



AGENDA
Education Committee Meeting
Governor's EMS and Trauma Advisory Council (GETAC)
Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS)
Hyatt Regency Dallas
300 Reunion Boulevard, Dallas, TX 75207
Sunday, November 20, 2016
9:00 A.M.

Call to Order/Roll Call Jodie Harbert, LP, Chair

Reading of the GETAC Vision and Mission Statements Jodie Harbert, Chair

GETAC Vision:

A unified, comprehensive, and effective Emergency Healthcare System for a healthy and safe Texas.

GETAC Mission:

To promote, develop, and maintain a comprehensive data driven Emergency Healthcare System that will meet the needs of all patients and will raise the standards for high quality community health care by implementing innovative techniques and accountable systems for the delivery of emergency care for the entire population.

Discussion and possible action on the following items: Committee Members

Review and approval of August, 2016 Meeting Minutes Jodie Harbert, Chair

1. Review the following objectives from the *Strategic Plan for the Texas Emergency Healthcare System* and report suggested revisions, updates and strategies for implementation to GETAC for immediate review by the Council on November 21st, 2016: Jodie Harbert, Chair

Clinical Care objectives

- a. Identify high priority clinical areas for dissemination of current information, standards, and opportunities for education
- b. Advocate for the designation of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) as an essential public service
- c. Reduce time from onset of illness/injury to definitive care
- d. Deliver the highest quality care across the continuum of the Emergency Healthcare System
- e. Utilize evidence-based / best practice metrics to assess all elements of the Emergency Healthcare System

Performance Improvement objectives

- a. Reduce the disability and mortality from time sensitive medical conditions in the state of Texas
- b. Develop comprehensive processes to enhance performance improvement of Emergency Healthcare Systems

- 2. Review progress on the Texas effort, as based on the Hartford Consensus III and the Stop the Bleed projects, to develop a coalition relating to the empowering of the public to serve as first responders in mass causality and active shooter events. Identify education stakeholders and Education Committee goals towards coalition implementation Jodie Harbert, Chair
- 3. Continued Development of the Community Health Paramedic curriculum Jodie Harbert, Chair
- 4. Discussion of continuing education requirements for all levels of EMS certification Jodie Harbert, Chair
- 5. Possibility of forming a workgroup with the GETAC Medical Directors Committee and the GETAC EMS Committee to examine the availability of paramedics and initial paramedic education in rural and frontier parts of Texas Jodie Harbert, Chair

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

- Summary for GETAC meeting report Committee Members
- Announcements Jodie Harbert, Chair
- Review and list agenda items for next meeting Jodie Harbert, Chair
- Next meeting date Jodie Harbert, Chair
- Adjournment Jodie Harbert, Chair