

East Regional Time Sensitive Emergency (TSE) Committee

Location

Date: June 16, 2016

Meeting Minutes

Chair: Brian O'Byrne

Present: Sandra Woolstenhulme, Kena Ricks, Alan Brower, Bob Foster, Doug Kinney, Tammy Coffel, Jami Thomas, Eric Day, Shawn Croft, Conner Cook, Melonie Frasure, Kevin Bollar, Josie Magee, Brad Clements, Harry McNiven, Mike Jenkins, Danny Fife
Call in: Joe Haberlie, Aleisha Circle

I. Welcome

Meeting brought to order at 1005. Roll taken with agencies identified. Facility/Agencies present: Madison Memorial, Teton Valley Hospital, Challis Area Health, EIRMC, Air Idaho, Fremont County EMS, IFFD, Mud Lake QRU, INL, Life Flight, Teton County SAR, Madison Fire. Quorum criteria met.

April minutes accepted from previous meeting. Agenda approved.

II. State Update:

Dr. O'Byrne reviewed a ppt that he and Dr. Morgan gave to emergency department physicians regarding trauma. History of Region 6 TSE and current status reviewed. Update from State TSE council given.

Jamie explained how to access the packet to be a facility reviewer off of the state TSE website and the process followed to choose reviewers.

III. PI Committee

- Melonie Frasure brought up the topic, "Which Metrics do we want to look at?"
- The PI committee would like each EMS/Hospital to bring interesting cases to the committee for review.
- EIRMC tracks data and is willing to add data points and track data for our group. Madison Memorial has similar data to offer. These data points will be for STEMI, Stroke and Trauma.
- Bottom line is that communication between agencies is the key.

IV. Outreach Committee

- Kevin Bollar reviewed the Regional outreach power point and comments by the committee were received.

V. Presentations

- Presentation given with de-identified data
- STEMI presentation by Tammy Coffel.
- 12 lead transmit capability in all rural areas in our region is not yet possible.
- We can set up a survey to our EMS agencies to assess the 12 lead needs of our region.
- As agencies upgrade their equipment is it a possibility to donate old equipment to other agencies.
- Stroke presentation by Jamie Thomas.

VI. Outreach Committee

- Kevin presented the updated ppt to present during outreach. Changes suggested for tPA capable slides. STEMI Data slide, add slides for facilities that transport STEMI patients to EIRMC.
- Who wants outreach and who is interested in doing outreach.
- Agenda item for next meeting: AHA/ACS guidelines for bypassing tPA vs. PCI facilities.
- Jamie suggested that we provide laminated sheets that help with looking at EKG's in the field to help educate rural agencies.

VII. Adjourn

- Next meeting August 18,2016 at 1000
- Meeting adjourned 1155.