



More stroke treatment options are available, when 911 is called immediately!

Mechanical Endovascular Retrieval (MER) is a potential treatment for **strokes that arrive within 24 hours of last known well that have a large vessel occlusion (LVO).**

- A LVO is a clot in one of the “large” vessels of the brain and is identified on imaging done in the ED.
- These clots can potentially be retrieved by a neurosurgeon with a clot removal device.
- Removing the clot will optimize blood flow to the brain.



For more information: <https://youtu.be/Cr9Pb3liSIA>