



Inland Counties Emergency Medical Agency

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TO: CEO's All 9-1-1 Receiving Hospitals
Referring Centers' Emergency Department Representatives

FROM: Reza Vaezazizi, MD *[Signature]* Virginia Hastings *[Signature]*
ICEMA Medical Director ICEMA Executive Director

SUBJECT: STROKE CENTER UPDATE MEETING

You are invited to the ICEMA Stroke Center update meeting. ICEMA will be discussing the development of this system and topics such as hospital criteria, pre-hospital education, protocol development, and process improvement at this meeting. The success of this program will depend greatly on a strong partnership and collaboration between ICEMA, first responders, stroke centers and non-stroke centers, whose emergency departments will be serving as referring facilities in this program. Following the development of the Stroke Center Program, it will be reviewed by the Emergency Medical Care Committee and ultimately forwarded to ICEMA's Governing Board.

Your input in this process is valuable. Please RSVP no later than April 25, 2011.

The meeting will be held on:

DATE: Wednesday, April 27, 2011
TIME: 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm. Lunch will be provided.
LOCATION: Arrowhead Regional Medical Center - Oak Room
400 North Pepper Avenue
Colton, CA 92324

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Chris Yoshida-McMath, RN at (909) 388-5823 or at c.yoshida-mcmath@cao.sbcounty.gov.

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