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Santa Clara Valley Health & Hospital System



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To: EMS System Stakeholders

From: Josh Davies 
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**Subject: Departure of Assistant EMS Medical Director,
Dr. David Ghilarducci**

Effective February 8, 2010; Dr. David Ghilarducci will separate from the Santa Clara County EMS Agency in his current capacity of Assistant EMS Medical Director. Dr. Ghilarducci has been offered another career opportunity within Santa Clara County that would not enable him to continue his regulatory duties within the EMS Agency and also with his new employer.

Dr. Ghilarducci has been with the EMS Agency since September 2003, serving as the EMS Medical Director until he transitioned to the position of Assistant EMS Medical Director in November of 2009. During his time with the EMS Agency, Dr. Ghilarducci has been instrumental in the development of our Stroke and STEMI System, improving clinical quality care, and increasing the prehospital scope of practice. His leadership and clinical expertise has been evidenced by the implementation of many projects and initiatives that have enhanced our Emergency Medical Services System.

Although no longer serving as the EMS Assistant Medical Director, we are pleased to be able to have Dr. Ghilarducci remain as a key EMS System Stakeholder with our EMS System.

Based on the departure of Dr. Ghilarducci; Dr. Eric Rudnick, EMS Medical Director, will increase his time commitment by six hours per-week.

Please join me in thanking Dr. Ghilarducci for his contribution to our EMS System and for success in his new endeavor!

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