

CT EMS ADVISORY BOARD

Education and Training Committee Agenda
May 17th, 2022 0930 via Zoom

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Call to Order:

Location: Online via Zoom

Review and approval of April 2022 minutes

OEMS Update:

Emailed received from OEMS on May 9, 2022

The Commissioner of Public Health, Dr. Manisha Juthani, has reinstated the requirements of renewal of all licenses and certifications effective May 10, 2022 ([link to order](#)). This includes the following EMS professions:

- EMR – Emergency Medical Responder
- EMT – Emergency Medical Technician
- AEMT – Advanced Emergency Medical Technician
- EMSI – Emergency Medical Services Instructor
- Paramedic

Any certified provider (EMR, EMT, AEMT, EMSI) must complete the continuing education or teaching activity and submit a renewal using the www.elicense.ct.gov platform to renew their certification. Providers who have forgotten their username or password may recover that information at that site or contact OEMS at dph.emslicensing@ct.gov

Any licensed paramedic must submit the required payment of fees for the current licensing period and any fees not paid during the period of suspended renewals during the public health emergency. The Department does not have the authority to waive these licensing fees.

Any certificate or license which has not been renewed by November 10, 2022, shall expire.

Was the QPR training standard approved?

Committee Reports:

- Reports CT EMS-I Society –
- Advisory Board –
- CEMSMAC –
- Regulations Review –
- CT EMS Expo's –
- MIH –
- IFT –
- Protocol Committee –

Old Business:

- Paramedic Exam Questions –
- BLS Exam Questions –
- Senate Bills Update –
- Mission Statement –
- SIM Training – Teammates from SIM location joining our meeting today?
- Skills sheets – Follow up on status of BVM station changes and combined BVM / CPR. Started a hybrid sheet for the medical station for the EMR's.
- Goals/objectives for new protocols –
- Was the Check & Injection program updated -

New Business:

- Protocol rollout Blanket approval?

Upcoming Training Opportunities:

- ***Public Information Officer Virtual Awareness Level Training and the ICS and Crisis Decision Making Virtual Awareness Course***
 - *Date:* Wednesday, May 26, 2022 from 10AM to 1PM
 - The Connecticut Health Care Coalition will host the final installments of its free webinars for the *Public Information Officer Virtual Awareness Level Training* and the *ICS and Crisis Decision Making Virtual Awareness Course*, on Wednesday, May 26, 2022 from 10AM to 1PM, respectively.
 - These trainings were developed by the CT HCC in collaboration with CT DPH.
 - To register for the webinars, please click on the registration link provided in the flyers attached to this email or on the following links:
 - [*Public Information Officer Virtual Awareness Level Training*](#)
 - [*ICS and Crisis Decision Making Virtual Awareness Course*](#)

- **3rd Annual Hartford HealthCare Shock Symposium**
 - Registration link: <https://hhchealth.cloud-cme.com/2022ShockSymposium>
 - Date: Thursday, June 2, 2022
 - Time: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm
 - Location: Farmington Polo Grounds (outdoors under a tent), 152 Town Farm Road, Farmington, CT

- **EMS Resiliency and Wellness Seminar**
 - Date: June 25-30, 2022
 - OEMS is pleased to accept applications to attend the DHHS Block Grant funded EMS Resiliency Seminar on June 25-30 to be held at Quinnipiac University. This 6-day seminar is available at no charge to EMS personnel thanks to a grant from Public Health and Human Services and support from multiple hospital and EMS health systems. Seating is limited and will be allocated based on applications according to regions. The presentation will be recorded and developed in to a distributive education program that will be made available to all EMS personnel after the event. This free training opportunity for front-line personnel, first-line supervisors and mental health trauma response teams to recognize and respond to significant events in EMS.
 - Applicants may choose to attend:
 - Day 1-2 – For front-line EMS agencies and personnel
 - Day 3-6 – For those EMS personnel who wish to become Peer Support Responders
 - Information and application is available at <https://quems.org/ems-resiliency-training/>

- **UCONN Health**
 - Researchers are studying the effectiveness of a new simulation-based resuscitation program.
 - Participation includes two in-person and one online session, each six months apart.
 - First session: July 21 or 22, 2022
 - Second session: January 26 or 27, 2023
 - Third session: TBD July 2023
 - PARTICIPANTS WILL
 - be randomized to one of two groups and dates, take online assessments, read a manual, and use a manikin to participate in simulated medical scenarios.
 - WHO CAN JOIN?
 - EMS personnel, first responders, and program trainees located in the Hartford area, ages 18 and older.

- You will receive \$100 and CME in compensation.
- Interested parties should call Catherine Jahne @ 860-679-1138, UConn Health Clinical Research Center.

Next Meeting: 6/21/2022

- No Meeting in July

Meeting adjourned: