



MONO COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE COMMITTEE



AGENDA

**Mammoth Hospital
ED Lounge/Conference Room**

**June 2, 2015
9:00 a.m.**

Call-in: (760) 934-3311

Purpose: Information Sharing

Meeting Facilitator: Dr. Rick Johnson

Timekeeper: Denice Stiles

	AGENDA ITEM	PERSON(S)	DISCUSSION/ACTION
I.	CALL TO ORDER	Dr. Johnson	
II.	APPROVAL OF MINUTES February 3, 2015	Dr. Johnson	Action
III.	DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS		
	A. ICEMA Update	Tom Lynch	Discussion
	B. ICEMA Committees (MAC and SAC)	Rosemary Sachs/ Rob DeForrest	Discussion/Action
	C. 2013-14 Mono County Core Measures	Ron Holk	Discussion
IV.	EMS SYSTEM MANAGEMENT REPORTS <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Base Hospital Report• ePCR Report		Information
V.	OTHER/PUBLIC COMMENT		
VI.	REQUESTS FOR NEXT MEETING		
VII.	NEXT MEETING DATE: July 21, 2015		
VIII.	ADJOURNMENT		

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MINUTES

MONO COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE COMMITTEE



February 3, 2015
9:00 a.m.

AGENDA ITEM		DISCUSSION/FOLLOW UP	RESPONSIBLE PERSON(S)
I.	CALL TO ORDER	Meeting called to order at approximately 0900.	
II.	APPROVAL OF MINUTES	The September 23, 2014, minutes were approved. Motion made by Rosemary Sachs and seconded by Rob DeForrest; motion Carried.	
III.	DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS		
	A. ICEMA Updates		
	1. Bed Delay Update	San Bernardino County continues to experience extended bed delay and an APOD (Ambulance Patient Offload Delay) Task Force continues to meet while working to modernize the system. Working on possible redirection trial program to start sometime in April/May. This would be a joint trial program with San Bernardino and Riverside County.	Tom Lynch
	B. Community Paramedic Update	Currently the state is moving forward with 12 Community Paramedic Programs. The program will consist of 160 additional training hours. OSHPD has a council of advisors that are working on Community Paramedicine as well. Topics being looked at will be alternate destination, post discharge follow up (CHF, MI, Diabetes, etc.) and data collection methodology. Most of the core curriculum should be done within the next couple of months. Spring or early Summer is the target to roll out the current approved programs. Most programs will run 1-2 years. Other things that will be looked at will be possibly changing of state regulations, and the venue of practice. There may be some potential funding from the California Healthcare Foundation, but truly reimbursement is unknown at this time. CMS did fund the Reno study. Also third party payers usually follow Medicare rates. There may be possible partnerships with hospitals and EMS. Of course there will be opposition from Nurse, Physician, and Home Health Care groups and organizations.	Tom Lynch
	C. Air Ambulance Operations	Rosemary and Rob have been able to call in to the meetings. It is still very difficult to be fully engaged in the meeting from the phone. Mono County IT people need to get in touch with	Dr. Johnson

		Mark Roberts at ICEMA to see what is needed to get the video conferencing up and running.	
	D. Quality Improvement Plan	Rosemary and Rob are looking at every call for QI/QA purposes, and also tracking all helicopter runs. Need to look at the QI indicators and make the plan reflect current activities.	Dr. Johnson
	E. EMCC Appointments	All six EMCC appointments were approved by the Mono County Board of Supervisors.	Dr. Johnson
	F. ReddiNet	Linda Tripoli presented on the ReddiNet system that is currently being used throughout the state and in San Bernardino County and most of Region I and VI. ReddiNet is willing to provide a free trial of the system to Inyo and Mono Counties for a period of 1 year. Also 9 employees from Mono County are going to be traveling to Anniston, Alabama in June to attend FEMA training courses.	Dr. Johnson/ Linda Tripoli (Reddinet)
	G. Air Ambulance	Mike Patterson brought up his concern over out of state air providers coming into Inyo and Mono counties for interfacility transports. These providers are not licensed in the state of California, not ICEMA approved, and employees are not licensed in the State of California. A request was made to possibly use in-state licensed providers before using out of state air ambulance companies for interfacility calls.	Mike Patterson
	H. Public Safety Regulations	New Public Safety Regulations are effective in April. There are 5 optional skills in the new regulations, but ICEMA has not received any requests for approval.	Dr. Johnson

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IV.	EMS System Management Reports	Informational	Ron Holk
	1. Base Hospital Report	No comments.	
	2. Scantron/ePCR Report	No comments.	
V.	OTHER/PUBLIC COMMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mountain Warfare continues to work on implementing ImageTrend. • Mountain Warfare has an oxygen generator that they would be happy to let the county use if needed. 	
VI.	REQUEST FOR NEXT MEETING	Next meeting will March 24, 2015	
VII.	NEXT MEETING DATE:	March 24, 2015	
VIII.	ADJOURNMENT	Meeting was adjourned at approximately 1030.	

Attendees:

NAME	MAC POSITION	EMS AGENCY STAFF	POSITION
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rick Johnson, MD	Mono County Health Officer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tom Lynch	EMS Administrator
<input type="checkbox"/> Ales Tomaier	Mono County Fire Chief's Assoc.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Denice Wicker-Stiles	Asst. Administrator (By Phone)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lori Baitx, RN	Mammoth Hospital	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paul Easterling	EMS Specialist
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rosemary Sachs, RN	Mammoth Hospital		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lynda Salcido	Mono County EMS		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rob De Forrest			

GUESTS	AGENCY
Kevin Sullivan	MWTC
Troy Franks	MWTC
Linda Tripoli	Reddinet
Mike Patterson	Sierra Life Flight
John Almeida	Sierra Life Flight
Matt Brown	Care Flight
Justin Fuller	Cal Fire