



SETRAC Cardiac Care Committee

Friday, July 26, 2019

American Heart Association, Hamill Room, 10060 Buffalo Speedway, Houston, TX 77054

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TOPIC	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
Presenter: Dr. McCarthy/Todd Caliva Topic: Call to Order/Approval of Minutes	Todd Caliva welcomed the group and introductions were made. The meeting minutes were approved as written.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Amy Iademarco Topic: Heart Safe Community Program	Amy introduced guest and heart safe program. Next step is to develop a workgroup for this initiative. Once this is awarded to a community, a sign is provided for display. CARES registry is used through other heart safe programs. The community that is hosting the program collects the data via a survey. Survey measures things that are already being collected. The term community refers to a city, town, or township. Refers to STEMI and Cardiac Arrest. Program is highly driven by EMS. No cost associated with this initiative. The work is done by the community. Cardiac committee would work with community to help them meet metrics and designate the award. A point system is in place, for example completion of stop the bleed class, public access AEDs, patient outcomes, etc. to obtain heartbeats. AHA volunteered to assist. More details will be provided at the next meeting.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Rani De Silva Topic: Free Standing/HOPD ED Transfer Status	Rani noted finding contradictions with transfers in draft dictionary. If freestanding ED has AHA number, it is considered a transfer. SETRAC dictionary notes this is not a transfer when it applies to STEMI patients. Recommendation is for all ST elevations that come into free standing ED receive tPA and transport. Will discuss during data subcommittee meeting.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Liza Ruff/Tracy Akin Topic: Data/QI Update Data Dictionary Additions	State requirements changed. SETRAC to resend through list server. Noted changes can be discussed moving forward. Request for changes came from the data subcommittee and cardiac committee. Noted issues with EKGs at other facilities. This may aid in tracking hospitals that are not receiving lytics and not arriving within the window. How many patients do not receive ROSC. Dr. Persse inquired about funding or reimbursement penalties. Dr. McCarthy noted reimbursement is risk adjusted.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Sharla Shumaker	Presented on best practices from HCA Conroe. Focus is on data regarding	The committee has no further



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Topic: Protocol Subcommittee	how many patients did not meet within the window and did/did not receive tPA. Closing the gap on reperfusion strategy.	recommendations
Presenter: Christy Means Topic: Education Subcommittee	Presented the out of hospital cardiac arrest tool. This data will be shared with EMS. Recommended removing prehospital chilling. Noted this was left in because some are using cooling blankets. IV fluid chill was removed as it was not recommended. Christy to change to external chill versus prehospital chilling. OOHCA data reviewed. Shows how well bystander CPR is being performed. Committee noted this is similar to resuscitation data. This process will begin in the community versus in hospital. Noted ROSC data is hard to find. Dr. Ben Barbaro new chair of emergency medicine at UT has secured funding to provide CARES for the entire state of Texas. This will aid in EMS reporting and will be readily available to hospitals. Education beginning this Fall. Data analyst hired and will be invited to the next Cardiac meeting. Possibly present sample charting. Chest pain/ACS event protocol/guidelines are on SETRAC website. Possibly define lytic therapy more. SETRAC to send PCI survey monkey link again. SETRAC to send test email.	SETRAC to send test email then re-send PCI survey monkey link.
Presenter: Allison Capetillo Topic: Mission Lifeline Report & Primary and Acute Ready Heart Attack Center Accreditation	Changes in 2020 mission lifeline measures reviewed. Two new required measures reviewed. 4 optional measures with a minimum of 2 required to be met. AHA to send presentation to committee. New accreditations reviewed. For facilities accredited by Joint Commission and AHA. 2-hour workshop in the upcoming future. Best practices in ECMO reviewed. Not specific to hospital accreditation. DNV hospitals can have the certifications.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Tracy Akin Old Business: CPR Community Event	Event has been postponed until 2020. Tracy is the co-chair with Angela. Angela to work with leadership regarding funding. Noted finding a facility for	Christy to provide update on Astros collaboration



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	1 large event or multiple events on the same day in partnership with hospital systems and EMS. Committee recommended satellite locations on same date and time. Has received assistance from Jamie Sheffield, EMS. More information to come. Could align with Sugarland Heart community program. Possibly in June; Cardiac month.	
Presenter: David Huber Old Business: Cardiac Consortium	David reported. Possibly having this event in August or September 2019. More to come.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Dr. McCarthy/Todd Caliva New Business: 2019 Goal Review	Will send out goals. On track to reach all goals. Will encourage increased participation for identifying 1 free standing non-PCI facility. Therapeutic is in post arrest tool kit.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Allison Capetillo Topic: Mission Lifeline Regional Award	The American Heart Association developed a System of Care Award for hospitals that participation in GWTG CAD registry. Trailblazer Regional Participation award presented.	The committee has no further recommendations
Next Meeting	Date: October 25, 2019 at 8:00am to 9:30am American Heart Association (Hamill Rm) 10060 Buffalo Speedway Houston, TX 77054	
Adjourned	There being no other items for discussion, Todd Caliva adjourned the meeting.	