



SETRAC Cardiac Care Committee

Friday, April 23, 2021
American Heart Association, Hamill Room, 10060 Buffalo Speedway, Houston, TX 77054
Virtual Meeting

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TOPIC	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
Presenter: Dr. James McCarthy Topic: Call to Order/Approval of Minutes	The minutes from the January 22 nd meeting were approved as written. Codeword: THUNDERSTORM and SUNSHINE Todd Caliva welcomed David Bernard to the committee. Todd Caliva was thanked for his service as co-chair of the Cardiac Care Committee. Will continue to remain active in the committee.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Dr. Cameron Dezfulian Topic: ACHD in the Emergency Room	Dr. Dezfulian presented to the committee.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Cindy King Topic: HEART Healthy Community	Program was presented at the end of 2019. There were previous concerns around SETRAC liability. Program revised and toolkit was created, putting onus on the agency that adopts the program. Seeking approval to push out the toolkit and post on the SETRAC Cardiac webpage. The committee approved.	The committee approved the rollout of the HEART Healthy Community Toolkit.
Presenter: Tracy Akin/Grace Farquhar Topic: Data/QI Update • Q4 2020 Data Review • COVID-19 Comparative Data	Data reviewed. Noted data is not complete as a few hospitals have not submitted their data. Suggested facility with large number of D2B<90 minutes may want to present their best practice at the next meeting. Tracy to work with Grace to reach out to facilities for possible presentation. First facility DIDO: 71% of patients do not make it out of the door in 30 minutes or less. Reached out to FSED who note delays with transport. Lytic administration has increased but not meeting goal. SETRAC does not currently track delays in lytic administration from FSED/non-PCI facilities. Requested seeing the STEMI transfers broken down by FSED versus acute care hospitals as FSED struggle with maintaining lytics due to cost issues. Previously, a statement from SETRAC was posted on the website highlighting lytic administration as a best practice. Dr. McCarthy to draft a letter to FSED/non-PCI facilities. Include efforts for	Tracy to work with Grace to reach out to facilities for possible presentation. Dr. McCarthy to write a letter to the hospital CEOs and FSEDs pointing out gaps in care related to best practice



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	non-PCI facilities partnering with a PCI facility. Possibly host webinar with Cardiologists and Emergency Medicine physicians on how to manage a STEMI when your facility does not have a cath lab. Seek feedback from the EMS committee to address DIDO difficulty using the LA model. If a STEMI presents in a non-STEMI facility and immediate/rapid transfer is not available on-site, call 911. Patient may be sent to a facility outside of your health system. Continue efforts for non-PCI facilities partnering with a PCI facility. COVID Comparative Data reviewed. Committee would like to continue tracking this data. Possibly re-invigorate public education for patients who continue to refuse transport to hospitals. Inquired if transfers in from FSED have increased.	
Presenter: Tonya Carter Topic: Education Subcommittee Update Consortium Planning	Provided update on Cardiac Consortium set on September 29th, World Heart Day. Timeline for presenter outlines set for July 31st. Lecture submission date is August 31st. List of topics reviewed. Suggestions for additional topics welcomed. May incorporate best practice facilities.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Tonya Carter Topic: Mission Lifeline Report	Informed committee that due to structural changes within the AHA, Loni Denne will no longer be able to provide quarterly reports to the Cardiac Care Committee. Loni will be available to assist with data requests for projects.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Dr. Kevin Schulz Topic: 2021 Goal Review	Goals reviewed.	The committee has no further recommendations
Open Discussion	Funding ideas and request discussed. Noted this year is ending with a surplus of roughly \$200k or more. Opportunity for clinical committees to send ideas to Donald.Morrison@setrac.org or Tonya.Carter@setrac.org Potentially have each hospital present a poster board of best practice for in-person conference.	The committee has no further recommendations



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Next Meeting/Adjourned	Date: July 23, 2021 at 8:00am to 9:30am - Virtual Meeting There being no other items for discussion, the meeting was adjourned.	