

## 1/24/19 NCRTAC Performance Improvement Committee Minutes

Attendees: Sara Steen, Tara Kolodzik, Gina Brandl

Regional Reports-Available reports were reviewed. Our region is better than the state averages for many of the reports except for the ED LOS >3 hours with ISS >15. Will track and trend data.

The group reviewed their budget. Nothing has been spent. The group reviewed some registry and PI training opportunities through Pomphrey consulting. Will ask Michael to obtain a quote for the program "getting started as a trauma registrar-What do you need?"

Hospital courses: Discussed multiple ideas including motivational speaker, Physician CME offering, promoting the TCRN certification, and ENPC course. MMC will see if they would be able to offer a regional ENPC course. (Gina). Also Sara will review the ability to offer a TCRN review course. Each organization will review if they reimburse test fees for certifications. Discussed ways to incentivize this certification. Free RTAC conference registration? Special table at the lunch?

- In the future, an educational needs assessment would be beneficial for this group to conduct and review results to identify what are the trauma specific educational needs of our region.

Committee goals:

- Increase committee participation in PI
- Facilitate additional trauma registry or PI training
- Continue to review and analyze registry data
- Facilitate hospital staff training opportunities
- Create an action plan to decrease the ED LOS >3 hrs with ISS >15

Recent accomplishments/projects:

- Requested and reviewed regional trauma data
- Compared activation criteria across multiple hospitals to analyze if they meet current standards
- Conducted regional case reviews at the General Committee meetings

Case Reviews: Next meeting is at St. Clares. Sara will contact Tina to see if she can present a case.

Respectfully submitted,

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Performance Improvement Committee Chair