

**Approved June 10, 2021**

**CEMSMAC – May 13, 2021 – 10 AM**

**Location: VIRTUAL MEETING**

**Member Attendees:** Doug Latham (Region 1), Joseph Daniel (Region II), Charles Johndro (Region III), Kyle McClaine (Region IV), Sean Caffyn (Region V), Richard Kamin (OEMS)

**Guests:** Peter Canning, Chris Colonair, Mark Rollins, Mike Turcio, David Cone, Dani Levine, Aaron Katz, Melissa Osborne, Bob Ziegler, Kate Coupe, Mike Krapinski, Marielle Daniels, Mike Soltis, Jackson O'Brien, Steven Alsup, Melissa Sheer, John Quinlavin, Joe Larcheveque, Mike Zanker, Marge Letitia, Mark Cicero, Wesley Young.

**OEMS:** Kitty Hickcox, Mike Zacchera, Joel Demers

**Chaired by:** Richard Kamin and Kyle McClaine

<b>Topic</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Action</b>
Meeting called to order at 10:03 am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>The minutes of the April 2021 CEMSMAC meeting were reviewed</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Motion to approve April 2021 minutes as distributed; 1<sup>st</sup> Charles Johndro, 2<sup>nd</sup> Richard Kamin</li></ul> <p>Motion passed unanimously.</p>
<b>DPH/OEMS Report, R. Coler</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Discussion of report as distributed</li></ul>	Additional information discussed and distributed regarding the upcoming nursing home strike
<b>Regional MAC Reports</b>	<b>Region I:</b> Katz – Met last week. Objects to removing pediatric intubation, supports additional education on intubation.	

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	<p><b>Region II:</b> Cone – No meeting</p> <p><b>Region III:</b> Johndro – Consensus regarding risk and need for training in pediatric intubation. No intention to remove intubation at this point</p> <p><b>Region IV:</b> McClaine – No meeting</p> <p><b>Region V:</b> Caffyn – No meeting</p> <p><b>Trauma:</b> No Report</p> <p><b>EMS-C:</b> Cicero there will be pediatric simulation on EMSC Day next Wednesday during EMS Week at the East Hampton Fire Department</p>	
<b>Connecticut Unified EMS Protocols</b> <i>David Bailey, Rich Kamin</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review ongoing</li> <li>Looking for a co-chair</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Minutes to be distributed</li> </ul>
<b>COVID-19 Practice – Standing item</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open Discussion</li> <li>Treat/no transport protocol discontinued in Yale catchment area</li> <li>Remaining protocols remain</li> </ul>	
<b>Physician Certification on T-3 Form, R. Kamin, J. Demer</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No update</li> </ul>	
<b>CARES Update</b> <i>Jackson O'Brien</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>updating the process for de-identifying information resulting in fewer emails for everyone involved</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For any questions regarding CARES please contact Jackson O'Brien - <a href="mailto:jackson.obrien@redcross.org">jackson.obrien@redcross.org</a></li> </ul>
<b>Review / Update State Diversion Guidance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Will look to finalize in June</li> </ul>	

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<b>Other Business/Ongoing initiatives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IFT Sub-Committee; Melissa Osborne reports continuous progress, submission directly to CEMSMAC when ready.</li> <li>• CME Sharing (Kamin) – ongoing, no report</li> <li>• EMS Response to School Bus Crashes; Feedback received from CABE CT Association of Boards of Education; thorough protocols</li> <li>• Electronic Information Sharing/Communications – No report</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IFT a permanent agenda item.</li> </ul>

Adjourned at 1045 am

Next Meeting: 6/10/2021 - Location: VIRTUAL MEETING – no in person meeting until further notice

Respectfully submitted: Richard Kamin

**Upcoming Meeting Dates: VIRTUAL MEETING – no in person meeting until further notice**

- 6/10/21
- 7/8/21
- 8/12/21