

REGION ONE PHYSICIAN ADVISORY BOARD
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2007 2-4 PM
BETHESDA NORTH HOSPITAL – SCHREINER CLASSROOM

Meeting Minutes:

Present: Phillip F. Oblinger, MD, Hamilton Schwartz, MD, Hamilton Lempert, MD, Bill Gates, MD, Bruce Ashley, MD, Lindsey Collette, EMS, and Judy Levy, EMS

Approval of Previous Minutes:

The meeting of the Region One Physician Advisory Board was called to order at 2:00 PM on 1/17/07, at Bethesda North Hospital, Schreiner conference room. The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed, there were no corrections, and they were approved as written. Judy Levy was introduced to the group and will be replacing Kathy Ballman as an EMSG invited guest at our meetings.

Membership Update:

Dr. Locosta has been accepted as a Region One RPAB member. Dr. Ashley has successfully reapplied for Region One RPAB membership and has been approved. Dr. Steven Lewis' membership expired 2006 but he did not wish to reapply. Dr. Van Zile's application has not been received by Mike Glen, State of Ohio. Dr. Oblinger will check with Dr. Van Zile to see if he is still interested in becoming a member or not.

Region One RPAB Newsletter:

The newsletter has been made available on the website and can be accessed via www.ems.ohio.gov Go to RPAB under quick links. Click on "Meeting Minutes" "Region 1" and "Newsletter".

We will begin gathering data for the next addition. If you have any input for the next newsletter edition please let Dr. Oblinger know.

QI/PI:

Trauma data from Carol Cunningham, MD was reviewed and discussed. Elderly falls are prominent and we will focus on this in the next newsletter.

Some possible topics were discussed such as pain management, non-transfers, etc. We will also ask Tim Erskine for updated state benchmarks data for 2006. We will ask for new information for PI on non-transfers and pain management as well.

Future Meetings:

September 19, 2007 – Bethesda North Hospital 2-4 PM
November 14, 2007 – Bethesda North Hospital 2-4 PM

November 15, 2007 – All Members Meeting – Columbus

Adjournment:

With no further business the Region One RPAB meeting was adjourned.

Respectively submitted,

Phillip F. Oblinger, M.D., F.A.C.E.P.
Region One Chair
