

Attending: Tracy Cleary, Lori Haskett, Darlene Whitlock, Dave Seastrom, Joe House, Michael McNulty, Dan Dao, Dr. Stephanopoulos

1. Welcome and Introductions

- a. Meetings, Committees and events (Halloween in the Park, etc)

2. Plan for Kansas EMSC

- a. 2015 schedule (calls and in person)

- Tuesday, January 20th – Teleconference 2:00-3:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, April 21st – In person in Topeka. Location and Time TBA
- Tuesday, July 21st – Teleconference 2:00-3:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, October 20th – Teleconference 2:00-3:30 p.m.

- b. Committees

- Terry and Beth Kiser – Family Advisory Committee

- c. Priorities

1. Disaster Preparedness

- 2015 push nationally
- Both man made and illnesses
 - Education

2. Performance Measures

3. Regional Mini Conferences

- a. Region 3 – November 21st at the Regional Training Center in Wichita
- b. Region 6 and 2 are also interested
- c. Regional/Local speakers
- d. Topics/concerns of today in their specific areas

4. Mercy Tape

- a. Out of Children's Mercy Hospital – Susan Rahman
- b. Published articles (6-7) overseas
- c. Have an EMS survey and would like Kansas to head the study
- d. Collect data in 2015 from 2-3 agencies in each region...Education from myself once selected

- Year- long collection of data – retention of use and how many pediatric calls
- Promising, accuracy, repetitive use, good tool
- Sick vs non-sick
- Introduce at regional trainings and use kids during trainings

5. EPC Update

- a. 2014 numbers: Instructors (10) Participants (153)
- b. Three more classes scheduled this year: Instructors (6-9) Participants (54)
- c. New EPC 3.0 – Rollout at Expo in November
 - New material out in early 2015
- d. Pott County, Region 2 and SCAFFA will be the first classes for us in 2015

6. EMS Recognition

- a. Peds Standards – equipment (**mandatory lists**), education, etc
 - Taking courses and showing implementation
 - Continuous improvement
 - ICS 366 – Planning for the Needs of Children in Disasters
- b. Both of those items will be changing - need to have an outlook and prepare for those changes

7. Transfer Agreements

- a. Draft from Dr. Stephanopoulos
- b. Need backing for usage (**legislation**)
- c. Payment and insurance questions
 - What is the purpose of this PM is EMTALA already has this in place
 - Pediatric specific – language of PM
 - How many legal departments have to review document

8. Protocols

- a. Releasing them as guidelines and then local medial directors will tailor as needed
- b. On our site and possibly KBEMS
 - MACC has established with assistance from Dr. Cooley
 - Drop box, flash drive format

- Many committee members asking for copy of protocols (Tracy, Dr. Stephanopoulos, Dave – Joe will send via email)

9. Our Website

- a. Possibilities for revamp (check with IT)
- b. Adding our resources (making more colorful and about the committees and Kansas kids)

10. Resources

- a. Protocols
- b. CDC updates
- c. Articles on current conditions
 1. Pertussis in Marion County 10/17/2014 – nearly suspected/confirmed in last 2 weeks
 - a. 1 Confirmed case at Hillsboro
 2. Enterovirus 68
- d. Committees
- e. Calendar of events
- f. KEMSA Chronicle

11. Closing Remarks and Adjournment