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ORDER OF THE HEALTH OFFICER

Pursuant to California Health and Safety Code section 120175, the Health Officer of the County of San Diego (Health Officer) **ORDERS AS FOLLOWS**:

All general acute care hospitals within San Diego county shall resume reporting all hospitalized COVID-19 and/or influenza cases into the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's National Healthcare Safety Network.

At minimum, the following relevant data entry fields shall be used:

REPORTING_FOR_DATEHOSPITAL_NAMETOTAL_ADULT_PATIENTS_HOSPITALIZED_CONFIRMED_COVID:TOTAL_PEDIATRIC_PATIENTS_HOSPITALIZED_CONFIRMED_COVIDPREVIOUS_DAY_ADMISSION_ADULT_COVID_CONFIRMEDPREVIOUS_DAY_ADMISSION_PEDIATRIC_COVID_CONFIRMEDTOTAL_PATIENTS_HOSPITALIZED_CONFIRMED_INFLUENZAPREVIOUS_DAY_ADMISSION_INFLUENZA_CONFIRMED

This order shall be effective as of July 20, 2024, and shall remain in effect until terminated by the Health Officer.

IT IS SO ORDERED:

Date: July 19, 2024

Seema Shah for Ankita Kadakia

Ankita Kadakia, M.D. Interim Public Health Officer County of San Diego