

Sacramento County
Department of Health and Human Services - Emergency Medical Services Agency
Joint Medical Oversight (MOC)/Operational Oversight (OOC) Committees
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January 12, 2017

Facilitator: Hernando Garzon, M.D. SCEMSA Medical Director
David Magnino, EMS Administrator

Scribe: Petrus Van Niekerk and Kathy Ivy, EMS Specialist II

Meeting Attendees MOC:

- Michael Brandon, M .D. Mercy General/Methodist
- Ric Maloney, RN, Sacramento Metropolitan Fire
- David Shatz M.D. Sacramento Metropolitan Fire
- Karen Scarpa, M.D. Sutter Medical Center, Sacramento
- Lee Welter, Sierra Sacramento Valley Medical Society & ARC
- SCEMSA Staff

Meeting Attendees OOC:

- Mark Piacenhni, Folsom Fire
- Adam Blitz, American Medical Response Ambulance
- John Brooks, NorCal Ambulance
- Matthew Burruel, AlphaOne Ambulance
- Julie Carrington, Consumnes Fire Department
- David Buettner, UC Davis
- Carol Demaree, R.N. Mercy General Hospital
- Michael Eagle, CALSTAR
- Brian Gonsalves, Sacramento Metropolitan Fire
- Wendin Gulbransen, Kaiser Hospital, South
- Randall Hein, Sacramento Metropolitan Fire
- Debbie Madding, R.N. Sutter Roseville Medical Center

- Kathy Nacey, R.N. Methodist Hospital of Sacramento
- Jack Philp, Sacramento County Department of Airports
- Sean Pfeifer, TLC EMS Ambulance
- Michael Taylor, Sacramento City Fire Department
- Joe Thuesen, SRFECC
- Ken Bradford, FALCK Ambulance
- Kevin Otterstetter, FALCK Ambulance
- Scott Clark, Cosumnes Fire Department
- Ben Gammon, Medic Ambulance
- A. Lee, Norcal Ambulance
- Robert Griffith, Kaiser Roseville
- Tony Bubba, VA Hospital
- Dennis Madding, Sacramento City Fire Department
- Norm Weitzel, Medic Ambulance
- John Davis, Sacramento Metropolitan Fire
- Matthew McHugh, Cosumnes River College
- Steve Brandon, Methodist Hospital of Sacramento
- Chris Lebaudor, FALCK Ambulance

- **Minutes Approved November 10, 2016:** - Dr. Garzon, SCEMSA Medical Director- Chairman - **APPROVED**

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| Welcome and Introductions | Chairman’s Report: None |
| Public Comment | None |
| Supplemental Old / New Business | Medication Shortages/Updates: No updates Wall times: Dr. Garzon discusses the two (2) cases where patients died while on EMS gurney, while waiting for a bed. Both cases are being reviewed by SCEMSA and the hospitals. Due to these deaths SCEMSA may need to make further |

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| | <p>recommendations about care on the EMS gurney. Dr. Garzon states paramedics have a due diligence to continue vital signs for “wall time” patients, every 15 minutes and document it in the PCR. Dr. Garzon spoke about the operational update for Surge (4 or less ambulances in system, hospital bed availability at 185%) and sending an engine with a paramedic to put ambulances back in service. The paramedic would have a pt. ratio of no more than 6:1 (six patients to one paramedic) ratio. Ambulance crews can take gurney patients to CT or Cath labs for sake of expediency, but once off gurney patient isn’t allowed to return to EMS gurney and back to wall time. Procedures cannot be done on the EMS gurney unless it’s within the County Scope of Practice for EMTs and Paramedics.</p> <p>New Business: None Old Business: PD# 2523- Administration of Naloxone by Law Enforcement First Responders- NEW- Tabled w/edits</p> |
| <p>Scheduled Program Documents for Review</p> | <p>PD# 2001- Document Management System– APPROVED PD# 2002-Philosophy Statement, Disclaimer and Authority- APPROVED w/edits PD# 2007-Trauma Hospital Data Elements- APPROVED PD# 2010- Medical Oversight Committee- APPROVED PD# 2020- Operational Oversight Committee- APPROVED PD# 2026- Trauma Review Committee– APPROVED w/edits PD# 2030- Advanced Life Support Inventory- TABLED- providers would like to be able to give D50 orally vs the glucose paste. Dr. Garzon to research, because choking can occur easier with fluids vs. paste. PD# 2032- Controlled Substance- APPROVED PD# 2033- Determination of Death- APPROVED w/edits PD# 2036- Medical Scene Authority- APPROVED</p> |
| <p>New Topics</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NONE |
| <p>Roundtable</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Magnino thanks the EMS providers for providing NEMSIS 3 data and we are one of the few LEMSAs (1 of 6 counties) that is now reporting that data to the EMSA and that we have applied for a local assistance grant from EMSA thru the feds to get our six (6) volunteer Fire Departments on ePCRs, which means the volunteer FD will be |

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| | <p>providing data by September 2017.</p> <p>David Magnino announces Veronica Kennedy's resignation and acceptance to a new full time job with a fixed wing provider as a full time paramedic. SCEMSA is actively looking for a new EMS Specialist II.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kathy Ivy informs and shows the group of the new EMS Continuing Education link on SCEMSA website with Dr. Garzon's power points, which includes a test and evaluation. • Dr. Lee Welter- Spoke regarding Law Enforcement needing to maintain a certain level of competency, so ARC EMS division is looking at getting a mobile medical simulation unit. Dr. Welter to get SCEMSA more information on it. • Scott Perryman announced that this was his last MOC/OOC meeting; he is going back to the field. • Matthew McHugh, CRC is revamping its program and going to the high fidelity curriculum and is looking for providers who have excess equipment they can donate. |
| Action Items | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revise PD# 2523-Administration of Naloxone by Law Enforcement First Responders or PD# 2220-EMT Scope of Practice to include administration of Naloxone for EMTs. • Dr. Garzon to research D50 orally vs oral glucose paste to make his final recommendations on Advanced Life Support Inventories document. |
| Adjournment | Meeting adjourned at 11:30 |

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Next Meeting: March 9, 2017