

**TIDEWATER EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COUNCIL, INC.
EMS STEMI PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting Date: October 13, 2022

Meeting Location: Hybrid

Chaired By: Steve Henson

Begin Time: 1:05 PM **End Time:** 1:51 PM

Minutes By: Valerie Vagts

Members Present: Amy Poland, Steve Henson, Jason Lovitz, Pat Edwards, Marcia Walton, Val Sommer, Valerie Vagts

Item (Project)	Discussion (Status)	Action Required	Barriers	By Whom/When
Intro / Approval of Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Δ Lots of people are at EMS World this week Δ Approved last meetings' minutes – Will 1st, Marcia 2nd none opposed 	N/A	N/A	N/A
Review Data reports August/ September	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Δ FMC to 12 Lead: 6:29 – 2022; 6:27 - 2021 Δ On Scene Time for CP: 15:34 – 2022; 14:55 - 2021 Δ On scene STEMI: 16:18 – 2022; 15:39 - 2021 Δ FMC to STEMI Alert: 13:24 – 2022; 20:26 - 2021 Δ Witness Arrest: 91 – 2022; 119 - 2021 Δ Witness Arrest ROSC rate: 43 = 47%-2022; 53 = 44.5%-2021 Δ Witness Arrest Sustained ROSC: 18 = 19.8%-2022; 22 = 18.5%-2021 Δ *not utstein due to inability to pull shockable rhythm Δ In VA: 228 agencies are currently using ESO 	N/A	N/A	N/A
ECG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Δ Educational Flyer – returned from Education and Training Committee and accepted for regional use. Jason 1st, Pat 2nd none opposed. Thanks for putting it together Will. 			
Mission: Lifeline	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Δ CARES registry presentation from Alan Perry pushed back to next meeting, due to his attendance at EMS World. Will discuss set up/maintenance and reporting. Δ CARES will be picked up by the state beginning first quarter 2023 and provides a way to compare “like” cities. They collect data from dispatch, EMS and the hospital to use for reporting and requires a designated person from each part to fill out their part. Find more information at www.mycares.net 		N/A	N/A
New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Δ Would like Chesapeake numbers with Heads up CPR (VB 38%, CFD 40% survival rate for witnessed arrests) Δ Cancel Decembers meeting and change date to fall in line with all of the PI meetings on the same day. It'll be at 10:30 am on every 2nd Thursday of every ODD month. Will 1st, Steve 2nd and none opposed. Lunch will be provided to celebrate Marcia's birthday. ☺ Δ PulsePoint discussion summary: depending on the level the agency purchases, determines what functionality it provides. Can set alerts to come to your phone for cardiac arrests with a higher tier. Would be nice to get alerted 30 seconds before the tones drop at the station, like fires do. 			
Roundtable	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Δ Norfolk – changing fire system to EPR Fireworks, possible that they will switch Health EMS at a later date. Excluding trauma and nursing homes, NFD has over 50% patients with sustained ROSC, but they aren't leaving the hospital. Δ Maryview is beginning their process for re-accreditation. occurs every 3 years. Δ IOW – gearing up for a big in-service to cover: leads, proper documentation, etc. 	N/A	N/A	N/A
Next Meeting	This Committee meeting will be held hybrid on January 12, 2022 at 10:30 PM	N/A	N/A	N/A