

Paediatric Sub-Group - NMTNG

2nd September 2016

Approved Minutes

Present

Chair: Lorrie Lawton - Consultant Nurse Paediatric Emergency Medicine - Kings College Hospital, London (LL)

Vice-Chair: Donna Brailsford TNC/ED Sister - Sheffield Children NHS Trust (DB)

Maria Action

Lisa Armout

Lyndsay Donaldson

Jane Bakker

Apologies

Jenni Fryer – Paediatric MTNC – Bristol Royal Infirmary (JF)

Allison Taylor – Clinical lead for Education – University Hospital of North Midlands (AT)

Darren Darby – Paediatric Trauma and Resuscitation ANP – Kings College Hospital, London (DD)

Item	Discussion	Action
1Ward competencies	Producing a national standard of Paediatric Trauma care - that will improve the care of the traumatised child Draft ward competences sent through - LL asked all member of the sub-group to have a read through and complete some changes as necessary	LL - to send out again All members to review competencies and comment
2. Critical Care Competencies	DD gave apologies for meeting - however states will have some competencies to review by mid-September	DD – to send out competencies for comments
3. APLs course as education standard	Discussion surrounding the changes to the APLS course that have occurred since April 2016 – i.e. candidates are continually assessed, and therefore will be assessed on a trauma patients	LL - to draft statement for the NMTNG re; using APLs as suitable trauma assessment

	<p>Many Trusts will send their Paediatric nurses on APLs rather than ATNC/TNCC as these are adult focused courses.</p> <p>Increase financial constraints on Trusts - causing Trusts to decide on only one course</p>	Comments to LL ASAP
4. TOR	<p>Discussion surrounded the drafting of TOR for the Paediatric Sub Group</p> <p>Vice Chair nominated - Donna Brailsford Agreement re: number for Quorum and membership</p> <p>DB – attending the MTC 5+ meeting - will highlight the group and seek additional membership for each of the Paediatric specific MTC's</p> <p>Discussion regarding the contacts for Wales, Scotland, N Ireland. England are currently well represented.</p>	<p>LL - to draft and send around for comments</p> <p>DB - to seek additional membership</p>
5. Paediatric Trauma Nursing course	<p>Long discussion surrounding the potential need for a specific Paediatric trauma Nursing course</p> <p>DB - presented the Children Advanced Trauma Course that has been developed by Sheffield Children's Hospital</p> <p>LL - discussed a one day Paediatric Trauma Sim that Kings College Hospital, London complete.</p> <p>General consensus that this would be well received, however concerns regarding cost, accreditation and the volume of work that this would generate</p>	LL - to e-mail sub-group to determine what the general consensus would be
	<p>Next meeting - 25th November 2016</p> <p>Birmingham</p>	