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## **SPECIAL NOTICE**

In this week's Weekly Briefing there is an operational notice showing a flow chart of when Responders can attend Hospital with patients.

Part of the flow chart leads the responder to request permission from the Duty Officer to travel.

This from a Paramedic HPC perspective is totally unacceptable.

Staff side have requested that the notice be rescinded with immediate effect and at present this has not happened.

Yesterday Joint Staff Side Trade Unions then escalated to a grievance against the service and as the Grievance Policy clearly indicates that the "status quo" remains.

For those of you who are not sure what this means, it is you carry on working as you did previously and do not contact EOC.

We will keep you informed of developments as they occur. If you have any queries, please contact your UNISON Representative or write to our website.

Thank you for your attention.

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