



SETRAC Pediatric Committee

Thursday August 6, 2026
SETRAC Virtual Meeting
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TOPIC	DISCUSSION/RECOMMENDATION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
Presenter: Jessica Yell Topic: Call to Order/Approval of Minutes	Jessica called the meeting to order. Meeting minutes from February 5, 2026, were approved by Blake Milnes and Anikka Butler and April 2 nd were approved by Blake Milnes and LeAnne Young. Jessica advised attendance would be tracked by going to www.setrac.org/pediatrics only at the end of the meeting because the QR code has expired. Carrman will update the QR code for the next meeting.	The QR Code to log attendance expired. Carrman will update the QR code for the next meeting. Everyone was asked to log their attendance by using the link for this morning.
Presenter: Chief Dudley Wait Topic: New Business - Pre-Hospital Challenges in the Pediatric Population - Discuss education for nurses and new patients on safe sleep	Chief Dudley presented a concerning trend of parents refusing emergency medical care for children who experienced near-drowning incidents in Fort Bend County, suggesting cultural or convenience factors may be influencing these decisions. He discussed Fort Bend County's unique demographic challenges, noting high per capita income but hidden poverty, which affects families ability to access appropriate healthcare. The group explored ways to better educate parents about when medical intervention is necessary for child safety, particularly in cases of potential neglect. The discussion revealed additional issues around hospital vs urgent care confusion and the need for better education about when to seek emergency care versus other medical facilities. There was much discussion had on the subject. The group discussed safe sleep practices for infants. Suzanne proposed creating educational videos about safe sleep practices for both healthcare providers and new parents. Sarah Beth advised redirecting this effort to the perinatal group's LASSO project for broader impact.	The committee has no further recommendations
Presenter: Jessica Yell Topic: Open Discussion Discussion to revamp the pediatric committee	Jessica ended the meeting with the conversation with plans to transition the pediatric committee to quarterly meeting cadence alternating between virtual and in-person formats with advance notice for community outreach events.	The committee has no further recommendation



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○ Putting Dr. Shenoi's article on pediatric drowning on the SETRAC website.	The committee voted unanimously to putting Dr. Shenoi's article on the SETRAC website.	
Next Meeting/Adjournment	The next Trauma Day meeting will be on October 1, 2026 11:00am-12:00pm. There being no other items for discussion, the meeting was adjourned.	
Attendees	Katie Fisher, Michelle Hauth, Ulrike Beelar, Jonathan James, Josh Swap Analysa Gallegos, Brittany Salazar, Trey Urech, Maysoon Bader Trey Babino, Katelyn Conn, Ben Shapley, Rose Rodriguez, LeAnne Young, Jonathan James, Eric Parmley, Melanie Gander, Krisann Shoemaker, Andrew Hiriart, Robin Hazlett, Vickie Hipsher, Mike Holmes Amber Miller, Annika Butler, Crystal Foster, Jocelyn Kunder Genevieve Agenor, Julie Matson, Alyssa Badillo, Sarah Abbott, Kristen Beckworth, Priscilla Vargas, Genna Labrano, Victor Alanis, Jessica Yell, Blake Milnes	Code Words Goodbye/Summer