

## Memorandum

**Date:** March 4, 2022

**Subject:** DEPARTMENT NOTICE ON RESUMPTION OF PATIENT

ADMISSIONS TO DEPARTMENT OF STATE HOSPITALS-

COALINGA

On February 3, 2022, The Director of the Department State Hospitals (DSH) issued a directive pursuant to Governor Gavin Newsom's Proclamation of a State of Emergency dated March 4, 2020, and Executive Order N-35-20 issued March 21, 2020 extending a suspension of admissions to several DSH hospitals due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and Omicron variant surge.

The department is now issuing this notice that effective March 7, 2022, DSH-Coalinga is resuming admissions. DSH previously resumed admissions at DSH-Napa during the week of January 27, 2022; at DSH-Atascadero and DSH-Metropolitan the week of February 7, 2022; and at DSH-Patton the week of February 21, 2022.

Please contact DSH's Office of Communications if you have questions, at (916) 654-2410 or at OfficeofCommunications@dsh.ca.gov.

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