



**\*\*\* PARAMEDIC ALERT \*\*\***

**No. 2009-01**

**Topic:** Zofran

**Effective:** Immediately

**Attention:** All El Dorado County Paramedics

Zofran Changes and Updates:

- The reporting requirement for the Zofran (ondansetron) trial study has been changed: Effective immediately, please fax copies of the completed PCR and CQI form to the EMS Agency (530-621-2758) by the end of your shift. The originals should continue to be routed to your department's CQI rep. Completion of the CQI form and the online survey is a MANDATORY requirement of this trial study and any missing CQI forms will be tracked down by your department's CQI rep.
- The preferred route of administration for Zofran is slow IV push. Only administer via the oral dissolving tablet route when IV access is unavailable or has not been obtained yet.
- Remember to contact the base station for any repeat or increased doses of Zofran above 4 mgs.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Brazzel", written in a cursive style.

David Brazzel, M.D.  
EMS Medical Director