



Tuolumne County Emergency Medical Services Agency

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To: County Administrator, All Tuolumne County First Responders, Public Safety Personnel, Fire Department Personnel, EMS Personnel, Emergency Department Personnel

From: Kimberly Freeman, MD, CPE, FACEP, Paramedic, Health Officer & EMS Medical Director

Re: EMS System Challenges and Operational Solutions

Tuolumne County Ambulance is currently experiencing a significant staff shortage due to illness that is expected to be at its worst level July 13-23. With reduction of available staff, the usual complement of 5 ambulances/day are unable to be fully staffed, placing our residents and visitors at risk of significantly delayed emergency medical service.

Therefore, Tuolumne County Ambulance will temporarily supplement with ambulances and personnel from Manteca District Ambulance from 0800 July 13 – 0800 July 24. This will be allowed per policy #260 Temporary Recognition of Mutual Aid Personnel. These personnel will have been oriented on Tuolumne County policies and procedures and have had their licenses and/or certifications with California EMSA and San Joaquin County EMS verified as in good standing.

Please contact Tuolumne County EMS Agency at (209) 533-7460 with any questions.

Sincerely,

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