

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

Meeting Date: December 14, 2017 **Meeting Location:** TEMS Office **Chaired By:** Joel Michael

Begin Time: 2:30 p.m. **End Time:** 4:00 p.m. **Minutes Submitted By:** Michael McMahon

Members Present: Forrest Winslow, Sheila Deyoung, Greg Deyoung, Christi Budy, Cassandra Andrews, Kim Warren, Michael Whitehurst, Eric Snover, Sarah Cullen, Kathryn Funk, Lee Hicks, Karah Lanier, John Agola, Teresa Mitchell, Michael McMahon, Jay Porter

Item (Project)	Discussion (Status)	Action Required	Barriers	By Whom/When
Introductions and Approval of Minutes	Minutes approved			
Data Review	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q3 Regional and Agency Data 			
Case Presentations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DAWN Trials 			
LVO Destination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BEFAST/RACE for stroke assessment • OMD support for BEFAST • RACE may be supported soon • Possible system for alerts when stroke facility at capacity 	<p>More education for EMS providers on BEFAST</p> <p>Backup or notification plan when endovascular services are not available.</p>		<p>Educational Committee</p> <p>Depaul and SNGH Neuroscience Teams</p>
Old Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Transfer forms <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hospitals still educating staff on use 			
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Utilizing EMS/911 for interfacility transfers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Attempting to formalize plans ○ RN liability on ambulances 			
Next Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Get BEFAST info to OMDs • Meeting date for all involved stakeholders • Prepare new case study for next meeting 	BEFAST and RACE Education for ED RNs and MD.		Stroke Coordinators and Dr. Michael