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**TO:** Ambulance Providers  
California Active Restricted EMT Certificate Holders

**FROM:** Danielle Ogaz, Systems and Standards Chief 

**SUBJECT: CALIFORNIA ACTIVE RESTRICTED EMT CERTIFICATIONS**

On March 2, 2022, OCEMS issued memo #4283. This deadline has been extended to June 30, 2022. EMT's that currently hold an Active Restricted California EMT certification have until June 30, 2022, to meet the requirements for Active certification. In order to convert an Active Restricted EMT to an Active certification, the EMT must obtain an active NREMT certification by completing the psychomotor exam. The EMT is responsible for submitting proof of their NREMT certification to OCEMS through their OC-MEDS Licensure profile. Failure to complete the process will result in the expiration of the California Active-Restricted EMT Certification as well as the OC Driver Attendant Certificate. Should an EMT have questions or concerns regarding the NREMT process, please have them contact the EMT training program director of the program attended and/or NREMT to receive further direction regarding scheduling a psychomotor exam.

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