

TRAUMA COMMITTEE MEETING

| MINUTES | DATE | TIME | LOCATION | |
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| | September 9, 2015 | 10:00am | Ohio Department of Public Safety 1970 W. Broad St., OH | |
| ATTENDEES | <p><u>Committee Members:</u> Joyce Burt; John Crow, MD; Herb de la Porte; Kathy Haley; Laurie Johnson, MD; Nicole Kolacz; Peter Larsen, DDS; Edward Michelson, MD; Greg Nemunaitis, MD; John Ross; James Sauto, MD; Michael Shannon, MD; Diane Simon; Howard Werman, MD</p> <p><u>ODPS Staff:</u> Tim Erskine; Ryan Frick; Natalie Haslage; Sue Morris</p> <p><u>Visitors:</u> Sign in sheet on file</p> | | | |
| AGENDA TOPICS | | | | |
| TOPIC | Welcome, Introductions, Approval of Minutes | | | |
| DISCUSSION (Michelson) | Dr. Michelson called the meeting to order. Introductions were made. Motion to approve July 2015 minutes made by de la Porte, second by Shannon. All in favor, none opposed. MOTION PASSED. | | | |
| ACTION ITEMS | | PERSON RESPONSIBLE | DEADLINE | |
| None | | | | |
| TOPIC | System Status Update | | | |
| DISCUSSION (Erskine/Morris) | <p>The only change in trauma centers is that UH Case Medical Center have received the written report of their Level 1 consultation visit. The next steps are to create a corrective action plan and apply for a verification visit. Akron General is operating under provisional status.</p> <p>The DI system is up and running. We have been receiving data but several hospitals are on extension.</p> <p>Unique identifiers, to help increase the accuracy of probabilistic linkage, was discussed. Motion to direct the Visionary Committee to create an executive summary on data linkage issues, associated gaps and explore the creation of a unique identifier for trauma victims to be completed by the first quarter of 2016 made by Haley, second by Shannon. All in favor, none opposed. MOTION PASSED.</p> | | | |
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| Create data linkage executive summary | | Steinberg / Visionary | March 2016 | |
| TOPIC | Legislative Update | | | |
| DISCUSSION (Erskine) | HB 261 was introduced and sent to a committee but the House has been in recess so no further action. | | | |
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| None | | | | |
| TOPIC | Liaison Reports | | | |
| DISCUSSION (Various) | <p>State Medical Director via written report noted that with the changes in RPAB regions, the former Region 4's triage protocol will expire on December 31 as no replacement protocols have been created for the new Region.</p> <p>ODH has created a bridge plan for the State Health Improvement Plan through 2016. The Violence and Injury Prevention Program has received close to a million dollars to enhance the current prescription drug monitoring program. VIPP is also working with 2 contracts. One is to pilot introducing the STEADI Toolkit into electronic medical records at OhioHealth and TriHealth to include the STEADI Toolkit in their physician office EHRs. The other is with the University of Dayton to create the "Return to Learn" concussion model for implementation statewide. A drowning prevention program is also being created with the CDC. OIPP (Goal 2) is working on its new strategic plan. They wish to align the plan</p> | | | |

with the Framework for Improving Ohio's Trauma System. There will be an older adult fall prevention symposium on November 6 in Columbus.

The EMFTS Board has created a Rural EMS Committee, looking primarily at EMS and Critical Access Hospitals. The Time Critical Diagnosis Committee is having a workshop on September 25.

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| TOPIC | Framework Implementation Workgroup Reports | |
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| DISCUSSION (Various) | <p><u>Goal 1</u> – No report <u>Goal 2</u> – See Liaison Reports <u>Goal 3</u> – No report <u>Goal 4</u> – Mr. Ross reported that the workgroup met twice since the last meeting at the request of staff to assist with the creation of the EMSIRS-3 data dictionary. There have been a total of 3 Concepts in Process Improvement course with 2 more scheduled, one for the Ohio EMS Chiefs Association and the Southern Ohio Rural EMS Alliance. <u>Goal 5</u> – No report. <u>Goal 6</u> – Dr. Nemunaitis reported that a survey is to be sent out to reassess rehab facilities in the state. <u>Goal 7</u> – Ms. Moss reported that the risk adjustment model has been put on hold until a replacement statistician is hired. The workgroup identified 10 matching fields that both EMSIRS and OTR capture. These will be used for data validation. The workgroup has also identified one injury type (closed proximal long bone fractures, single system injuries) that can be identified in all 3 data systems. This can be used for benchmarking in all phases of care. <u>Goal 8</u> – Ms. Burt reported that data is due soon to OTR. At the next meeting (next week) the NTDB 2016 Data Dictionary will be reviewed to determine what changes will need to be made in the 2016 TACR Data Dictionary. The workgroup is developing a TACR quiz as a PI tool to assess and improve registrars' knowledge of data entry rules. <u>Goal 9</u> – No report. Dr. Michelson expressed hope that inclusion in the minutes of the fact that there is currently no Chair for this workgroup might elicit a volunteer. Anyone interested should contact Mr. Erskine. <u>Goal 10</u> – No report. The videos created by this workgroup were discussed and the Committee directed staff to have them posted to the regular EMS website (no CE can be offered) until they can be posted to a website capable of providing CE. Motion to request EMFTS Board ensure the functional needs videos be posted to CE-providing website by the end of the calendar year made by Werman, second by Ross. All in favor, none opposed. MOTION PASSED.</p> | |
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| Send letter to EMFTS Board chair to post videos to PSTC | Michelson | |

| TOPIC | Strategic Plan revision | |
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| DISCUSSION (Simon) | <p>The workgroup convened this morning to begin assessing how to create a new strategic plan. Goal statements for each goal group will be reviewed and revised as needed. These will be sent to each workgroup to set up their parameters and targets. Goal 10's goals in reality encompass more than just trauma so this should be moved to a committee of the EMFTS Board. The registry should be a permanent subcommittee of this Committee as it is an ongoing issue. This will be recommended to the Board at their next meeting.</p> | |
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| Recommend adoption of people with functional needs at the Board level | Michelson | |

| TOPIC | Verified burn centers | |
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| DISCUSSION (Michelson) | Due to the registry transition the data on burn patients has been inaccessible. | |
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| TOPIC | AOTR Trauma Registrar Course | |
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| DISCUSSION (Michelson) | This is a placeholder agenda item until the course pilot is performed on October 16. |
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| None | | |
| Adjourned by Dr. Michelson at 11:23 AM | | |

NEXT MEETING

- Next meetings: (Bimonthly, the second Wednesday of the odd-numbered month at 10:00am)
- January 13, 2016
 - March 9, 2016
 - May 11, 2016
 - July 13, 2016
 - September 14, 2016
 - November 9, 2016

MINUTES APPROVED

Date