



Regional Medical Direction Committee Meeting Minutes

Monday, December 18th, 1pm

Via Conference Call

Members Present:

Mary Kathryn Allen

BREMS

Jennifer Kersey

BREMS

Dr. Marilyn McLeod

Regional OMD; LFD, Campbell Co. Public Safety,
and Amherst Co. agencies

Dr. Leonard Cohen

Bedford agencies, Concord, BWXT, Pamplin

The OMD meeting began at 1:00 pm.

Old Business:

None

Regional OMD Update:

Dr. McLeod discussed the State GAB and her rotation off. She stated that she would remain on the Medical Direction Committee. She also stated that she recommended to the state that the Chair of the Medical Direction Committee should be Board Certified in EMS.

BREMS Update:

- Protocols:

- Jenn stated that BREMS is still actively working with the pharmacy group for the protocol changes recommended from last quarter. There is a meeting with those folks on 1/12/18.

Skills Drills for 2018:

- Jenn stated that Sean asked for clarification on the skills drills for 2018. A mock trial had been mentioned. It was discussed today that this may be too large and difficult to do in each locality as a skills drill. That perhaps we should do it as a regional training Education Night. All agreed. We will discuss further

- Dr. McLeod discussed the need for having a review of Resuscitation of the critically ill patient in the prehospital setting. She states this would review and cover the patients who need ALS interventions quickly and efficiently.
- Jenn stated that she would consult with Sean to brainstorm ideas and report back to the committee.
- Dr. Cohen asked about documentation. It was decided that would be incorporated into the mock trial.

STEMI/Stroke Education Night:

- MK stated that she has spoken with Jodi King from Centra in regards to the new Code Stroke levels and FAST ED app. She has asked that the rollout be in two different phases to ensure all of EMS is up to speed. She suggested the first phase be Feb 1st. And the second phase be March or April 1st depending on the amount of education needed.

Other Business:

- Dr. McLeod asked what Brad Ferguson's retirement plan is for the BOD. MK stated that she is unaware at this time, however she feels he make likely finish his term then make a decision.
- MK advised the OMD Committee that there has been a BREMS BOD By-Laws Committee formed. It has met once and is slated to meet again soon. She will keep them posted as to the decisions coming from that committee.
- MK advised the OMD Committee of the new Program Coordinator position. She stated that she would also keep them posted as to the progress.

With there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:35 pm.

Submitted by,

Jenn Kersey,
BREMS EMS Field Coordinator