

REGION ONE PHYSICIAN ADVISORY BOARD
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2007 2-4 PM
BETHESDA NORTH HOSPITAL – GOLDER CONF. RM II

Present:

Phillip F. Oblinger, MD, Hamilton Schwartz, MD, Hamilton Lempert, MD, Bruce Ashley, MD, Lindsey Collette, EMS, Don Locasto, MD, 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 11/14/07 at Bethesda North Hospital, Golder II conference center. The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved as written.

Membership Update:

Region One RPAB membership was discussed. Applications and CVs have been received for Dr. Hamilton and Dr. Oblinger. Dr. Gates' application has not been received as of yet. Pam Green will contact Dr. Gates. There remain 2 available membership chairs.

Region One RPAB Newsletter:

Articles for the next edition of our newsletter were discussed. Please send articles of interest to Lindsey Collette or to Pam Green. Dr. Schwartz will do an article on pediatric information and Dr. Locasto will do an educational article as well. Dr. Locasto will ask Amy Gutma to submit an article on equipment/new devices for the newsletter too.

Facility Capability Survey:

Dr. Locasto presented the E.D. Capability survey for review by the group. Several suggestions/changes were agreed upon by the group. Dr. Locasto will send out survey to all hospital ED Medical Directors in Region One for input. Pam Green Will forward Dr. Locasto a list of all QESI ED Medical Directors, which consists of 8 area hospitals.

Future Meetings:

The group agreed on dates for the 2008 Region One RPAB meetings. They will be as follows:

February 13, 2008	-	Bethesda North Hospital 2-4 PM
May 21, 2008	-	Bethesda North Hospital 2-4 PM
September 24, 2008	-	Bethesda North Hospital 1-2 PM
November 13, 2008	-	All Member Mtg.- Columbus 1PM
November 19, 2008	-	Bethesda North Hospital 2-4 PM

Meeting held in conjunction with PreHospital Care Committee meeting which will follow at 2 PM.

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
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