

Education Committee Meeting

Committee Members in Attendance:

Jerry DeBruin, WCFD 14

Kris Jorgensen, NWFR

Duncan McLane, WCFD 11

Mike Hilley, EMS Administrator

Ben Boyko, WCFD 7

Rob Stevenson, BFD

Jennifer Keim, PeaceHealth

Doug Krussow, BP

Emily Junck, BPD

CALL TO ORDER: Chair Jerry DeBruin called the regularly scheduled Education Committee meeting to order at 1:30 pm.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Feb 2018 minutes, stand as written

REPORTS:

North Region:

North Region held an executive board meeting. Planning session is being finalized and should be done in the next couple of months

Funding:

Awards for Lummi Nation Community Contribution Grant won't be announced until April. Marv is working on procuring money from the hospital for translucent back plates

Training officers:

SGA training dates are on the council website.

A suggestion was made to grasp i-gel with fingertips instead of hand in order to feel resistance better.

Send finished certifications to the Council Office, not directly to state. Ben B will help get them ready to send to DOH.

Need each EMT's credential number on roster.

Andrea will contact training officers to check on paperwork once a week.

A records tracking system will need to be figured out.

CQI:

Next CQI meeting is March 29 at 5:30pm in the Health Education Center (HEC).

TAB:

ImageTrend, paramedic training, and community paramedicine were discussed at the last meeting.

Need to keep working to get paramedic training up and going.

The paramedic program will be through BTC. There is funding in levy for a fifth unit.

There is working on a grant from Workplace.

Hospital:

TQAC on Thursday 7am

Synergy model has been running about 6 weeks. They handle only acute cases and trauma cases.

Emily would like to combine and revise ALS and BLS protocols.

SALT-Farlow has lists that match tags

New Business:

The cost of purchasing size 3 & 4 i-gel tubes for all agencies is approx. \$9800.

The Education committee will bring forward to the General council.

Good of the Order:

Teen Heart Screen will take place at Ferndale High School on May 30th

With no further business the meeting is adjourned at 3:10pm