

NCRTAC Out of Hospital Committee Meeting
 March 19, 2024
 Zoom

Members present: Del Horn, Corey Smith, Bob Kirkley, Jason Keffeler, Ken Marg, Linda Vollmar

Chair: Dr. Michael Clark

Recorder: Michael Fraley

Call to order	Meeting was called to order by Dr. Clark
SAM Thorasite	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael has offered the devices to paramedic services. • So far, 59 devices have been delivered to 7 services • Will continue to promote and offer
SAM Pelvic Splints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael advised that we still have a small quantity of these available • Will continue to promote and offer
Hypothermia project with PI committee	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael advised that the PI Committee was looking at secondary hypothermia as a possible PI project. They are gathering data to see if there is a significant problem • Group discussed that in light of no reliably accurate methods to take a core temperature in the EMS setting, the project on our end might look more at educating on and having EMS document measures taken to prevent heat loss during transport • Michael will coordinate with PI for next step
MCI/MPI Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael noted that the State MCI template plan should be approved soon. Michael would like to see us expand efforts to get a regional plan in place. This would include more attention to multiple patient (5-8) plans since the MCI classes seem to overlook these. • A regional plan would include agreement on SMART tags, SALT, use of ICS and good hospital communication • It would also include the tracking forms we developed recently • Would also include discussion about instances where there may be multiple small incidents in an area that may overwhelm a system or a hospital but not necessarily be one incident. (i.e. storm damage, ice/snow events)
Fall Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MSTC has offered a proposal for hosting • Committee has met once • Will be Saturday, Sept 7 • Save the Date info to go out soon
EMS-C Survey Participation Incentive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael asked the group if we could develop a way to give EMS agencies in our region an incentive to participate in the survey. • Provided we can get a report from EMS-C confirming which services participated, we will offer four (4) \$250 grants.

	<p>Awardees will be drawn from random from the list of all services that completed the survey.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Services will be reimbursed for up to \$250 of pediatric-related products or training • This will be in the 2024-2025 budget year • All services will be encouraged to bring their survey results to a future meeting so we can discuss how the NCRTAC may help address gaps.
Active Shooter Incident Management Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael emailed all services in the region to gauge interest in bringing the C3 Pathways Active Shooter Incident Management training program to the region. • It is an \$18,000 two-day course which will produce 10 instructors. • Interest was minimal. Some areas are already doing their own system or bringing ASIM in through outside instructors • Group agreed there was enough interest/commitment to move forward at this time.
Adjourn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting adjourned.
Next meeting	TBD