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Minutes of the Medical Advisors Committee
Thursday, December 7, 2006
Sentara Williamsburg Regional Medical Center

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 13:13 by Dr. Mitchell

Introductions: Were made around the room. The following were in attendance.

Members:

Dr. Kim Mitchell
Dr. Cheryl Lawson
Dr. James Dudley
Dr. Jason Garrison
Dr. Karen Link

Guests:

Nick Wooten
Rafael Ramos
Chris James
Jason Monk
Kevin Janney
Willard Hicks
Thom Schwalenberg
Gina Clayton
David Barrick
Robert Lee

Staff:

Jim Masten
John Cooke
Tom Ezell
Jeff Meyer
Jo Richmond

Review of September 07, 2006 Minutes: A motion was made by Dr. Lawson and seconded by Dr. Dudley to approve the minutes as is. Approved.

ALS Coordinators: Doreen McAndrews received provisional approval. Either Dr. Simm or Ms. McAndrews need to be present at the next meeting for final approval and the PEMS staff will send all necessary paperwork to OEMS upon final approval.

- There needs to be a revision to the ALS Coordinators package stating national and local protocols must be taught.
- Initial training must be taught to the national standard and continuing education should be taught to PEMS protocols.

New Chairperson for MAC:

- Dr. Mitchell has agreed to stay on as chairperson for the next three months.
- Dr. Lawson has agreed to “chair elect” and then will take over as chairperson in three months.

The Protocol, Policy and Procedure Committee (PPP):

- The following protocols we accepted as written with typographical errors corrected:
 - Cardiac Arrest (Shockable)
 - Cardiac Dysrhythmias (Bradycardia)
 - Cardiac Dysrhythmias (Narrow-Complex Tachycardia)
 - Cardiac Dysrhythmias (Wide-Complex Tachycardia with Pulse)
 - Cardiogenic Shock
 - Altered Level of Consciousness (Pediatric)
 - Pharmacology – Promethazine (Phenergan) – changes to dosage to clarify information
- The following protocols were presented and review with changes. They will come before the MAC at the next meeting for adoption with changes made.
 - Adult Intraosseous
 - Vomiting

STAT Medication Box: It is being reviewed for Sentara Careplex to exchange STAT boxes in the emergency room. There was discussion on taking out one of the Atrovent and possibly adding Solu-medrol to the box. This will be revisited at another time.

Meeting Adjourned:

Motion was made and immediately seconded to adjourn at 3:00 p.m.

Next Meeting: March 8, 2007
Time and Location to be announced.