## **MEMORANDUM**

To: Emergency Medical Responders

From: Debbie Harris, Certification Manager

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Subject: S-SV EMS Agency Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) certification is

now available

## **Emergency Medical Responders:**

We have been informed that Sierra-Sacramento EMS Agency EMR Program is now operational. If you are currently certified as an Emergency Medical Responder (previously First Responder) by Nor-Cal EMS, and utilize your skills in the S-SV area, please see the information from S-SV EMS below and contact them if you have further questions.

Debbie Harris, Certification Manager

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S-SV EMS Agency Emergency Medical Responder (EMR) certification is now available – Initial EMR applicants must complete the EMR certification process prior to functioning in this capacity in the S-SV EMS Region. Personnel who are currently certified as either an EMR or First Responder by another entity are allowed to continue to function in this capacity, but must complete the S-SV EMS recertification process upon the expiration of their current EMR or First Responder certification.

The EMR Certification / Recertification Policy (Reference No. 904) as well as the EMR Certification / Recertification application can be viewed and downloaded from the "Certification" section on this website (SSV website).

Emergency Medical Responder Training Programs / Instructors who plan to conduct classes in the S-SV EMS Region — S-SV EMS Agency program approval is required for all EMR training classes beginning on or after March 1, 2011. The Emergency Medical Responder Training Program Requirements & Approval Process Policy (Reference No. 1004) can be viewed and downloaded from the "Training" section on this website. Please contact the S-SV EMS Agency to request an EMR Training Program Application if necessary.

Please contact SSV EMS Agency if you have any questions:

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