



Dane County

Minutes - Draft

Emergency Medical Services - Medical Advisory Subcommittee

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Monday, September 12, 2022

12:00 PM

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A. Call To Order

Meeting was called to order at 12:05pm.

- Present** 11 - KACEY KRONENFELD, STEPHANIE LEHMANN, MIKE LOHMEIER, MEL PEARLMAN, LISA SCHIMELPFENIG, DAN WILLIAMS, MEGAN GUSSICK, ERIC LANG, JEFF VANBENDAGOM, BRANDON RYAN, and GREG BAILEY
- Absent** 18 - SCOTT ALLAIN, SHERRY CASALI, DREW DEAN, KRISTEN DRAGER, TERESA FIEDT, PAUL HICK, MIKE MANGERA, ERIN POLKINGHORN, JEFF POTHOF, ERIN RYAN, TINA STRANDLIE, DAVID PENA, CORY HROMOTKO, ABIGAIL DAHLBERG, DR JOHN AGUILAR, AURORA LYBEK, JOSH ROSS, and MARTHA AUGUSTINE

Additional members present: Colton Ritchie

Guests: Chris Carbon, Liza Tatar, Chris Hammes, Scott Russell, Jeremy McMullen

Staff: Carrie Meier, Zander Johnston, Eric Anderson, Courtney Morency

B. Consideration of Minutes

MEDICAL ADVISORY SUBCOMMITTEE JULY 2022 MINUTES

Attachments: [July Minutes](#)

This minutes were approved.

C. Discussion Items

UW Nursing Strike

An agreement was made among all parties and there is no longer a strike planned.

Emergency OB Communications

A recent EMS call for an emergency OB patient did not have information relayed to OB triage following EMS' report to the ER. This caused confusion during transfer of care, and it was asked by providers if it is possible to call OB direct. Dr. VanBendegom and Lehmann discusses the processes at Meriter and St. Mary's. There is agreement that the process should be kept consistent between hospitals. Dr. Vanbendegom has reached out to OB and ER leadership to review the process and the specific incident and see if there needs to be a change to their procedure. This item will remain on the agenda to follow up on at the next meeting.

D. Presentations

E. Reports to Committee

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

The three Dane County hospitals are working to come up with an efficient ER triage process that will allow EMS agency to transfer patient care quickly and get back into service. The Annual Trauma Care Conference is on December 1st. It is a one day conference with a fee, and the key note speaker is a family from the Las Vegas music festival shooting.

I. Adjourn

Meeting was adjourned at 12:37pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Courtney Morency.