

**CT EMS Advisory Board
Education and Training Committee
September 19, 2023**

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OEMS: J Demers, M Zacchera

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Topic	Discussion	Action
Call to Order	Corrections to previous minutes (tabled for next month)	
OEMS Update	ImageTrend access for education programs, ready for pilot First responder / EMR agency documentation requirement using free state ImageTrend in the future. May need a pilot program. Possible need for education for EMRs on documentation. Discussion about documentation requirements for EMRs and also for non-transporting first responder EMT-level agencies. Looking at adding a log of hours taught for the EMS-I process	
CSEMSI	Technical difficulties with this month's meeting Upcoming Spring Symposium in March Free 1 year membership for all EMS-I www.CTAEMSI.org . Use Promo Code: WELCOME1YR	
CEMSAB	No update	
CEMSMAC	Discussion of protocols	
Protocols	Delayed. Back from Commissioner for additional changes Region 3 MAC has a proposal for EMTs to use supraglottic airways	
Legislative (& Pending Bills)	Effort to make Regional Coordinator positions permanent Looking at legislative priorities for next session.	

Regulation Review	Now an active project but nothing to report yet It is not a quick process. Mike Z is working on it.	
MIH	Legal review of policies, estimated 6-8 weeks for current step of process Planning a kickoff conference to get people excited and start the process Interested services should start discussions with potential partners to be ready when application process opens	
IFT	Still working on education development	
Data	Documentation training Most services reporting using NEMSIS 3.5 State data dictionary created. Validation rules are being created	
Old Business	Exam Questions (BLS/ALS) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Should start writing questions based on what we have - Still some updates pending MCI Training – no report New Protocol Objectives <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Updated language for newest protocol changes - Need to develop skill sheet for EMR Epi-Pen auto-injector PPT Replacements (goal due date is November) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CPAP (Melissa) • Check and Inject (Melissa) • SMR (Jason Nadeau) • Hemorrhage control (Dave Burich) • 12-lead (Scott Marotto) • Naloxone (Trevor) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Check-and-inject was made separately ○ Discussion of need for IN Naloxone • PTSD/Suicide (Joel) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Just needs reformatting EMS-I TTT Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Logging of teaching hours 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Feedback process / evaluation form / mentorship - What credentials do we want for instructor trainers? Survey to EMSI Trainers - CTAEMSI engaged in updating the process 	
New Business	<p>NREMT 4th attempt curriculum</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Rapid review of basic course content - Test taking skills module included - Limmer has a CAPCE approved review <p>NCCP (2016) in need of update</p>	
Info Sharing	<p>Recent NREMT Webinar on sunseting of ALS Psychomotor exam. Concepts in evaluating clinical judgement may be useful in some of our EMT exam discussions.</p> <p>Five Minutes to Save a Life (opioid communication)</p> <p>Trauma shadowing experience at St Francis</p> <p>EMS Conference in October</p> <p>NETECH Infectious Disease CME</p> <p>https://unmc.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_Rq1vyTfhQ0ys2mqnvTdlFg#/registration</p>	
Adjournment	Next Meeting October 17 at 0930 via Zoom	