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PEMS Medical Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

A PEMS Council Standing Committee

Meeting Date: March 14th, 2019

Meeting Location:

PEMS- Classroom Room

Chaired By: E. Erwin

Begin Time: 7:05 p.m.

End Time: 8:10 p.m.

Minutes Submitted By: Seth Craig

Draft Approved Date: 6-13-19

Members Present:	Members Absent:	Staff:	Others:
Erwin, MD, Eleanor (Vice-Chair)	Apostoles, MD, Steve	Craig, Seth	Doak, Melissa (York County)
Gupta, MD, Sudershan	Baker, MD, Chris		
Jackson, MD, Cara	Bass, MD, Gregory		
Jennings, MD, Torino (TC)	Berry, Wayne		
Justis, MD, David	Clarke, DO, Clarence		
Lawson, MD, Cheryl	Clifford, MD, Christianne		
Prata, Tony	Dodd, DO, Lisa (Chair)		
Sweet, Jason (James City) (TC)	Dudley, DO, James		
	Dunn, MD, Chad		
	Enzor, Lindsay		
	Fish, Jr, MD, James		
	Garrison, MD, James		
	Haas, MD, Christopher		
	Harper, Kimberly		
	James, MD, Christopher		
	Justis, MD, David		
	Laing, Jim		
	McCorry, DO, James		
	Ray, MD, Gaylord		
	Skrip, MD, Stephen		
	Sutherland, MD, Paul		
	Veek, Phillip		
	Weber, MD, Brent		

Members Present:	Members Absent:	Staff:	Others:
	Williams, Cynthia		

Item	Discussion	Action Required	By Whom/When
Call to Order	Meeting Called to Order at 7:05 p.m. by E. Erwin. Those present and on teleconference introduced themselves.		
MAC Membership Changes	<p>OMD Membership Report – Committee voted unanimously to add Dr. Steve Perkins, OMD for Northumberland Co. VRS to committee.</p> <p>MAC Committee has a vacancy for Licensed EMS Agency (Middle Peninsula), Licensed EMS Agency (Northern Neck).</p>	<p>Add Dr. Perkins to Roster</p> <p>Seek new members</p>	<p>P. Hoyle</p> <p>MAC</p>
Approval of Minutes	Approval of the December 13 th , 2018 Minutes. Motion by C. Lawson to approve, Second by D. Justis. Minutes approved unanimously as written.		
Regional OMD Report	Dr. Lawson- No Report		
OMD Membership	S. Craig provided information about the OEMS CE dates and locations for OMDs. Also discussed the fact that an OMD cannot attend Updates within 12 months since it is the same material that is updated for November Symposium every year. OMDs expiring in 2019 have been notified.		
Committee Reports	<p>Committee Reports –</p> <p>a. Pharmacy Committee –S. Craig for C. Williams</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diphenhydramine shortage still • Next Meeting May 1st, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. <p>b. Performance Improvement Committee – S. Craig for D. Thomas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuing to review Sepsis identification in the prehospital setting • For cardiac arrest, still early CPR and Defibrillation when appropriate is best; working on Community CPR Programs • Next Meeting – June 13th, 2019 3:00 pm. <p>c. PPP Committee – D. Justis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3-1-19 Release of new protocols widely accepted by prehospital providers (ODT Zofran, A/A EMT administration, etc). The only one they are upset about is the Fentanyl change. • Committee is working on AEMT Administration of Toradol, AEMT IO, AEMT Epi without having to call MC in anaphylaxis • Next Meeting – April 11th, 2019 at 10:00 am <p>d. Clinical Programs Task Forces</p> <p>i. Trauma Task Force – S. Craig for D. Thomas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Current unofficial Trauma Triage data looks very good for the region and state • Kate Challis from Johnston-Willis presented information on the Stop the Bleed program in the area 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It was also made known by MAC that CHKD is now a Level 1 Trauma Center • Next Meeting June 13th, 2019 at 1 pm ii. Stroke Task Force – S. Craig for D. Thomas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PEMS compliance on R.A.C.E. Scores reporting by providers continues to improve • Next Meeting – April 11th, 2019, at 1:00 pm iii. STEMI Task Force –S. Craig for D. Thomas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Still working to improve time between Patient Contact and 12 Lead Acquisition for Chest Pain- Protocols 5 minutes, AHA 10 minutes, PEMS average is 10 minutes • Next Meeting – May 9th, 2019, at 1:00 pm iv. Behavioral Health Task Force- A. Ashe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Report • Next Meeting- TBA e. EMS Operations Committee – S. Craig for J. Bendit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please complete MIRs for incidents- agencies and pharmacies- diversions, med box errors, etc • Waiting on confirmation by OEMS/VDH for colored syringes for epi draw for EMT providers • Next Meeting – April 2nd, 2019 at 7:00 pm f. Interfacility and Critical Care Transport Committee – S. Craig for J. Bendit <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Report • Next Meeting – April 18th, 2019, at 3:00 PM 		
PEMS Updates	Regional Council re-designation is being processed, waiting for inspection.		
Old Business	<p>PEMS is not pursuing Critical Care Paramedic Course at this time.</p> <p>2019 Protocols were released last month along with the App (available to EMS, DRs, RNs, etc)</p> <p>2019 Protocol Tests (ALS & BLS) will be released soon. OMD must have a request on file.</p> <p>Please remember to use Medical Incident Reports (MIR) for incidents so we can track issues with providers, agencies, policies, or procedures</p>	<p>None</p> <p>Download App</p> <p>Sign/Return Forms</p> <p>Use MIRs</p>	<p>Providers of all levels</p> <p>OMDs</p> <p>Providers of all levels</p>
New Business	<p>Per December 2018 MAC meeting, Ketamine Protocols (pain management and excited delirium) will be developed by PPP to present to MAC in June.</p> <p>MAC asked that protocol be developed and sent out as a draft on Survey Monkey to expedite the addition of Ketamine to the Protocols and Medication Box.</p> <p>PPP is working on Pediatric Sepsis Protocol. MAC voted unanimously to table that protocol development.</p>	<p>Revise Pain Mgt and Excited Delirium Protocols with Ketamine</p> <p>Survey Monkey</p> <p>Stop Protocol Development</p>	<p>PPP/ongoing</p> <p>S. Craig</p>

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	Discussion about pain protocol by C. Lawson about “or” indicating that providers feel limited by this wording. MAC voted to leave protocol alone with the understanding and expectation that prehospital providers would contact MC if additional pain management was necessary.	None	
For the Good of the Order	<p>For the Good of the Order</p> <p>a. Important Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 18th, 2019 Regional EMS Awards at Busch Gardens • May 27th 2019 PEMS Office Closed for Memorial Day • DICO Schedule • 9/26/19 Update • 9/26/19 Advanced • 9/27-28/19 Basic • 9/29/19 OSHA BBP Train-the-Trainer <p>b. 2019 MAC Meetings</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. June 13th, 2019 7:00 pm ii. September 12th, 2019 7:00 pm iii. December 2019, TBA at TEMS <p>c. Verify attendance</p>		
Adjournment	Meeting was adjourned at 8:10 p.m.		