

**TIDEWATER EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, INC.
STROKE PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting Date: June 8, 2017 **Meeting Location:** TEMS Office **Chaired By:** Joel Michael, MD
Begin Time: 2:30 p.m. **End Time:** 4:30 p.m. **Minutes Submitted By:** Dessi Bradecich

Members Present: Jay Porter, Dessi Bradecich, Joel Michael, Denise Baylous, Amy Smith-Peard, Chris Robertson, David Brock, Christy Budy, Forrest Winslow, Anthony Judkins, Lee Hicks, Cassandra McLeod, Sarah Cullen, Kathryn Funk, C. Davenport, Greg. DeYoung, Sheila DeYoung, Karah Lanier,

Item (Project)	Discussion (Status)	Action Required	Barriers	By Whom/When
Introduction and Approval of Minutes	A motion was made to approve the February 9, 2017 minutes as presented. The motion was seconded and was approved .	N/A	N/A	N/A
Medical case review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sarah Cullen presented the case of 74 YOM – Wake- up Stroke • Outside TPA timeframe • Thrombectomy is possible as long as there is lg. vessel occlusion • Emergent Embolectomy (IR) • Great outcome- pt left with no deficits • Lessons for EMS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Nothing PRN - TPA is still standard of care, all cases are still super urgent - Stroke is not TPA- TPA is an intervention, there are other interventions - Treatments Assessment, management is changing for Stroke cases 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Providers on the field to find out: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - True onset - Symptoms - BGL 		
Data review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C. Budy- did we document the stroke pt and assessment correctly? • Scale report- it's skewed due to the data sets used by different software of the agencies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stroke Data to be sent to the Agencies and encouraging them to participate. • Parse the data and send to the individual agencies. • Have them acknowledge they have received it. • Suggested by Dr. Agola: set standard and award Agencies with the shortest on scene times for the Stroke Alert pts. • Ask MOC if it is OK to publish the data (its confidential) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jay P. • Stroke PI
Facility transfer check sheet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The form was emailed by kay Funk, it needs the OMD committee's approval 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Send the Facility Transfer Form for e-mail approval 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jay P.

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Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education needs to be done now/ Training on how to do better • TEMS Coordinator's meeting coming up- see how we can stream line the training topics • Stroke timeframe- 10 min vs. 15 min- Decided to stay with 10 min. • EMS Reports- State reports in Hospital Hub- the printed report does not include all the fields that EMS collects 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get on with the guidelines/ hospitals are already working on it • Create definition forms for EMS- where is the data to be found on the report 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hospitals
Roundtable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 		N/A
Next Meeting	The NEXT Stroke PI Committee meeting will be on 8/10/2017 at the TEMS Office at 2:30pm.	N/A	N/A	N/A