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MEMORANDUM

DATE: November 15, 2022

TO: All EMS Prehospital Personnel

FROM: Katherine Shafer, MD
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SUBJ.: Local Health Officer Order for Influenza Vaccination

Health Officer Dr. Maggie Park, MD, has issued the attached order directing all Health Care Workers, including prehospital care personnel, to receive a flu vaccination for the flu season (generally November 1 through April 30th). Prehospital care personnel who are exempt from the vaccination are required to wear a surgical mask at all times while working to prevent droplet transmission to patients. For further information regarding this order, contact Public Health Services at 209-468-3411.

For San Joaquin County flu information: [Influenza Vaccination of All Health-Care Workers \(HCW\) During Flu Season-1.pdf \(sjcphs.org\)](#)

For more information, you may access <https://www.cdc.gov/flu/>

To find where vaccine is available, you may access <https://vaccinefinder.org/>

For state flu information:
<https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/Immunization/Influenza.aspx>

Thank you for your attention.