

03/15/2023 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. Pruett second by Dr. Habrat.

Motion approved with no corrections.

Review of January minutes and motion to approve minutes

Motion to approve with corrections to PAC Discussion; adding new medical director Whitney Barrett.

1st by Dr. Habrat and second by Dr. Lahr none opposed.

Hospital Systems Reports

Lovelace- No changes.

VA- No changes.

Presbyterian- Construction is still ongoing, the tower is now open.

UNM- no updates. Thrombectomy coverage is back.

Old Business

- a. Droperidol Update: Match 1st training was completed. Since then it has been used successfully 3 times by AFR.
- b. ECMO Update: Mobile cannulation 5 total, Good candidate, operational, success.
- c. Femoral IO update: got approved in January. Good addition to guidelines, 2 successful uses so far in infants for AFR.

New Business

- a. Presbyterian Gastric Bypass Patients: Pres patients going to Downtown Pres that should go to Rust. All of Pres bariatric care is set up at Rust. Abdominal pain guidelines for bariatric surgery.
-Building a specialty care section for these patients for protocols.

Motion to approve by Dr. Lahr second Dr. Habrat.

Anonymously passes.

- b. Corrales fire guidelines: Teaching the crews the new protocols. Corrales Fire asking to change protocols in their jurisdiction.

Dr. Medoro- Add Corrales Fire protocols to our Guidelines. Not having two sets of protocols out there.

- c. Peds fentanyl Exposure: There has been an increase in pediatric fentanyl exposure/overdose. We are starting to see 1-2 a month. Please communicate to providers to have a high index of suspicion for pediatric patients that may present with signs of respiratory depression/distress. Consider Narcan.
- d. Guideline updates:
 - 1. Agitated patients and scene safety- In the guidelines: Section Chemical Sedation under "Indication". A new paragraph was added to reference scene safety towards EMS providers. Motion to approve by Dr. Pruett. Second Dr. Medoro.
No one opposed.
Anonymously passes.
 - 2. PALS guidelines- Review Peds cardiac arrest Guidelines. There are two guidelines one is updated and the other dated. There is two do we actually need both?

Dr. Habrat- take this to PAC and see which one is used more instead of us making a decision.
Dr. Medoro- keep the updated Peds Cardiac Arrest Guidelines. Remove the old CPR Section.

Dr. Medoro motion to pass, second Dr. Lahr.
Unanimously passes to remove redundant guidelines for CPR.

Research Updates/ Discussions:

Zack registered for city training.

Masimo project still on going. Two retire from AAS positions will be filled in the near future.

Public comments:

Chief Ortiz: Change the formatting on Guidelines; Section Chemical Sedation in the "Indication" added a paragraph.

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn by VA second by Dr. Habratt.