



SETRAC Stroke Committee

Wednesday, September 22, 2021
SETRAC Conference Center, 1111 N. Loop West, Suite 160, Houston, TX 77008
Virtual Meeting

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TOPIC	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
Presenter: Dr. Sean Savitz Topic: Call to Order/Approval of Minutes	Minutes from the July 28, 2021 meeting were approved with no changes. Please go to www.setrac.org/stroke to complete attendance form to receive credit for attending.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Naylon Bird Topic: Best Practice Education	Naylon Bird presented "Patient Care Services: Record Documentation (Hemorrhagic patient – vital signs and neurological assessments).	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Grace Farquhar Topic: SETRAC Data Dictionary Approval	Data dictionary revisions presented. Grace Farquhar will send the document through the ListServ so everyone can review and make suggestions to Grace through email. If no major changes, it can be revised and approved at the next Data Subcommittee meeting.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Grace Farquhar Topic: Stroke Data Subcommittee	Q2 data reviewed. 4 facilities have not submitted data so these numbers could change once those are received. The number of strokes reporting in Q2 2021 appear to be trending upward more than Q2 in both 2019 and 2020. Numbers are trending upward for patients receiving Alteplase/TNK within 45 minutes. Data dictionary is currently being revised which could cause reasons for delays to change. Data submitted should not include inpatient strokes. Q2 2021 data was originally due on August 31; extended until September 15, 2021. Q3 2021 data is due November 30, 2021.	Please submit data if you have not done so.
Presenter: Tonia Shelton / Michelle Vu Topic: Survey Readiness in the Midst of a Pandemic	Please feel free to reach out to Tonia Shelton or Michelle Vu if you need assistance preparing for survey. Surveys are conducted online and must be prepared for differently. The survey will require copies of stroke training education for nursing staff. Huntsville Memorial suggested It is a good idea to have the	The committee has no further recommendations



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	contract nursing staff train and onboard like you would your full-time staff.	
Presenter: Tonya Carter Topic: October Education	SETRAC appreciates those who volunteer to provide the best practice education. HCA Conroe is scheduled to present in October 2021.	The committee has no further recommendations
Topic: Open Discussion	Rapid Transport Criteria for Stroke Patients: EMS Committee is collaborating amongst the other committees to form a workgroup that will create guidelines for rapid transport of critical patients. TNK: Active discussions are going on in our region on the topic of giving Tenecteplase vs Alteplase. TNK is not FDA approved for Ischemic Stroke. Thrombectomy Capable Centers: Our regional guidelines could possibly need to be revised if any facility applies for this middle level. UTMB, please let the Committee know if you plan on going forward with this.	The committee has no further recommendations
Next Meeting / Adjournment	There being no other items for discussion, the meeting was adjourned. Next meeting will be held Wednesday, November 17, 2021 at 2:00pm – 3:30pm - Virtual Meeting.	