

CONNECTICUT EMS ADVISORY BOARD
Special Legislative Advisory Meeting
Tuesday, January 10, 2017 at 0900 hours
At Connecticut Hospital Association

Members Attendees: G. Allard, R. Guthrie, R. Kamin, J. Paretzky, J. Reynolds, A. Romano, W. Schietinger and I. Smith.

OEMS Staff: R. Kamin.

Regional Coordinators: J. Reynolds

Regional Presidents:

Committee Chairs: J. Beauleau (MIH), R. Kamin (CEMSMAC), and J. Paretzky (Volunteer).

Board Chair: G. Allard, Chair.

Guests: J. Beauleau, L. Bruckett

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Call to order at 0908 hours.

TOPIC	ISSUE	DISCUSSION	ACTION
<u>Legislative Agenda 2017</u> Document hand out.	Legislative initiatives	The Chair presented the process for review of the '2017 Legislative Advisory Agenda' dated 1.10.17 and intended changes.	
	1	Sec. 38a-525, direct payment and Sec. 38a-498, mandatory coverage	Consensus agreement to move forward with the principals of the changes.
	2	Sec. 19a-177 and 19a-178a, Trauma	Agree to support.

	3	7-322c Employers/Volunteer Services	Agree to support.
	4	19a-181b. EMS Plans (Opioid)	Agree to support.
	5	53a-3, 53a-167c, assault, Definitions	Agree to support.
	6	19a-175, Definitions	Agree to support.
	Documentation comments.		Please date all materials, author to be noted and insert page numbers.
Action taken		Following discussion of all six initiatives as noted above.	Motion was made by J. Paretzky and 2 nd by A. Romano to move forward with the '2017 Legislative Advisory Agenda' dated 1.10.17. Motion passed with one abstention from R. Kamin.
Other	Mobile Integrated Healthcare	Lengthy discussion regarding MIH and if any needed legislative action is appropriate for the Board.	The Chair will follow up with Legislators regarding MIH and the DSS and consider follow up. Keep MIH on Legislative agenda.
Adjournment	At 1036 hours.		

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