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COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO PREHOSPITAL EXTRACORPOREAL CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION (ECPR) PILOT PROGRAM: ADDITION OF UCSD MEDICAL CENTER HILLCREST, EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 7, 2024

We are pleased to announce that UCSD Medical Center Hillcrest has been accepted into the ECPR Pilot Program. **Effective November 7, 2024**, approved ECPR Receiving Centers are:

- Sharp Grossmont Hospital
- Sharp Memorial Hospital
- Scripps Memorial Hospital La Jolla
- UCSD Medical Center Hillcrest (*as of November 7, 2024*)

Resource Bridge will be updated to indicate that UCSD Medical Center Hillcrest is an ECPR Receiving Center.

We are excited to expand this lifesaving ECPR Pilot Program to include a fourth partner. Thank you for your attention to early identification and transport of patients meeting ECPR criteria. Your expertise in the prehospital setting is critical to the success of this program.

Sincerely,

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