



Date: 14 December 2012

Subject: Level I Stroke Hospital

To: All Emergency Dispatchers, Emergency Medical Responders, EMT — Basics, EMT-intermediates, Paramedics, Fire Chiefs, Executive, Directors, Supervisors, Administrators, MCB Physicians

Re: St Francis Hospital Stroke Care: Level I

Effective immediately, the Office of the Medical Director is pleased to announce one additional hospital that has met the Level I Stroke Hospital criteria. The following hospital is now approved to receive all priorities of Stroke patients specifically including those with onset of Stroke symptoms greater than 3 hours and less than or equal to 6 hours: Eastern Division - St. Francis Hospital

These updated hospital capabilities were approved by the Medical Control on 12 December 2012 and are immediately effective for patient care purposes. The updated revisions will be posted in Protocol 1.1. Please congratulate our colleagues at this hospital for their advancements in Stroke Care.

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