04/19/2023 Medical Control Board (MCB) Minutes

Dr. Kim Pruett called meeting to order @1600

Attendees: Dr. Kim Pruett, Dr. Ian Medoro, Dr. Dorothy Habrat, Dr. Gurujot Khalsa, Dr. Randy Lahr Deputy Chief Chris Ortiz, Zach Potts BCFD EMS Captain David Lujan, BCFD Chief Robert Gallegos,

Motion to approve agenda by Dr Medoro second by Dr. Habrat Motion approved with no corrections

Review of March minutes and motion to approve minutes

Motion to approve with corrections to New Business:

Section a.- Change "anonymously" to "unanimously".

Section b. -change wording to Corrales Fire will use our Guidelines.

1st by Medoro and second by Khalsa none opposed

Hospital Systems Reports

Lovelace- nothing to report.

VA- Dr Khalsa- We have not dropped the mask mandate in our facility.

Presbyterian- Dr. Medoro- Nothing to report. Joint business venture with Unity Point to help reduce costs and improve efficiency.

UNM- Dr. Habrat- UNM hospital is merging all services with SRMC and is taking over medical care at MDC.

PAC Report- Chief Ortiz:

- -Skilled nursing flyer in facilities is approved and will be distributed. The goal is to help clarify non-emergent transport options and reduce 911 usage for low acuity IFTs.
- -Albuquerque Ambulance introduced new oxymask.
- -3 cases of overdose on Xylazine. Treat as multiple drug overdose.

Old Business

- a. **Droperidol Update**: Down to 10 bottles of Ketamine. Hold the current vials as long as possible. Hope to have them restocked by August.
- b. **ECMO Update**: Currently on hold AFR had a change of crews at station 3. The new crews need to be trained on mobile ECMO.

New Business

A. Pitocin Update:

- Changes with recommendation from OBGYN. Dr. Habrat will provide specific language needed by next meeting. Motion to include the amendments.
- B. **Alternative dispatch discussion**: With high volumes in hospitals and EMS calls, AFR is exploring alternative dispatch telehealth options for low acuity calls, including an app called Good Sam. Waiting on Funding, maybe by the Fall.
- C. **MDC staffing discussion**: UNM may provide some positions, waiting on details of implementation.

Research Updates/Discussion:

Massimo project ongoing

Public comment:

Nothing to Report.

Adjournment

Motion to adjorn by Dr. Medoro second by Dr. Khalsa.