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TO: Contra Costa County Law Enforcement Agencies

FROM: Dr. David Goldstein, EMS Medical Director 

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SUBJECT: Law Enforcement Field Guidelines (COVID-19)

This bulletin is intended to provide focused guidance to Contra Costa County Law Enforcement personnel who provide **medical interventions to suspected or positive COVID-19 patients**. This guidance mirrors former published guidance for First Responders but is specific to Law Enforcement:

- **Recommended Personal Protective Equipment (“PPE”):**
 - o Contact precautions (gloves, gown)
 - o Airborne precautions (N95 mask or PAPR)
 - o Eye protection
- **Patient precautions (including patients in Cardiac Arrest):**
 1. Place surgical mask on all patients
 2. CPR will consist of AED and chest compressions
 - DO NOT use BVMs on these patients

Should you have any questions, please reach out to Marshall Bennett via email at marshall.bennett@cchealth.org.