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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

ROBERTO JUAREZ,

No. 15-15642

Plaintiff - Appellant,

D.C. No. 3:12-cv-02800-WHO

v.

MEMORANDUM*

R. ROCAMORA; et al.,

Defendants - Appellees.

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Northern District of California William H. Orrick, District Judge, Presiding

Submitted July 26, 2016**

Before: SCHROEDER, CANBY, and CALLAHAN, Circuit Judges.

Roberto Juarez, a California state prisoner, appeals pro se from the district court's summary judgment in his 42 U.S.C. § 1983 action alleging deliberate indifference to his serious medical needs. We have jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. § 1291. We review de novo, *Toguchi v. Chung*, 391 F.3d 1051, 1056 (9th Cir.

^{*} This disposition is not appropriate for publication and is not precedent except as provided by 9th Cir. R. 36-3.

The panel unanimously concludes this case is suitable for decision without oral argument. *See* Fed. R. App. P. 34(a)(2).

2004), and we affirm.

The district court properly granted summary judgment because Juarez failed to raise a genuine dispute of material fact as to whether defendants were deliberately indifferent to his injured wrist. *See id.* at 1057-60 (a prison official is deliberately indifferent only if he or she knows of and disregards an excessive risk to an inmate's health; medical malpractice, negligence, or a difference of opinion concerning the course of treatment does not amount to deliberate indifference).

Contrary to Juarez's contention, the district court's decision did not rest on the grievance responder's misstatement that Juarez was capable of playing basketball.

We do not consider arguments and allegations raised for the first time on appeal. *See Padgett v. Wright*, 587 F.3d 983, 985 n.2 (9th Cir. 2009).

AFFIRMED.

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