

HEALTH COMMISSION
City and County of San Francisco
Resolution No. 08-07

**REAFFIRMING THE HEALTH COMMISSION'S COMMITMENT TO
TRAUMA CARE AT SAN FRANCISCO GENERAL HOSPITAL**

WHEREAS, San Francisco General Hospital Medical Center has a long-standing history of providing comprehensive trauma care to the people of San Francisco; and,

WHEREAS, the City and County of San Francisco is committed to providing high quality trauma care to San Francisco residents by maintaining San Francisco General Hospital Medical Center as the designated Level 1 Trauma Center; and,

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Health Commission has a long-standing history of supporting San Francisco General Hospital as a regional Level 1 Trauma Center, adopting resolutions in of support in 1998 and 2001; and

WHEREAS, the San Francisco Department of Public Health through the Emergency Medical Services section, has officially designated San Francisco General Hospital Medical Center as the sole source provider of Level 1 trauma care for the City and County of San Francisco; and,

WHEREAS, the Administration and Medical Staff at San Francisco General Hospital have, since 1972, cooperated to provide Trauma Center services to the citizens of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Health Commission reaffirms its strong support San Francisco General Hospital Medical Center as a regional Level 1 Trauma Center and maintains its commitment to providing professional services in accordance with the standards of the American College of Surgeons and California State regulations for trauma centers, Title 22, Division 9, Chapter 7.

I hereby certify that the San Francisco Health Commission at its meeting of June 19, 2007 adopted the foregoing resolution.

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Executive Secretary to the Health Commission