

**EMS HOMELAND SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING**

<b>MINUTES</b>	<b>DATE</b> May 6, 2016	<b>TIME</b> 10:18 a.m.	<b>LOCATION</b> Ohio Department of Public Safety 1970 W. Broad St., Room 1102 Columbus, Ohio
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<b>ATTENDEES</b>	<u>EMS Homeland Security Subcommittee Members:</u> Karen Beavers, Geoff Dutton, Ray Friedmann, David Gerstner, Mark Resanovich, Eric Wiedlebacher, Dr. Michael Zorko <u>ODPS-Division of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Staff:</u> Dr. Carol Cunningham, Carol Palantekin <u>Guests:</u> Brad Brough, Deanna Harris
<b>ABSENT</b>	Committee Members: Brian Byrd, Barry Seth ODPS-EMS Staff: Joe Stack

**AGENDA TOPICS**

<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>Welcome</b>
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	The meeting was called to order at 10:18 a.m. by Chairman Resanovich. Motion was made to approve March 2016 minutes as written by Dr. Zorko. Mr. Friedmann seconded the motion. Motion was passed.

<b>ACTION ITEMS</b>	<b>PERSON RESPONSIBLE</b>	<b>DEADLINE</b>
None		

**TOPIC**    **CHEMPACK Issues/TAT/Operation Bluelight**

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<p>The Subcommittee continued work on the CHEMPACK PowerPoint presentation. Discussion ensued concerning the target audiences for the presentation; suggested audiences included EMS/Fire, hospitals, dispatch/law enforcement, public health, pharmacy, and hospital administration. Mr. Gerstner stated he would begin the process to develop separate versions.</p> <p>The Subcommittee requested that Executive Director Mel House be asked for an update on several issues, including: a draft of the after-action report for the Cleveland exercise; the new CHEMPACK Operating Procedures from the Ohio Department of Health; any information about internal exercises; and information about updates to equipment in the CHEMPACKS, particularly Mark I and DuoDote©.</p>
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**TOPIC**    **Active Shooter Statewide Guidelines and Education**

<b>DISCUSSION</b>	<p>The Subcommittee continued discussion concerning statewide efforts for active shooter guidelines. After some time, the Subcommittee suggested a series of steps as an outline for further development:</p> <p>Create definition of Active Shooter Incident</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TECC patient care guidelines</li> <li>• Communication</li> <li>• Relationships between EMS, law enforcement, dispatch</li> <li>• Develop specialized plan</li> <li>• Develop common terminology</li> <li>• Identify funding sources</li> </ul>
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<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>Violence in the Workplace</b>		
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	Mr. Wiedlebacher stated that he would determine the information available on the OCSEA website on the topic and would report at the next Subcommittee meeting.		
<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>Open Forum</b>		
<b>DISCUSSION</b>	Dr. Cunningham noted that ISIS is changing its methods of attack, including impersonating emergency personnel and noting that hospitals were more frequently targeted. Mr. Gerstner suggested inviting Carol Jacobson of the Ohio Hospital Association to future meetings to address this topic.		
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<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>		
	<i>Meeting was adjourned at 1:50 PM</i>		
<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>NEXT MEETING</b>		

Next meeting:

- **Friday, June 3, 2016, 10:00 AM, ODPS Room 1102.**  
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