SURVIVING STROKE WITHOUT DISABILITY

A severe stroke patient is more likely to live without long-term disability¹ if taken directly to a Level 1 stroke center² instead of the nearest facility.



of patients taken directly to a Level 1 stroke center live without long-term disability





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¹ Living without long-term disability means the patient either lives as they did pre-stroke or does not require daily assistance.

² A Level 1 stroke center has the capacity to provide the appropriate treatment for patients who have experienced an emergent large vessel occlusion (ELVO) stroke.

Source: Jayaraman, M. V., Hemendinger, M. L., Baird, G. L., Yaghi, S., Cutting, S., Saad, A., ... McTaggart, R. A. (2018, January). *EMS Triage to CSC Reduces Time to Treatment and Improves Outcomes in Patients with Large Vessel Occlusion.* Presentation at the International Stroke Conference, Los Angeles, CA.

