



AGENDA
Emergency Medical Services Committee Meeting
Governor's EMS and Trauma Advisory Council (GETAC)

Department of State Health Services (DSHS)

Crown Plaza Hotel

6121 North I-35, Austin, TX 78752

Thursday, May 15, 2014

2:30 P.M.

Call to Order/RollCall Dudley Wait, Chair

Recognize and welcome new members to the committee Dudley Wait, Chair

Discussion and possible action on the following items:Committee Members

1. Review Local Project Grant processes and guidelines to develop recommendations for improvements and updating processes
2. Review recommendations and best practices regarding service animals and other animals encountered during ambulance transportation
3. Review proposed revisions to Title 25 of the Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Section 157.11 regarding changes mandated by House Bill (HB) 3556 and Senate Bill (SB) 8 of the 83rd Legislative Session, 2013.
4. Recommendations to DSHS, as required by Senate Bill 8 of the 83rd Texas Legislative Session, 2013, regarding the laws and policies related to the licensure of nonemergency EMS transportation providers that would reduce the incidence and opportunities of fraud, waste and abuse.
5. EMS for Children (EMSC) update.
6. Update on status of revisions to the EMS and Trauma Systems rules in Title 25 of the Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Chapter 157.
7. Report from the workgroup examining the language in 25 TAC Section 157.11, Requirements for an EMS Provider License, and 25 TAC Section 157.13, Fixed-wing Air Ambulance Operations, regarding patient care issues when EMS ground and air providers are present.
8. Update from Emergency Medical Task Forces (EMTF).
9. Update on issues on drug shortages and pharmaceutical compounding of drugs.
10. Trauma Systems Committee Registry Workgroup (TSCRW) Update

11. Medicare & Medicaid (CMS) / American College of Cardiology National Cardiovascular Data Registry's (ACC-NCDR) coding of percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) in the CathPCI Registry following cardiac arrest and the potential effect on patient outcomes. David Perse, MD

12. Review of summary reports generated from the Texas EMS/Trauma Registry data.....Kristi Metzger, PhD

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

Summary for GETAC meeting Committee Members

Announcements Dudley Wait, Chair

Review and list agenda items for next meeting Dudley Wait, Chair

Next Meeting Date Dudley Wait, Chair

Adjournment Dudley Wait, Chair