



EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES
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FACILITIES ADVISORY COMMITTEE ORANGE COUNTY EMS FACILITY DESIGNATIONS July 8, 2025

The following hospitals have applied to Orange County Emergency Medical Services (OCEMS) for Emergency Receiving Center (ERC) and/or Specialty status (Cardiovascular Receiving Center/CVRC, Stroke Neurology Receiving Center/SNRC, and Comprehensive Children’s Emergency Receiving Center/CCERC) designation or re-designation. This report summarizes the OCEMS review of their applications noting deficiencies, conditions and recommendations. Today, it is presented to the Facilities Advisory Committee for committee endorsement.

General Findings: The following facilities currently meet the designation requirements for Emergency Receiving Center and Specialty Center designation, when applicable. Endorsement considerations of designation are for one to three-year terms or otherwise specified as recommended by committee.

FACILITIES – CONTINUING DESIGNATIONS

Anaheim Global Medical Center

Emergency Receiving Center (ERC)

ERC DQ Completed: 04/11/2025
Site Survey Conducted: 05/08/2025
Program Review Dates: 05/2022-05/2025

Criteria Deficiencies:

The following conditions must be completed to satisfy criteria for designation as an Orange County Emergency Receiving Center.

	CONDITION	DESCRIPTION	CORRECTIVE ACTION	DUE DATE
1	APOT not to exceed 30 minutes per state and county regulation	Anaheim Global Medical Center’s 90 th percentile for 2023 was 46 minutes, 33:25 minutes for 2024, and 44:10 minutes January-March of 2025.	Hospital will submit corrective action plan, including protocol/policy, to decrease APOT in compliance with OCEMS policy #310.96 which states, “the APOT standard for OCEMS is set at 30 minutes”.	08/01/2025
2	ReddiNet Response Rate for MCIs must be >90% compliance.	Anaheim Global Medical Center had an average response rate to MCIs in 2023 of 44%, 81% for 2024, and improved to 98% for 2025 January-April.	Hospital will continue established corrective action plan to maintain compliance of >90% on all ReddiNet and H.E.A.R. responses.	08/01/2025
3	Compliance with OCEMS policy #300.00: On-Call Physician Specialists	Anaheim Global Medical Center lacked a pediatrician on their daily call roster who is always on-call and available to come into the hospital.	Hospital will acquire and maintain a 24/7 on-call pediatrician on their daily call roster.	09/01/2025



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The following are recommendations for improvement. Action is expected; however, current redesignation is not contingent on these actions.

RECOMMENDATIONS	
1	Update trauma policy, stroke policy, medical surge plan and pre-hospital exposure policies to reflect recommended improvements as instructed by OCEMS during site visit.
2	Continue efforts to improve Pediatric Readiness, including designating a Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator (PECC).
3	Revise process for going on diversion, to include a multi-disciplinary throughput committee, to improve APOT/Diversion balance.
4	Implement a process in which a RN/medical personnel is first contact for all ED patients to identify high acuity and time sensitive disease processes in a timely manner.
5	Increase clinical staff involvement with disaster preparation and increase number of drills, including decontamination.
6	Develop incident specific disaster plans that address specific hazards and considerations to pediatric, behavior health, and incarcerated patients.

Endorsement Consideration: **Three (3) years (05/2025-05/2028) – conditional**