

1 [Laguna Honda Quarterly Statistics Report.]

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3 **Resolution urging the Executive Administrator of Laguna Honda Hospital and**
4 **Rehabilitation Center to provide, on a quarterly basis, admissions statistics for Laguna**
5 **Honda Hospital detailing age, ethnicity, and referral information.**

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7 WHEREAS, Laguna Honda Hospital and Rehabilitation Center is licensed by the
8 California Department of Health Services as a general acute care hospital, distinct part skilled
9 nursing and rehabilitation center; and

10 WHEREAS, In February 2004, the Department of Public Health initiated a project with
11 the goal to improve patient flow from SFGH to LHH; and,

12 WHEREAS, To achieve this goal, in March 2004, the admissions policy at LHH was
13 changed to allow patients from SFGH ready for discharge to an SNF level of care as a priority,
14 replacing LHH's traditional first priority of persons not in a medical facility who cannot receive
15 adequate care in their present circumstances; and

16 WHEREAS, This change in policy caused a demographic change in the Laguna Honda
17 Hospital population that caused great concern among patients, staff, nearby residents, and
18 other members of the community; and

19 WHEREAS, On February 17, 2005, the Department of Public Health reversed its March
20 2004 decision, and returned the admission policy at LHH to the pre-March 2004 policy; and,

21 WHEREAS, Historical statistical information on admissions will help policy makers and
22 the public determine if the reversal in the admission policy is being fully implemented; now,
23 therefore be it

24 RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Executive Administrator of
25 Laguna Honda Hospital and Rehabilitation Center to provide, on a quarterly basis, admissions

1 statistics for Laguna Honda Hospital detailing age, ethnicity, and referral information,
2 comparing the current statistics to those of at least the last five years; and, be it

3 FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors urges the Executive
4 Administrator to make these statistics available on the Department of Public Health's web-site
5 and/or send copies to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, to be available for public view.

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March 15, 2005 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Alioto-Pier, Ammiano, Daly, Dufty, Elsbernd, Ma, Maxwell,
McGoldrick, Mirkarimi, Peskin, Sandoval

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on March 15, 2005 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Gloria L. Young
Clerk of the Board

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Date Approved

Mayor Gavin Newsom

Date: March 25, 2005

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter.

Clerk of the Board

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