

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this policy is to define the use of each Med Net radio channel.

AUTHORITY:

Health and Safety Code, Division 2.5, Section 1797.220, 1798 et seq.;  
Title 47 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 90, Section 90.20 (a)(1)(iii), (a)(2)(xiii), (c)(3)  
and (d)(66)(i).

DEFINITIONS:

- A. "Base Hospital" means San Joaquin General Hospital which is responsible for directing the prehospital care system in accordance with the policies of the SJCEMSA.
- B. "Disaster Control Facility" or "DCF" means San Joaquin General Hospital which is assigned responsibility by the SJCEMSA for determining the destination of patients transported by ambulance from a multi-casualty incident in accordance with the policies and procedures of the SJCEMSA
- C. "Med Net" means a pool of UHF public safety frequency pairs designated by the Federal Communications Commission for use by persons or entities engaged in the provision of basic or advanced life support services.
- D. "Receiving Hospital" means a licensed general acute care hospital with a permit for basic or comprehensive emergency services.
- E. "SJCEMSA" means the San Joaquin County Emergency Medical Services Agency

POLICY:

- I. Prehospital personnel will communicate with hospitals using the following Med Net radio channels:
  - A. Channel 1 – Adventist Health Lodi Memorial (Receiving Hospital)
  - B. Channel 2 – San Joaquin General (Base and Receiving Hospital)
  - C. Channel 3 – Kaiser Hospital Manteca (Receiving Hospital)
  - D. Channel 4 – Sutter Tracy Community (Receiving Hospital)
  - E. Channel 5 – Doctor's Hospital of Manteca (Receiving Hospital)

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- F. Channel 6 – San Joaquin General (Disaster Control Facility)
  - G. Channel 7 – Dameron (Receiving Hospital)
  - H. Channel 8 – St. Joseph’s Medical Center (Receiving Hospital)
- II. Channel 6 will only be used for prehospital to Disaster Control Facility communications during multi-casualty incidents, including MCI pre-alert notifications.
- III. San Joaquin County Med Net channels 1 through 8 are required to be programmed in accordance with Table 1.

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TITLE: Med Net Radio Communications Plan

EMS Policy No. 3400

Ch #	Function	Channel Name/Trunked Radio System Talkgroup	Assignment	RX Freq N or W	RX Tone/NAC	TX Freq N or W	TX Tone/NAC	Mode (A, D, or M)	Remarks
1	Hospital Contact	Med 1	Adventist Health Lodi Memorial	463.0000 (N)	DPL 132	468.0000 (N)	DPL 132	A	Ambulance to hospital communications. Non repeated duplex
2	Hospital Orders and Base Hospital Contact	Med 2	San Joaquin General Hospital	463.0250 (N)	162.2 (5B)	468.0250 (N)	162.2 (5B)	A	Countrywide coverage, ambulance to hospital communications & base orders
3	Hospital Contact	Med 3	Kaiser Hospital Manteca	463.0500 (N)	DPL 331	468.0500 (N)	DPL 331	A	Ambulance to hospital communications. Non repeated duplex
4	Hospital Contact	Med 4	Sutter Tracy Comm Hospital	463.0750 (N)	162.2 (5B)	468.0750 (N)	162.2 (5B)	A	Ambulance to hospital communications. Non repeated duplex
5	Hospital Contact	Med 5	Doctor's Hospital of Manteca	463.1000 (N)	DPL 532	468.1000 (N)	DPL 532	A	Ambulance to hospital communications. Non repeated duplex
6	Disaster Control Facility Contact	Med 6	San Joaquin General Hospital	463.1250 (N)	162.2 (5B)	468.1250 (N)	162.2 (5B)	A	Countrywide coverage, MCI communications
7	Hospital Contact	Med 7	Dameron Hospital	463.1500 (N)	DPL 732	468.1500 (N)	DPL 732	A	Ambulance to hospital communications. Non repeated duplex
8	Hospital Contact	Med 8	St. Joseph's Medical Center	463.1750 (N)	162.2 (5B)	468.1750 (N)	162.2 (5B)	A	Ambulance to hospital communications. Non repeated duplex
<b>Channel Naming Convention:</b> 1. Lodi Memorial 2. SJ General 3. Kaiser Manteca 4. Sutter Tracy 5. Doctors Manteca 6. SJC - MCI 7. Dameron 8. St. Josephs									

Table 1

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