



AGENDA
Stroke Committee Meeting
Governor's EMS and Trauma Advisory Council (GETAC)
Department of State Health Services (DSHS)
Crowne Plaza Hotel
6121 North I-35, Austin, TX 78752
Wednesday, February 18, 2015
2:30 P.M.

Call to Order/Roll CallJ. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair

Discussion and possible action on the following items: Committee Members

1. Follow up with GETAC regarding the recommendation of the Brain Attack Coalition (BAC) standards for stroke ready hospitals as a basis for acceptable certification of Level III stroke support facilities

2. Report/update on Texas Council on Cardiovascular Disease and Stroke (TCCVDS)...J. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair

3. TCCVDS legislative reportJ. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair

4. Follow up with GETAC regarding the stroke education program workgroup recommendation that 4 hours of stroke related continuing education be required for recertifying EMS personnelH.T. Fillingim

5. Follow up with Transport Bypass Workgroup for adding severity adjusted triage criteria for hospital bypass of ambulance patients when a hospital's stroke care resources are unavailable.....George Cravens, MD

6. Presentation by Paul Hansen, MD: *MR CLEAN (Multicenter Randomized CLinical trial of Endovascular treatment for Acute Ischemic stroke in the Netherlands)* stroke trial – first randomized successful trial endovascular treatment in strokes

7. Consider a recommendation calling for free standing emergency rooms to obtain Level III stroke center designation in special, rural circumstances

8. Consider a recommendation for adding uptime requirements to stroke center designation

9. Review and update of The Strategic Plan for the Texas EMS/Trauma System

10. Identify and list the accomplishments of this committee since its inception and report back to the GETAC

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

Summary of this meeting for GETAC meeting reportCommittee Members

AnnouncementsJ. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair

Review and list agenda items for next meeting.J. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair

Next Meeting DateJ. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair

AdjournmentJ. Neal Rutledge, MD, Chair