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Date: June 5, 2017
TO: Mark Ostrand
FROM: Harry Kirlin
SUBJECT: Helicopter Operations

This memo covers helicopter operations at BUMC Tucson for the month of May. There were 112 medical flights during May, as compared to 121 in April and 96 a year ago.

There were eight observed violations of the “no-fly zone” in May. Four of the violations were attributed to high winds by the pilots. Three were pilots new to the area and unfamiliar with the pad. Officers spoke to those pilots and their departure was correct. Two of the above mentioned flights resulted in reports from our neighbors.

There were four other reports from our neighbors. In those instances, the officer on the pad observed the flight to be within acceptable limits.

Please pass on to our neighbors that if they have questions or concerns about a specific helicopter flight, they should feel free to contact me through BUMC Security at 694-6533.