

Education Committee Meeting

Committee Members in Attendance:

Jerry DeBruin, WCFD 14

Jennifer Keim, PeaceHealth

Duncan McLane, WCFD 11

Emily Junck, BFD

Doug Krussow, BP

Marv Wayne, MPD

Erica Littlewood, Mt. Baker Ski

Rob Stevenson, BFD

CALL TO ORDER: Chair Jerry DeBruin called the regularly scheduled Education Committee meeting to order at 1:40 pm.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: May 2018 minutes, stand as written

REPORTS:

North Region: no report

Funding: North Region grant opens soon. Discuss ideas at July Council meeting.

Some suggestions presented were:

- CPR training,
- PR for CPR,
- Mass crowd CPR training,
- Increased CPR and emergency response education such as Stop the Bleed.
- Huge PulsePoint roll out in fall (county wide event). Erica will talk to Mike Lopez in Spokane about the PulsePoint event they held.
- Community wide CPR enhancement:
Marv is looking at the CPR deficiency we have in county
- Purchase manikins?
What is the Community impact?
- Stop the Bleed with PeaceHealth and tie in with CPR
- ACT-NARCAN , CPR and Stop the Bleed in 60 min. Will see how S Snohomish roll out goes.
- Airport pod with CPR training video and manikin

Training Officers Report:

BFD has no funding for i-gel training.

State mandates 4 hour for SGA but MPD can ask for 2 hour if students complete the no cost online portion first.

CQI: next meeting is July 5th

TAB:

Next meeting is the 11th or 12th of July

Hospital:

TQAC- 3rd Tuesday of month

Only change is concerning Stroke guidelines-clot retrieval changed from under 4.5 hour to 24 hrs (4.5 to 24 hours those patients may be shipped to Harborview)

Differentiate between Medic & EMT on arrival to ER. Be sure to distinguish between BLS and ALS so Dr. can meet ALS ambulance.

Old Business:

ASHI Training site- Need to move instructors over and produce new ones.

SGA Training reimbursement- Need to come up with a good way to make it fair and possibly hold back funds for BFD.

New Business:

Nitrous Oxide: Individual districts have to ask state for it. Send a letter of request to Dr. Wayne and he will endorse it and send to state. It's already in ALS protocols. Need to get into BLS protocols.

Need to check update about using Nitrous Oxide with pregnant person present/ scavenger port.

Medic class is scheduled to start Sept 4th. The self study was sent out on Friday. Rob will have AA degree in July to be lead instructor.

Need to run two classes in row in order to get accredited. Need to send out another self study after 6 months, then have site visit within 2 years. Could be into class 3 before get fully accredited.

Rob is hoping to pull fifth medic from North County.

Would like to hold a class every fall. 5 from BFD and 3 from Ferndale for this fall.

Reminder: get any and all patient transport reports turned in.

Jennifer would like to do another distracted driving drill again in the fall. Rob volunteered Bellingham to help out.

Good of the Order

Teen heart screen at Ferndale was a success. – 9 discoveries, two significant

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 3:30pm