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**TO:** Local EMS Agency Administrators  
EMT Certifying Entities

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**Subject: ADMINISTRATIVE CLARIFICATION ON THE IMPLEMENTATION OF  
THE EMT REGULATIONS**

Due to multiple inquiries from EMT certifying entities and continuing education providers the EMS Authority is providing clarification to a discrepancy in the recently revised EMT Regulations and Skills Competency Verification Form.

It has been brought to the EMS Authority's attention that there is a difficulty with the use of the EMT skills competency form as the training for box #9 is not yet required. Both these sections of regulations are new and effective July 1, 2017.

- Chapter 2, Section 100080(a)(5) and Section 100081(a)(1)(E) require that an EMT, who is renewing or reinstating, submit a completed skills competency verification form. This new form includes verification of Epinephrine and Naloxone administration skills.
- Chapter 2, Section 100075(f) gives the EMT(s) 24 months after the effective date of the regulation (7/01/2019) to provide documentation of successful completion of the training in naloxone, epi-pen, and glucometer.

The EMS Authority is deferring the requirement of skills competency demonstration for Epinephrine & Naloxone Administration to the certifying entities until such a time that EMT(s) are required to obtain this training as specified in the EMT chapter of regulations.

If you have any questions, please contact Betsy Slavensky by phone at (916) 431-3717 or by email at [betsy.slavensky@emsa.ca.gov](mailto:betsy.slavensky@emsa.ca.gov).

Attachment: EMT Skills Verification Form