Kern County Inter-facility Transfer of Patients with STEMI for PCI

Patient presents with STEMI To non-PCI facility STEMI Referral Hospital

Start STEMI Referral Hospital Internal STEMI process if applicable

Establish patient request for which STEMI Receiving Center to transfer To

Call STEMI Hot Line for the STEMI Receiving Center and state “Code STEMI” for immediate transfer MD to MD call Fax ECG to STEMI Receiving Center Goal transfer out within 30min.

Consult with ED Physician regarding type of care needed on arrival (ventilator, vasopressors, risks, nursing needed on transfer)

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YES

Is Patient a thrombolytic candidate? Use TNK checklist

NO

YES

Implement TNK protocol Goal is Door to Needle within 30 min. and continue on to Stemi Receiving Center for possible Rescue PCI