

RURAL ANESTHESIA: CRITICAL ACCESS, CLINICAL EXCELLENCE

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8-year-old boy's remarkable recovery one week after nearly drowning in Kings River



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FRESNO, Calif. (KPSN) -- A remarkable recovery in precious minutes likely saved 8-year-old Aiden Martin from drowning in the Kings River.

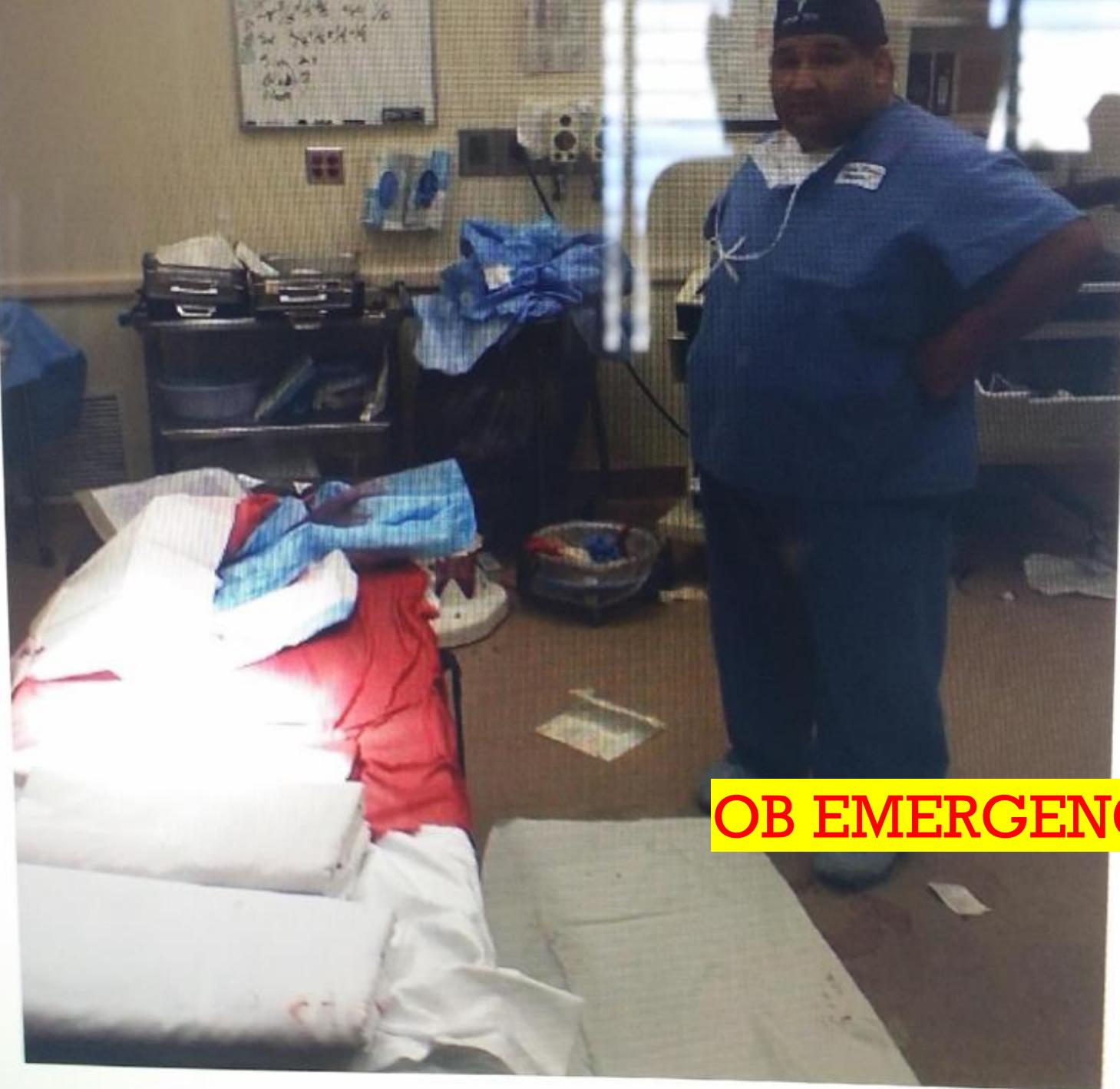
"To see him from the day it happened to his progress now, it's insane. A lot of people are in awe," said Richard Martin, the young boy's father.

NOT ROCKET SCIENCE – IT IS BRAIN SURGERY

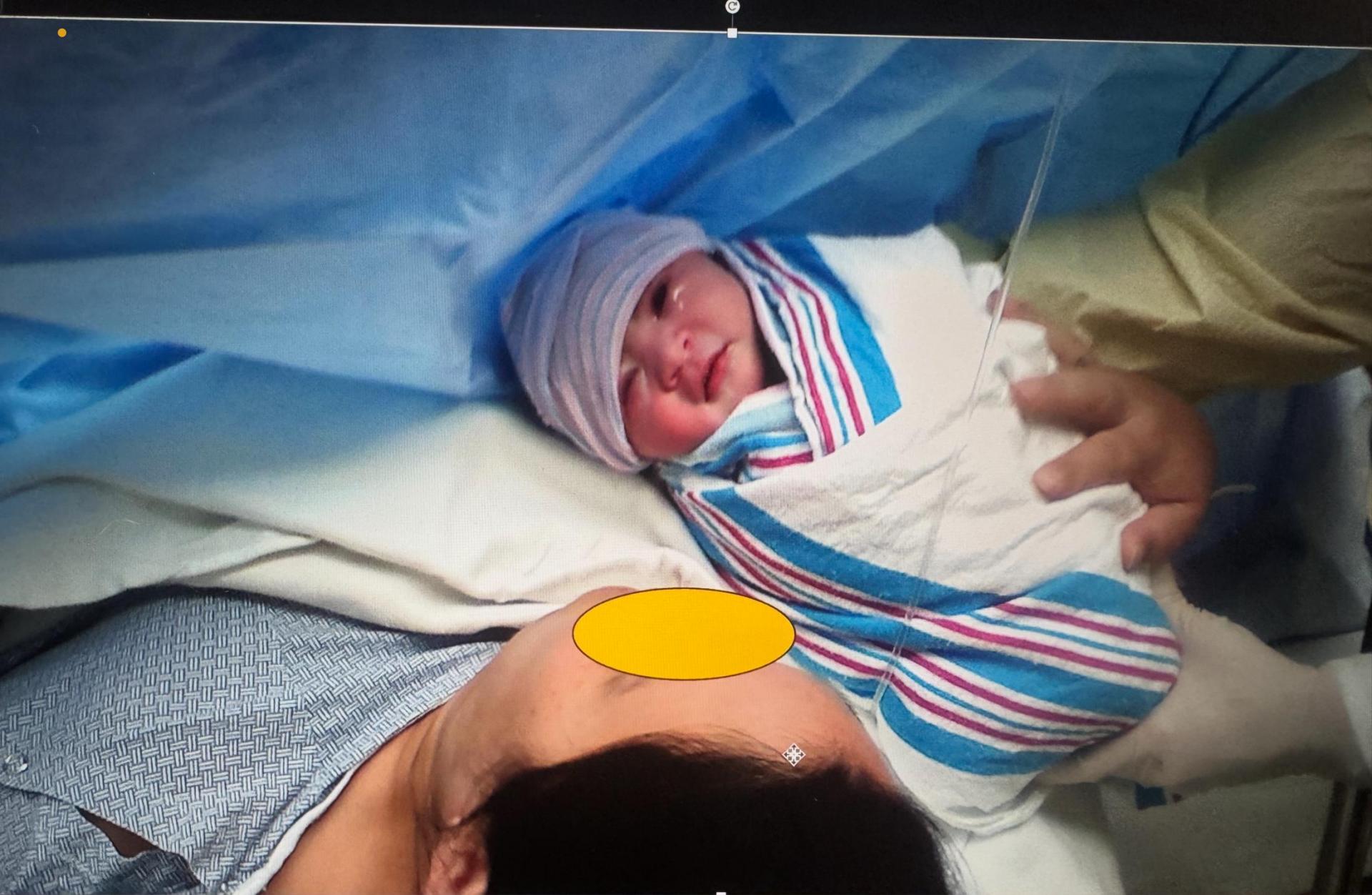


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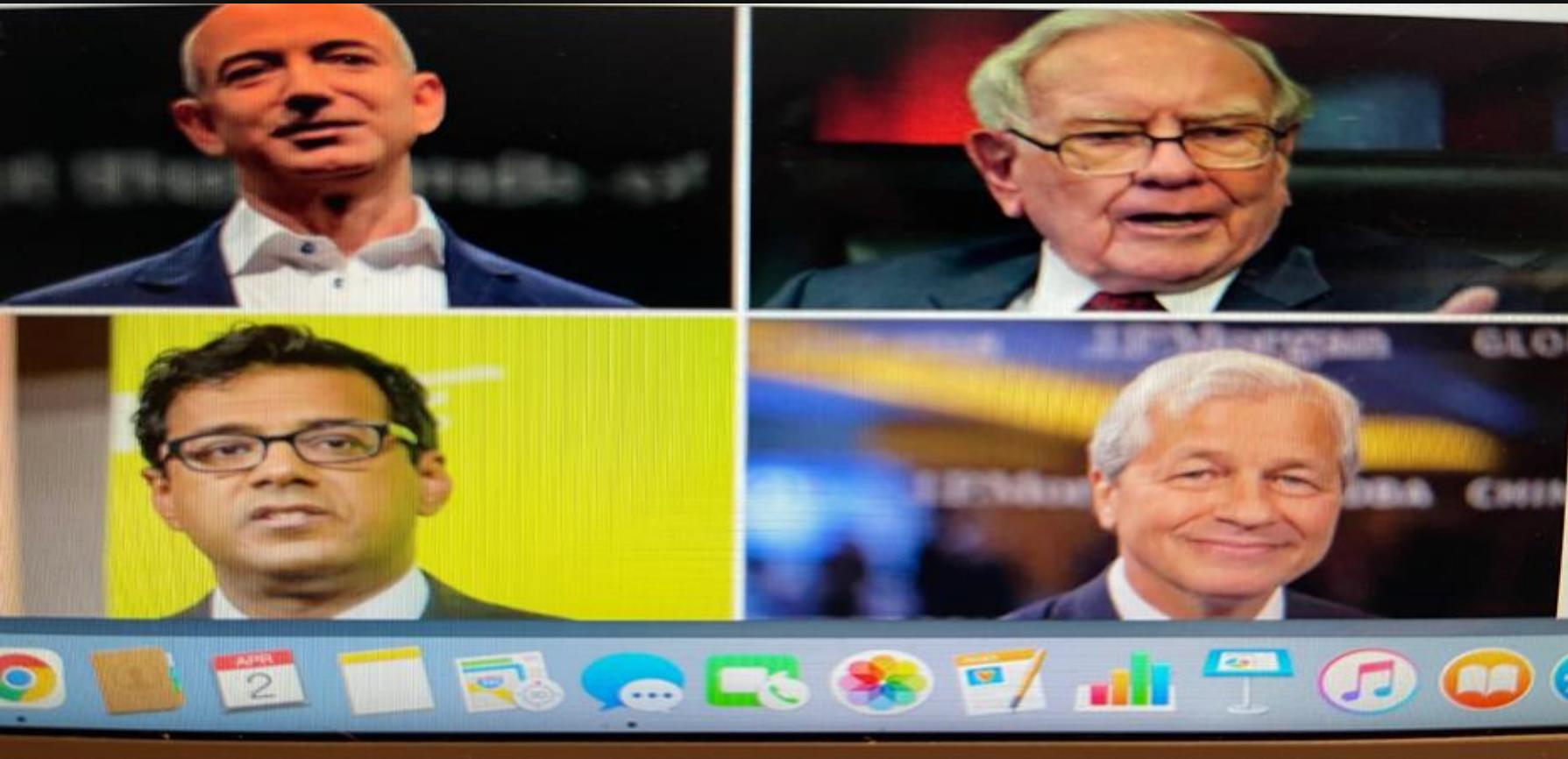


Armed for Bear (And Tigers)





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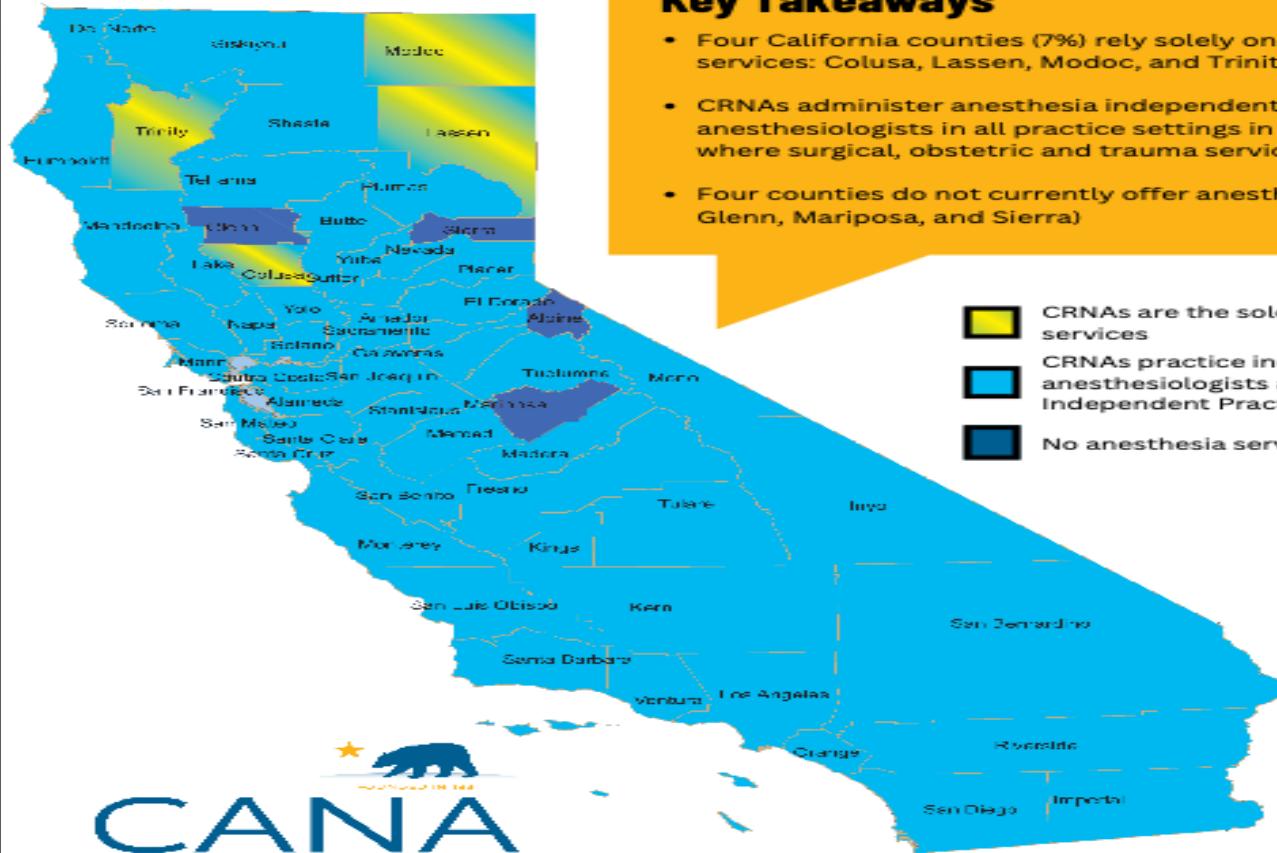


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Key Takeaways

- Four California counties (7%) rely solely on CRNA anesthesia services: Colusa, Lassen, Modoc, and Trinity.
- CRNAs administer anesthesia independently of physician anesthesiologists in all practice settings in the 51 counties (94%) where surgical, obstetric and trauma services are provided.
- Four counties do not currently offer anesthesia services (Alpine, Glenn, Mariposa, and Sierra).

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- CRNAs are the sole providers of anesthesia services
- CRNAs practice independently of physician anesthesiologists and as Licensed Independent Practitioners (LIPs)
- No anesthesia services available



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