

CT EMS Advisory Board
Education and Training Committee
September 21st, 2021 Zoom Meeting

Member Attendees: Melissa Osborne, David Burich, Joel Demers, John Pierce, Art Romano, Mike Zacchera, Sean Fitch, Charles Dunn

Excused Members: Lou Brockett, Jackie Nemcik

Topic	Discussion	Action
Meeting called to order at 09:33	August Minutes	Approved
OEMS Update Joel Demers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New DPH commissioner in place • NREMT will be removing their oversight of AEMT/Medic skills testing in 2 year. • Discussion concerning the public acts regarding Human Trafficking and PTSD • Joel emailed the entire report (see attached) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This will leave it up to the programs • Currently this is responsibility of employer. OEMS holds no enforcement. Should there be a consideration for a “young provider i.e. <16 version?)
CSEMSI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report 	
CEMSAB Art Romano	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lou can't attend Sept. meeting, Osborne to attend in place of... • Next meeting 9/22 	
CEMSMAC Osborne	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whole blood protocol approved 	
Regulation Review Zacchera	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ongoing – process has started. 	
EMS Pro Expo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Golf Tournament went really well • Some presenter changes for EMSPro due to COVID 	
MIH Melissa Osborne	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No update 	
IFT – Osborne	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Going well – continue to have positive movement on both the protocol and education work groups 	

Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BLS presentations • BLS exam • Paramedic Exam • SIM training – nothing to report • Skill Sheets 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On hold for now • Began review of it. Discussed where we need to add questions – will continue in October. • Will add questions when new protocols come out • Discussion on how various groups in state use the exam. Some don't, some use it as a question bank. • CPR sheet not many changes, people will not be failed for “not asking for AED.” • Heading for 3 stations only: CPR/Airway, Trauma combined w/ Random and Medical • Goal is to decrease number of critical fails • The “Review and Retrain” form will be going away when we change to 3 stations. This will be around the spring of 2022
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pelvic Binders – look at creating a brief review presentation • Data Presentation – Zacchera 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make sure that when an EMT becomes a medic their info is changed in PCR system • Services can access the data as well – have to set up portal (Eliza Little eliza.little@ct.gov) • Should Sponsor Hospitals also have access?
Chair Report	None	
Info Sharing	None	
Next Meeting	November 16th, 2021 at 0930	Meeting held via zoom
Adjourned	10:30	Submitted by: Melissa Osborne