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AGENDA
Cardiac Care Committee Meeting
Governor’s EMS and Trauma Advisory Council (GETAC)

Department of State Health Services (DSHS)
Wyndham Garden Austin
3401 S. IH-35, Austin, Texas 78741
Thursday, February 15th, 2018
4:00 P.M.

Richard Smalling, MD, Chair
Karen Pickard, RN, LP, Council Liaison

Call to Order/Roll Call Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

Reading of the GETAC Vision and Mission Statements Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

GETAC Vision:

A unified, comprehensive, and effective Emergency Healthcare System.

GETAC Mission:

To promote, develop, and advance an accountable, patient-centered Trauma and Emergency Healthcare System.

Introduction of new members Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

Review and approval of November 2017 meeting minutes ... Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

Discussion and possible action on the following items: Committee Members

1. Update on outline for white paper detailing ST-elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) best practices in Texas Jamie McCarthy, MD

2. Update on the development of the joint effort with leadership from the EMS Medical Director Committee to assess Basic Life Support (BLS) electrocardiography education and equipment needs
..... Jamie McCarthy, MD, David Wampler, LP, PhD, and Committee Members

3. Update on the establishment of education materials reinforcing the importance of administration of fibrinolytics in STEMI patients prior to transport for emergent percutaneous intervention (PCI) Catherine Bissell, RN

4. Review progress on Goals for the GETAC Cardiac Care Committee from 2017 and develop potential new goals for 2018, possibly to include: Committee Members

A. Establishment of a public education initiative reinforcing the importance of calling 911 for patients with chest pain

B. Establishment of education materials reinforcing the importance of administration of fibrinolytics in ST-elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) patients prior to transport for emergent PCI

C. Standardize specific cardiac data elements for each RAC to collect and report to the committee for STEMI care analysis

5. Recommendations for the *EMS Agenda 2050* (<http://emsagenda2050.org/>) March 1st, 2018 public meeting in Dallas Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

6. Reminder of new committee names and to include Council liaisons in all committee communications, work products, and documents Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

7. Initiatives, programs, and potential research that might improve acute cardiac care in Texas Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

General Public Comment

(Comment time may be limited at Chair's discretion)

Summary of action items for GETAC meeting report Committee Members

Announcements Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

Review and list agenda items for next meeting Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

Next meeting date Richard Smalling, MD, Chair

Adjournment Richard Smalling, MD, Chair