



SETRAC Trauma Committee

Thursday, March 5, 2020

SETRAC Conference Center, 1111 N. Loop West, Suite 160, Houston, TX 77008

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TOPIC	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
Presenter: Dr. Michelle McNutt Topic: Call to Order/Approval of Minutes	Minutes from the meeting on January 16, 2020 were approved with no changes. Wash Your Hands and Purell.	Minutes approved with no changes
Presenter: LaToya Bates Topic: Oakbend Medical Center – Jackson Street Downgrade	LaToya Bates reported downgrade is due to General Surgeon response times no longer mandated to come in within 30 minutes.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Diana Grimm-Mapp Topic: UTMB Clear Lake – IAP Level IV	Provided overview of hospital and survey dates.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Dr. Nicole Tapia/Kodieann Davis Topic: HCA HH Kingwood – Seeking Level II	Provided overview of hospital and survey dates.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Dr. Michelle McNutt Topic: Trauma Diversion Rates	Inquired if trauma diversion rates should be brought to this committee for discussion as this should be zero tolerance. Future with LBJ inquired if there would be a blanket statement from SETRAC stating why this is zero tolerance and how to avoid this as many times this is up to Administration. No blanket statement will be made now, just inquiring if this data should be tracked. EMResource will be used however, some do not update their diversion status. This may be a good PI project. Transfer denials are tracked by HCA to see reason for denials. Recommended level I and II share their definition of “diversion” and start following the data.	Recommended level I and II share their definition of “diversion” and start following the diversion data.
Presenter: Dr. Michelle McNutt Topic: Trauma Plan	Recommended developing a taskforce for revisions to the second half of the trauma plan. Will send email to committee and see who is interested in revising plan by subject.	SETRAC to send link to trauma plan for volunteers to revise pages 16-31 by subject



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<p>Presenter: Eric Bank Topic: Whole Blood</p>	<p>Whole Blood: 5 agencies currently carry whole blood. Goal is to increase this to a regional program. Issue is moving blood supply and the logistics. Dependent upon GCRBC adjusting to this. Will have meeting with GCRBC next week. Working with EMS Med Directors and GCRBC on donation process and process of distributing whole blood. Will now look at how to incorporate this into the hospital systems and avoid wasting blood products. Debating 21 vs 45 day preservation process. STRAC has 3000 donor cycle. Units go on heli, then amb, then university with less than 10% wastage.</p>	<p>The committee has no further recommendations</p>
<p>Presenter: Erin Fox/Brett Dodwell Topic: Trauma Research Workgroup Update</p>	<p>Impact of Level II Trauma Centers: Looking at the affect of adding level II facilities to the region. Data has been revised. Over 60k patients from 2013 – 2018. Notable differences in impact. Requesting buy-in from members prior to submitting data for outcomes. Noted data is aggregate. Will present again in 2 months</p> <p>Tourniquet Data: Reviewed 2018- Q3 2019 tourniquet usage data. 20 of 30 hospitals reported in 2018. Roughly 66% of 2019 data has been submitted. Will resend reminder for data submission on March 31, 2020. Pending full 2019 data before conclusion can be made. In collaboration with STB to share metrics</p>	<p>The committee has no further recommendations</p>
<p>Presenter: Andrew Hiriart/Stephen Mora Topic: Trauma Data Registry Subcommittee Update</p>	<p>Reviewed Q1-Q3 2019 data. Identified areas of improvement. Will provide education to level IVs and non-designated facilities. Will possibly have 2015 data dictionary education.</p>	<p>The committee has no further recommendations</p>
<p>Presenter: John Coley Topic: Pediatric Committee Update</p>	<p>Sarah Beth Abbott elected as hospital representative.</p> <p>2020 goals are to identify PECCs and have PECCs symposium in 2020. June education: sports related</p>	<p>The committee has no further recommendations</p>



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	Upcoming education: Med Examiner and Human Trafficking education. Hospital rep position remains open. Will vote at next meeting.	
<p>Presenter: Dr. Michelle McNutt Topic: Injury Prevention Committee Update</p>	<p>Activation criteria and prehospital guidelines has been a collaborative work with hospital and EMS partners. Will send via email. Minimum expectation for trauma team activation. This will be added to the trauma plan.</p> <p>Motion to pass and seconded.</p> <p>Advanced Directives, there is a Tx law that requires NH patients to have AD on file. Nursing homes can be fined \$500 if patient arrives at hospital without AD. In regard to ventilators and the COVID 19 outbreak, this will allow triage and vent decision easier.</p> <p>Noted it is a battle to obtain this information for EMS. This will be presented to the EMS committee as well.</p>	SETRAC to send criteria via email
<p>Presenter: Jessica Vickers Topic: Stop the Bleed Committee Update</p>	Provided update regarding quadrants and requested additional instructors.	The committee has no further recommendations
<p>Presenter: Chris Collier Topic: EMS Update</p>	Next meeting is March 20, 2020. Will place nursing home advance directive to agenda.	The committee has no further recommendations
<p>Open Discussion</p>	Inquired about how to move volume elsewhere during a situation such as the water main break where both level I hospitals were on internal disaster. Noted EMResource is a great way to stay abreast of actions.	
<p>Next Meeting</p>	Thursday, May 7, 2020 at 2:00pm to 3:30pm SETRAC Conference Center	
<p>Adjourned</p>	There being no other items for discussion, the meeting was adjourned.	