EMD AND MEDICAL BACKUP FOR SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

APPROVED: _____ _____ _____ _____
EMS Medical Director EMS Administrator

1. South San Francisco will transfer medical service calls to PSC for EMD.

   1.1 When transferring a call for EMD only, the SSF dispatcher will state, "SSF transferring, Rescue 61/63 en route."

   1.2 When transferring a call for EMD and for a paramedic response, the SSF dispatcher will state, "SSF transferring, requesting a paramedic response."

2. When available, SSF R-61/63 are the first-in paramedic response for the incorporated city limits of South San Francisco and unincorporated areas of the County in the South San Francisco area.

3. If SSF R-61/63 are unavailable, SSF Communications will transfer the call to PSC and a paramedic unit will be dispatched if system level is 4 or above.

4. Calls received by South San Francisco Communications will be dispatched to South San Francisco Fire and Rescue 61/63 over the SSF Fire frequency.

   4.1 SSF Communications is responsible for notifying SSF Fire of all calls.