

APPENDIX C. HOSPITAL SELECTION GUIDE



- a) Field paramedics and Dispatch shall NOT divert patients from an appropriately selected hospital without the approval of Medical Direction; patients with an altered level of consciousness shall not be taken to a hospital with a non-functioning CT Scanner.
- b) "Trauma Alert" (Priority 1 or 2) Adult patients are transported to the nearest Level 1 Hospital (SAMMC, UH); Pediatric "Trauma Alert" patients may ONLY be taken to University Hospital. "Trauma Alert" burn patients - All Adult Burn Trauma Alert (R-8) patients are transported to SAMMC, all Pediatric Burn Trauma Alert (R-7) patients are transported to University Hospital. Transports are done as rapidly as safely possible.
- c) Sexual assault patients 18 years or older who are assessed as Priority 2 or 3 patients (Non Trauma Alert) shall be transported to Methodist Specialty and Transplant Hospital; patients age 17 and under shall be transported to Children's Hospital of San Antonio.
- d) Free standing Emergency Centers (FEC's) accept Priority 3 patients. See STRAC FEC Typing Matrix for further guidance.
- e) Heart Alert: PCI - Percutaneous Coronary Intervention certified facility.
- f) Stroke Alert: Comprehensive - Comprehensive Stroke Center certified facility; Primary - Primary Stroke Center certified facility; or Acute Stroke Ready Center.
- g) Post ROSC Hypothermia: hospitals have capability to provide post-arrest targeted temperature management (hypothermia) therapies and provide critical care support for post cardiac arrest patients.

For other categories of care use the following grid:

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	Trauma Designation		Adult (Age 18 and older)			Heart Alert	Post ROSC Hypothermia	Stroke Alert	Obstetrics	Bariatric CT (Wt/Girth)	Pediatric (Age 17 and under)			
			P-1		P-2						Medical	P-1	Trauma	Medical
			Medical	Trauma	Medical									
Baptist Health System	L4	Baptist Medical Center	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	Yes	600 / 26	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Mission Trail Baptist Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	No	Primary	No	450 / 26	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L3	North Central Baptist Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	Yes	450 / 26	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Children's at North Central	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes ¹	No	450 / 26	Yes	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Northeast Baptist Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	Yes	675 / 30	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L4	St. Luke's Baptist Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Comprehensive	Yes	450 / 26	No ²	Yes	Yes	
Christus Santa Rosa	L3	Children's Hospital of San Antonio	No	No	No	No	No	Yes ¹	No	660 / 28	Yes	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Christus Santa Rosa Medical Center	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	Primary	No	450 / 23	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Christus Santa Rosa Westover Hills	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	Yes	450 / 28	No ²	Yes	Yes	
Methodist Healthcare System	L3	Methodist Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Comprehensive	Yes	660 / 30	No ²	No	No	
		Methodist Hospital Children's	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes ¹	No	660 / 30	Yes	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Methodist Hospital Metropolitan	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	Yes	450 / 28	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Methodist Hospital Northeast	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	No	660 / 28	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L4	Methodist Hospital Specialty and Transplant	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	No	650 / 27	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L3	Methodist Hospital Stone Oak	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Primary	Yes	450 / 28	No ²	Yes	Yes	
Other San Antonio Hospitals	L4	Methodist Hospital Texsan	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	No	No	No	425 / 27	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L1	San Antonio Military Medical Center *	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	No	Yes	500 / 30	No ²	No	Yes	
		South Texas Veteran's Health Care Center **	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	650 / 28	No	No	No	
	L4	Southwest General Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	No	Primary	Yes	450 / 27	No ²	Yes	Yes	
	L1	University Hospital	Yes	Yes	Yes	PCI	Yes	Comprehensive	Yes	650 / 27	No ²	No	No	
Freestanding Emergency Centers	L1	University Children's	No	No	No	No	No	Yes ¹	No	650 / 27	Yes	Yes	Yes	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Hausman	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Kelly	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Overlook	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Shavano Park	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Thousand Oaks	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Westover Hills	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Baptist Emergency Hospital - Zarzamora	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Children's Hospital of SA FEC Westover Hills	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	500 / 30	No ²	No	No	
		Christus Santa Rosa Emergency Center - Alon	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	350 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Methodist ER / Converse	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Methodist ER / De Zavala	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Methodist ER / Legacy Trails	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Methodist ER / Nacogdoches	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
		Methodist ER / Quarry	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No	
	Methodist ER / Westover Hills	No ²	No	No	No	No	No	No	450 / 27	No ²	No	No		

Pediatric
 Adult
 Service not available

*SAMMC - Accepts only military beneficiaries; ** VA Beneficiaries only; 1 - Accepts Pediatric Strokes; 2 - Except for P1 Override / Patient in Extremis.