

Summary of Policy Revisions

Policy Number	Title	Action Taken	Details
2050	Paramedic Accreditation	Revision	<p>New Section VII. allows for a Paramedic seeking to transfer employment between San Francisco based ALS providers remains an accredited Paramedic when :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He/she is employed and working in the field as a Paramedic for the new employer within 90 days of the date last worked in the field as a Paramedic from the last employer; and • The accreditation period is current. <p>Section VII. also defines the employer and employee requirements for transferring Paramedic accreditation.</p>
4020	Emergency Medical Services Aircraft Utilization	Revision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Update on Feb 1, 2015 added Veterans Administration Medical Center and UCSF Mission Bay helipads to Appendix B. • No other changes to the policy.
5000 / 5000.1	Destination Policy and Chart	Revision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective date for this policy is February 1, 2015 to accommodate the opening of the UCSF Mission Bay facility. • The pediatric medical and emergent criteria were moved to follow the adult criteria in Section IV to better mirror the language used for adults. • Section IV D. Pediatric cardiac arrest patients must now be taken to Pediatric Critical Care Centers - not STAR centers. The rationale for this change is that the level and type of pediatric critical care services needed by pedi ROSC patients is different than adults (e.g. most do not need cardiac catheterization). • CPMC – California Campus and UCSF - Mission Bay Campus are the only pediatric critical care centers in San Francisco. • 5000.1 Destination Chart revised by moving the UCSF pediatric critical care designation AND obstetrics designation from the Parnassus Campus to the Mission Bay Campus.