

TSE Council

Minutes

Location: Virtual – Bureau of EMS & Preparedness
2224 E. Old Penitentiary Rd.
Boise, ID 83712

Date: September 8, 2020

Time: 9am – 10am MST

Participants

***Attended via phone**

Bill Spencer*	Brad Huerta*	Chris Way*	Dr. Curtis Sandy*	Dennis Mesaros*	Dershi Bussey*
Drew Forney*	Greg Vickers*	Mike Weimer*	Dr. Nathan Green*	Nicole Wheaton*	Dr. Ondrej Choutka*
Steve Blados*	Stephanie Shawver*	Teresa Smith*	Melissa Ball*	Maegan Kautz*	Stacy Connolly*
Randi Rycroft*	Michelle Barnett*	Tianna Stolp*	Chris Shirazi*		

Agenda Item	Discussion
Open Meeting	Quorum established. (15 of 17 members present).
Motion	Dennis Mesaros made a motion to approve the minutes for August 11, 2020. Dershi Bussey spoke in support of the motion. Motion passed.
Motion	Greg Vickers made a motion to approve the September 8, 2020 agenda. Drew Forney spoke in support of the motion. Motion passed.
Closed Meeting	Steve Blados made a motion to go into the Executive Session. Brad Huerta spoke in support of the motion. Motion passed. During the Executive Session, the TSE Council members discussed a facility that was recently surveyed. Bill Spencer made a motion to exit the Executive Session. Mike Weimer spoke in support of the motion. Motion passed.
Vote	The TSE Council unanimously approved the following designations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Teton Valley Healthcare – Stroke Level III, renewal; and STEMI Level II, renewal

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Regional Reports	<p>North Region – Chris Way Chris Way shared the next regional meeting will be held in-person on Thursday, September 24th.</p> <p>North-Central Region – Nicole Wheaton Nicole Wheaton share the next regional meeting will be held virtually on Friday, September 25th.</p> <p>Southwest Region – Teresa Smith Teresa Smith shared the committee discussed protocols changes in trauma, stroke, and STEMI due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The next regional meeting is on Thursday, October 15th, and the TSE Registry data will be presented. It is still to-be-determined if the meeting will be held virtually or in-person.</p> <p>South-Central Region – Stephanie Shawver Stephanie Shawver shared the committee discussed their ongoing regional projects: infield bypass for LVO patients, EKG transmissions, and transport & ED dwell times with the participation from tertiary facilities.</p> <p>Southeast Region – Dr. Curtis Sandy Dr. Curtis Sandy shared at the last regional meeting the committee held elections for a new officer, Heather McGeehan as Secretary, and Dr. Sandy remains as Chair and Mark Phillips remains as Vice-chair.</p> <p>East Region – Bob Foster Nothing to report for the East Region.</p>
TSE System Update	Melissa Ball shared several site surveys to renew a TSE designation have been scheduled for this fall. The TSE Council agreed to wait until the October TSE Council Meeting to decide if the November meeting will be held virtually or in-person based on COVID-19 transmission risks.
EMSC Program	Stacy Connolly shared the remaining pediatric emergency supplies have been delivered to the facilities in North Idaho. A one-day training course will be held on Wednesday, October 14 th , to train the EMS Agencies who are participating in the Handtevy™ pilot program.
Idaho TSE Registry	The TSE Council discussed the feedback received from the TSE Regional Committees pertaining to the facility “report cards” on what data elements and comparisons to include.
Trauma Designation	The TSE Council agreed to follow the American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma (ACS COT) guidance for the ATLS course and verification. A facility seeking a trauma designation will not be given a deficiency if an ATLS provider whose

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ATLS Requirements	verification expires in 2020 since the grace period is extended for one year from the expiration date. A one year provisional will be given if a new provider does not hold an ATLS verification and needs to take the course.
Next Meeting Agenda	Next meeting will be a virtual meeting on October 13, 2020 held at the Bureau of EMS & Preparedness in Boise beginning at 9am.

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