For acceptance March 22, 2017 CONNECTICUT EMS ADVISORY BOARD Wednesday, February 22, 2017 at 0900 hours Hunters Ambulance Service

Members Attendees: G. Allard, M. Daniels, S. Gelati, R. Guthrie, N. Mayeda-Brescia, K. McClaine, R. McKeon, M. Miraglia,

J. Paretzky, J. Quinlavin, J. Reynolds, A. Romano, F. Rosa, I. Smith and B. Tenney.

OEMS Staff: R. Coler, R. Kamin,

Regional Coordinators: J. Reynolds, J. Speck.

Regional Presidents: B. Fitzmaurice, S. Gelati, C. Motes.

Committee Chairs: B. Ackley (Emergency Preparedness), J. Beaulieu (MIH), R. Kamin (CEMSMAC), N. Brunet (Clinical

Coordinators), M. Gawel (EMSC) and J. Paretzky (Volunteer), S. Gregg (Trauma), D. Dole

(Paramedic), M. Zacchera (Training).

Board Chair: G. Allard, Chair.

Guests: T. Schietinger, L. Brockett (CSEMSI), B. Crosby (CPCA), B. Morris (NCCEMSC), L. Guercia, M. Bova,

K. Aroh, J. Lynch (CPCA).

Requests for written reports may be made to Yolanda Williams at OEMS. Yolanda.Williams@ct.gov

Call to order at 0908 hours.

TOPIC	ISSUE	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Round Table Introductions		Done.	
Minutes	January 10, 2017 January 25, 2017	Special Legislative meeting. Board meeting.	Motion to accept January 10 and 25, 2017 m made by R. Guthrie and 2 nd by F. Rosa. Motion passed unanimously.
DPH/DSS Report	Alternative destinations	Lengthy discussion-22 minutes.	CEMSMAC and MIH will continue to keep all Destinations on their agendas.
		J. Quinlavin asked OEMS for a list of payors that stated they did not want to decrease costs to them by reducing ED visits.	
Chair's report	Legislative issues CGA Bill Tracking List, EMS dated 2.18.17	All bills were discussed and consensus reach by all present. House Bills 5089, 5175, 5176, 5107, 5215, 5278, 5297, 5299, 5387, 5675, 5727, 5732, 5738, 6027, 6035, 6038, 6191, 6283, 6486, 6494, 6680, 6688, 6689, 6694, 6712, 6717, 6721, 6885, 6886, 6968 and SB27, 37, 317, 328, 747, 749. All the above placed on a watch list. HB 5296, 5298, 5755, and SB 26, 7139. All the above supported. HB5821, 6235, 6690, 6702, SB345. All the above opposed.	
DPH report	Written report submitted	Data update.	R. Coler and the Data Committee are seekin interested individuals for contracting with DP development of the EMS and Trauma Data I

		New exams are out.	
EMSC	EMS transport.	Asked for everyone present to fill out a brief survey before leaving today.	
Agenda		Remainder of the agenda was suspended at 1125	
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Adjournment	At 1127 hours		Motion to adjourn by F. Rosa and 2 nd by G. A
	!		Motion passed unanimously.
Next meeting	At Hunters Ambulance	March 22, 2017 at 0900 hours.	

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