

MEDICAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE MEETING

MINUTES	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
	October 15, 2013	10:16 a.m. – 12:21 p.m.	ODPS – Division of EMS 1970 W. Broad St., Columbus, Ohio 43218
ATTENDEES	<p><u>Committee Members:</u> Geoffrey Dutton – Acting Chair, Martin Fuller, Mark Marchetta, Brent Parquette, Dr. Wendy J. Pomerantz, MD, Dr. Daniel Schwerin, Tami Wires, Allen Young</p> <p><u>ODPS-Division of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Staff:</u> Dr. Carol Cunningham, Rhonda Evans, Mel House, Sue Morris</p> <p><u>ODPS Staff:</u> None</p> <p><u>Visitors:</u> Dr. Cortez, Dr. Keseg</p>		
ABSENT	Committee Members: Dr. Deanna Dahl-Grove, Dr. Brian Springer, Dr. Steve Steinberg		
AGENDA TOPICS			
TOPIC	Welcome		
DISCUSSION (Mr. Geoff Dutton)	The meeting was called to order. The meeting agenda was amended to allow Dr. Cortez and Dr. Keseg to present their study proposal.		
ACTION ITEMS		PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
None			
New Business			
TOPIC	<u>Pre-hospital Use of Ultrasound Research Project</u>		
DISCUSSION (Mr. Dutton)	<p>Dr. Keseg and Dr. Cortez presented their study proposal on the use of ultrasound in the field to the Committee. After the proposal is submitted to the OSU IRB, the committee would submit a 12 month waiver of the scope of practice to the Board for the participants of the study. Dr. Cunningham proposed the MOC receive a report at the 6 month and 12 month interval. The Committee would like to view the proposal after IRB approval.</p> <p>Motion by Pomerantz, seconded by Marchetta to grant a waiver to the participants of the Ultrasound research project. All in favor, motion passed</p>		
ACTION ITEMS		PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Present waiver to the Board		Mr. Dutton	
TOPIC	<u>Approval of Minutes</u>		
DISCUSSION (Mr. Dutton)	Meeting minutes from the August meeting were reviewed and approved consensus.		
ACTION ITEMS		PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
None			
Old Business			
TOPIC	<u>Grant Studies</u>		
DISCUSSION (Group)	<p>Possible topics: Community Paramedicine, Active Shooters, Air medical utilization, Data analysis, Air medical use in MI and CVA, Utilization of Air medical and Ground Mobile Intensive Care Units focusing on costs and outcomes, Impact of Pharmaceutical shortages, Incidents of Medication errors and outcomes.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Community Paramedicine: This was presented as a funded study, but the Community Paramedicine (CP) committee needs to flesh this out further then present to this committee for a waiver in scope of practice. <p>Motion by Schwerin/Wires to table the discussion on this topic and send it back to the CP committee. Motion passed.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Active Shooter: There is Tactical Emergency Critical Care (TECC) training available. This would be more appropriate for Priority 1. Suggestion of the committee to send this information to the Resource Management committee to confirm training for TECC is on the list of approved training. 		

- The study of Utilization of Air medical and Ground Mobile Intensive Care Units focusing on costs and outcomes. Distribution of satellite stations – where the units are stationed. As part of the study, if the patient is flown – how long are the patients kept at the hospital. Suggestion that input from the Medical Transportation committee would vet out information in patient care. Additional look at the transport protocols. Suggestion to send this to the Medical Transportation Committee.

Motion by Schwerin/Marchetta to move this to Medical Transportation Committee – Motion approved.

- Incidents of Medication errors and outcomes could be paired with the Impact of Pharmaceutical shortages. This study would be of interest to the committee.

Motion by Marchetta/Fuller to encourage a grant proposal. Motion approved.

- Impact of Pharmaceutical shortages survey was designed. Waiting results from the ODH survey.

Motion by Marchetta/Wires moved to table this until the survey results are available. Motion approved.

- Data analysis looking at validity and integrity study of the EMSIRS data. Additionally looking into how to improve the collection and use of the data.

Motion by Marchetta/Pomerantz to encourage a grant proposal. Motion approved.

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Share with Resource Management the recommendations listed above.	Sue Morris	

TOPIC	Scope of Practice Study <u>Transmission</u>
DISCUSSION (Group)	Discussion tabled until legal counsel can provide the committee with a definition of “transmission”.

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Contact Ms. Firestone.	Sue Morris	

TOPIC	New Business <u>HB 170: Naloxone</u>
DISCUSSION (Group)	<p>HB 170 is a Naloxone bill that will give the ability to administer intranasal administration to EMRs and EMTs. The scope of practice will be expanded to allow the administration of intranasal administration to EMRs and EMTs.</p> <p>Motion by Marchetta/Schwerin to recommend amending the scope of practice to allow the administration of intranasal Naloxone to EMRs and EMTs. Motion passed.</p>

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Motion as stated above to be taken to the Board for approval.	Mr. Dutton	

TOPIC	Open Forum <u>Position papers</u>
DISCUSSION (Group)	<p>Position papers were reviewed and input forwarded to Dr. Cunningham. Discussion of papers were held and attached.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Run Reports – Suggestion to engage the OHA to address wait times. Capnography RSI Appropriate training: Update was inserted. Policy on Pre-existing Medical Devices Interfacility transports

Motion to Schwerin/Young to accept the changes as described by Dr. Cunningham. Motion approved

Committee membership

Committee members were reminded to confirm their membership by submitting committee applications.

Scope of Practice question: Propofol

Propofol is a critical care medication that this committee will not support the administration of this medication by EMS providers.

ACTION ITEMS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	DEADLINE
Resend the application and appointment process to committee members	Sue Morris	

NEXT MEETING

Next meetings: (Bi-monthly, TUESDAY before the Third WEDNESDAY of the month at 10:00am)

- Tuesday, December 17, 2013
- Tuesday, April 15, 2014
- Tuesday, June 17, 2014
- Tuesday, August 19, 2014
- Tuesday, October 14, 2014
- Tuesday, December 16, 2014

MINUTES APPROVED

Mr. Geoff Dutton, Acting Chair

Date