved oxygenation levels, shorter hospitalizations, and ability to return to their prior living situations.



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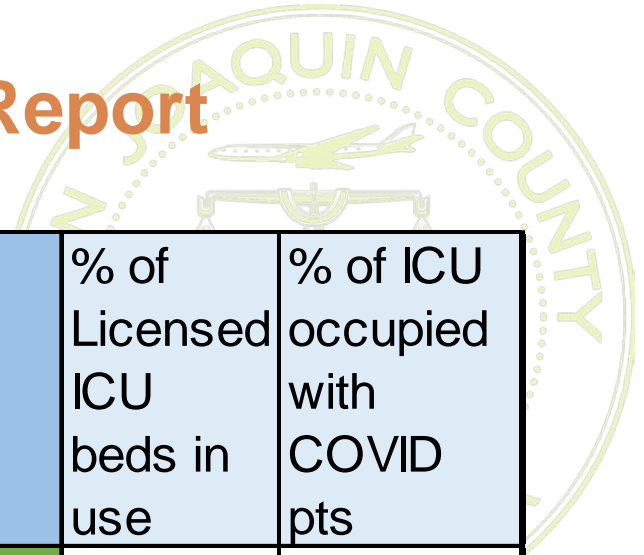


COVID 19 - EMS

SJC EMS Agency, Medical Health Operational Area
Coordinator, and Emergency Services Function-8

July 21, 2020

COVID-19 Hospital Report



Hospital	% of Licensed ICU beds in use	% of ICU occupied with COVID pts
Adventist Health Lodi Memorial Hospital	120%	100%
Dameron Hospital Association	58%	72%
Doctors Hospital of Manteca	113%	22%
Kaiser Foundation Hospital Manteca	100%	83%
San Joaquin General Hospital	138%	55%
St. Joseph's Medical Center	172%	58%
Sutter Tracy Community Hospital	100%	63%

Federal Assistance Team

ADVENTIST HEALTH LODI MEMORIAL

Arrived on July 15, 2020



Team Members originated from Travis Air Force Base and included:

- 3 physicians (2 internal medicine and 1 family medicine),
- 1 Physician Assistant,
- 11 Registered Nurses (6 critical care and 5 medical surgical),
- 2 ICU Technicians (similar to LVN level training),
- 2 Respiratory Providers.

Immediate impact from team arriving in San Joaquin County:

- Intensive Care Unit capacity doubles at AHLM to 20 beds,
- Medical-Surgical Bed capacity increased by 10 bed with potential to 30 in upcoming week.

Federal Assistance Team

Dameron Hospital Association

Arrived on July 17, 2020



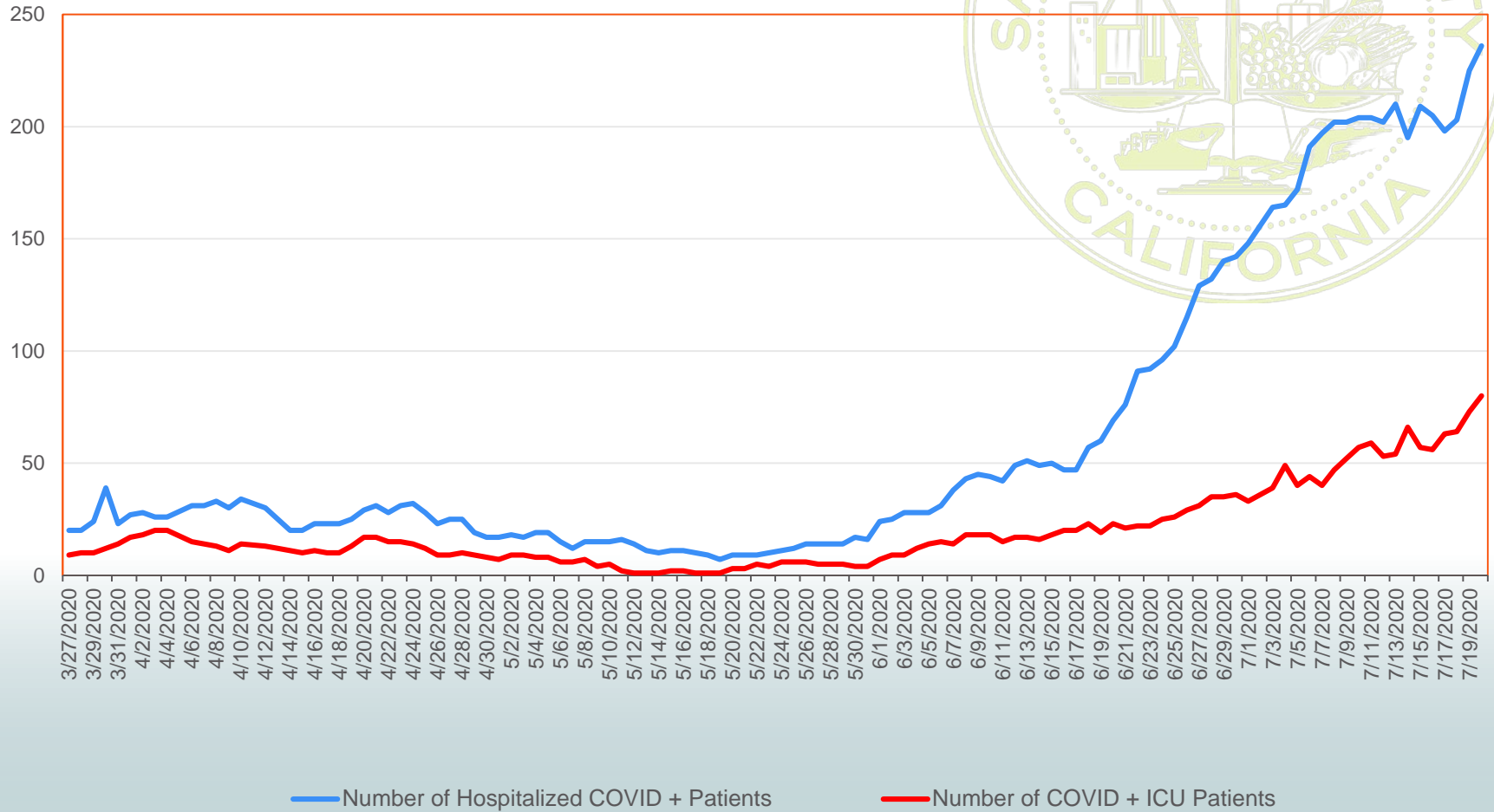
Team Members originated from Travis Air Force Base and included:

- 11 Registered Nurses (4 emergency department and 5 medical surgical),
- 2 ICU Technicians (similar to LVN level training),
- 2 Respiratory Providers.

Immediate impact from team arriving in San Joaquin County:

- Increase capacity and support chronically understaffed facility operating at minimal licensed bed capacity,
- Supports increased Intensive Care Unit capacity,
- Medical-Surgical Bed capacity increased by 10 beds and potential to increase.

San Joaquin County EMS Agency COVID-19 Hospitalization Tracking Report



San Joaquin County EMS Agency Hospital Census Tracking Report

