

# NCRTAC Out of Hospital Committee Meeting

Sept 11, 2025

Marshfield Medical Center & Zoom

Members present: Del Horn, Ken Marg, Linda Vollmar, Adam Finn, Adam Meshak, Jason Keffeler, Cally Gordon-Haessly, Andrea Krantz, Carly Butt, Jason Joling

Chair: Dr. Michael Clark

Recorder: Michael Fraley

Call to order	Meeting was called to order by Dr. Clark
MCI classes	Michael sent out an email to all service directors looking for sites to do the course. Will be in touch as needed to get help covering those courses.
Triage Ribbon Colors	<p>Discussion to follow up on last meetings discussion about triage ribbon colors. Group agreed that grey ribbon would be used for grey/expectant patients and either checkered black/white or black tape would be used for deceased.</p> <p>Michael to purchase grey tape for kits being given out by NCRTAC.</p> <p>Adam noted that it would be better if the triage algorithm reminder cards on the ribbon packs could be laminated.</p> <p>Michael to draft a position statement about our recommendation to use SALT, SMART triage tags, ribbon kits and the color recommendations.</p>
Trauma Education Topic	<p>Group discussed doing a one-pager and PowerPoint slide presentation again that could be distributed to services like was done last year for hypothermia.</p> <p>Spinal motion restriction was discussed and would link to falls which is a BOTS priority area for NCRTAC. Could promote full body vacuum splints. Michael to draft.</p>
PHTLS/ITLS Support	Group discussed desire to get PHTLS or ITLS going again in the region. Unsure where the tech schools are with it. Michael will check with them and Don Kimlicka.
High Consequence Infectious Disease Course	Michael and Dr. Clark discussed the HCID course being held by the NCW HERC and encouraged services to attend.
Regional List of EMS Transport Services	<p>Group discussed having a directory of EMS transport services with contact information on the NCRTAC website. Michael will look into this.</p> <p>Group would also like ED contact information for EMS follow-ups, etc.</p>

<p>WI House of Representatives First Responder of the Year</p>	<p>Michael advised the group about the 2025 First Responder of the Year recognition from the WI House of Representatives. Each Assembly District can honor a responder. Check your Representative's page for details. Deadline is Sept 19.</p>
<p>DMIST</p>	<p>Final version of the video was shared with the group. (<a href="https://youtu.be/dUTTJA1OIA">https://youtu.be/ dUTTJA1OIA</a> )</p> <p>Group discussed doing a one-pager and a short PPT presentation to distribute to services for self-training.</p> <p>Also need to follow up with hospitals to encourage them to encourage the use of it from their end and incorporate it into trauma team responses.</p>