

**OHIO EMS HOMELAND SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE
NOTES OF DECEMBER 2, 2016 MEETING**

MINUTES	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
	2016, Dec 2	10:00 am	ODPS SHIPLEY BUILDING, 1970 W. Broad St. COLUMBUS, OHIO 43223, Conf. Rm. #1102
ATTENDEES	<i>Committee Members:</i>	Mark Resanovich (Chair), Geoff Dutton (Vice Chair), Karen Beavers, David Gerstner	
	<i>(EMS) Staff:</i>	John Molnar (Liaison), Jack Smith, Susan Edwards (Support)	
	<i>ODPS Staff:</i>	Ron Wehner, DPS Fiscal	
	<i>Visitors:</i>	Dr. Trent Elliott, Dr. Timothy Netters, Deanna Harris	
ABSENT	<i>Committee Members:</i>	Ray Friedman, Ashish Panchal, Barry Seth, Eric Wiedlebacher, Michael Zorko	

A G E N D A T O P I C S

TOPIC	Welcome
DISCUSSION	The meeting was called to order at 10:14 a.m. by Chairman Resanovich. Changes were suggested to the minutes of the October 7, 2016 minutes. No quorum was present to approve minutes.

TOPIC	CHEMPACK issues/TAT/Operation Bluelight
DISCUSSION	<p>Regarding CPOP issues, it was mentioned that "HICS" (Hospital Incident Command System) was deleted from the acronym list, and that TAT teams will be notified by their respective agencies for CHEMPACK activation.</p> <p>It was asked why the Hub notification is now listed as leaving voicemails with the Ohio Health Preparedness 24-hour supervisor during a CHEMPACK activation response. Concern was expressed about the TAT notifications.</p> <p>Questions were raised about why quantities are not included along with the content listing in the CHEMPACKs. Mr. Resanovich stepped out of the meeting briefly to contact Dr. Cunningham by telephone for a clarification. He reported that she stated that, per the CDC, federal regulation now prohibits distributing actual numbers of each asset that is in the CHEMPACKs, and that this information is only permitted to be known to certain individuals. As far as whether members of the State CHEMPACK TAT would be included in the notification process in the event of an activation of a CHEMPACK, she had informed Mr. Resanovich that the entire process for the chain of distribution is being reviewed.</p> <p>Over 60 CPOP EMS slides were reviewed with suggested corrections and changes.</p>

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Will send link which is incorporated in standing orders to Committee Chair	D. Gerstner	N/A

TOPIC	Active Shooter
DISCUSSION	Ms. Harris presented a PowerPoint presentation on the Stop the Bleeding national campaign from the Hartford Consensus materials, promulgated by the American College of Surgeons. The purpose is to teach the public how to stop deadly bleeding in victims at the scene of active shooters and terrorist attacks. Classes already exist in Columbus to train the public in B Con and on how to administer a tourniquet, and other methods used when bleeding needs to be stopped. They are also asking that tourniquets be placed in greater numbers in emergency vehicles and emergency kits, and perhaps located alongside defibrillators in public spaces.

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Members discussed current planning and education already being implemented at Columbus event venues. They also considered the best way to implement such a campaign for effectiveness, whether this was the best use of financial resources allocated to saving the lives of active shooter victims, and whether instruction on methods to stop bleeding might distract from public information campaigns that stress other focus for action at the scene, such as the “Run, Hide, Fight” instructions from The Ohio State University recently.

Mr. Dutton requested a brief document highlighting the Homeland Security Subcommittee’s activities, which will be given to the Active Shooter committee members. The paper is to be written within the week following this meeting, reviewed and forwarded to the members requesting it.

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Paper stating HLS Subcommittee’s action, to be given to the Active Shooter committee members	G. Dutton-writing M. Resanovich, D. Gerstner-review	N/A

TOPIC	Violence in the Workplace
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DISCUSSION	There were no items for the Violence in the Workplace topic.
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ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
None	None	None

TOPIC	Open Forum/New Business
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DISCUSSION	For the benefit of guests to the HLS Subcommittee, Mr. Resanovich provided an overview of the EMFTS Board, its rulemaking function, oversight and accreditation of Fire and EMS schools, and the creation of committees of the EMFTS Board to deal with specific issues.
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ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
None	None	None

TOPIC	<u>Adjournment</u>
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TOPIC	<u>Next Meeting: January 13, 2017</u>
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DISCUSSION	Meeting was changed from the usual date of the first Friday of the month to January 13, 2017. 10:00 am to 3:00 pm Conference room 1106
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