



Dane County

Minutes - Draft

Emergency Medical Services - Operating Practices Subcommittee

Thursday, November 10, 2016

9:00 AM Madison Water Utility - 119 E Olin Avenue Madison, WI

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A. Call To Order

Present 6 - SCOTT ALLAIN, BILL GANNON, STEPHANIE LEHMANN, JENNY MINTER, ERIN RYAN , and GARY ZIEGLER

Excused 10 - DEB DAHL, STEVEN WUNSCH, CHE STEDMAN, CHRIS CARBON, SHARON WIEDENFELD, ERIK SEVERSON, JIM WICK, KELLY PEDERSON, JEFF DOSTALEK, and JEFF MACHA

B. Consideration of Minutes

[2016](#)
[MIN-292](#)

Attachments: [August Operating Practices Subcommittee minutes](#)

approved the minutes

[2016](#)
[MIN-361](#)

Attachments: [October EMS Operating Practices minutes](#)

approved the minutes

C. Action Items

Recommendation for Base Hospital Activation Trigger

Trigger for Base Hospital Concept should be transport of greater than or equal to 5 patients from one incident.

This recommendation was determined after Meier shared that 911 data shows there were 17 situations with 5 or more transports since June 2013.

recommended for approval

D. Discussion Items

Base Hospital Hot Wash

The subcommittee discussed the outcome of the exercise last month and discussion points brought forward by both EMS and the hospitals.
The group discussed whom should decide where each patient goes. After discussing the concerns with base making this decision vs. EMS and the concerns with EMS vs. Base it was recommended by this subcommittee that EMS transportation make this decision and we can reassess it after a year of exercises and real life events.
The group also discussed the need to stress the system with the next exercise, one suggestion was having the scenario provide a second incident back to back with the first. This will be worked on early in the year.

Base Hospital Training and Implementation Plan

The subcommittee felt doing another exercise in January would be beneficial and then continuing with short exercises every other month incorporating hospitals and local EMS agencies. The group discussed precise language for the training to avoid any confusion. EMS should say "please tell me the number of red, yellow and green patients each hospital can take"

E. Reports to Committee

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

Next meeting January 12th.

G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

We spent some time discussing patient reunification and how that would work out for a large incident. The group felt that interhospital should discuss the ability for the ICS structure at the hospital to provide this service. Meier will followup with the disaster planning group.

I. Adjourn

adjourned

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