

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

Meeting Date: February 10, 2021 **Meeting Location:** Hybrid **Chaired By:** Dr. Joel Michael **Begin Time:** 2:30 PM **End Time:** 3:30 PM

Minutes By: Valerie Vagts **Members Present:** Sheila DeYoung, Alek Collins, John Baker, Alan Perry, Steve Henson, Dr. Michael, Pat Edwards, Rita Meyers, Maureen Cormier, Mike O’Neill, James Reynolds, Leslie Bell, Mary Stern, Sabrina Werner, Scott McClain, Sophea Booker, Will Shackelford, Valerie Vagts

Item (Project)	Discussion (Status)	Action Required	Barriers	By Whom/When
Intro / Approval of Minutes	Δ Approved December meeting’s minutes: JR 1 st , Will 2 nd	N/A	N/A	N/A
Review Quarterly Data reports Dec/Jan	Δ EMS Stroke Alert: 67.7% 2022, 71.8% 2021 – set goal at 72% Δ EMS Stroke to Receiving Centers: set goal at 100% ○ Comprehensive 23.9%; Primary 69.6%, Acute 6.5%, None 0% Δ Glucose: no transport 96.5% (94.9% 2020) – set goal at 95% Δ On Scene Time: transport 15:37 (15:50 2020) – set goal at 15:40 Δ LKW – ESO issue Cincinnati doesn’t write to reporting – Valerie to follow up on ETA from ESO Support to fix this reporting error; our regions providers are not very good at gathering this metric	N/A	N/A	N/A
Medical Incident Review	Δ Robin McAlpin, SNGH was unavailable to discuss TNK. Tabled until next meeting. Δ If Robin cannot do it next meeting, Alek Collins at CRMC will have one	N/A	N/A	N/A
New Business	Δ International Stroke Conference is currently in process 2/9-11/22, can discuss results from that meeting next time	Yes	N/A	Stroke Committee/ next meeting
Roundtable	Δ COVID is receding rapidly so please make every attempt to make this meeting in person. January was a struggle both with numbers of COVID cases and amount of EMS staff who tested positive. Staffing has since gotten better. Δ Mission Lifeline has a stroke metric that we can use as a benchmark, there is a 2023 metric update on 2/16. Maybe we can do a pre-data review	Yes	N/A	Stroke Committee/ next meeting
Next Meeting	The EMS PI Committee meeting will be at TEMS on April 14, 2022 at 2:30 PM	N/A	N/A	N/A