



## MLREMS Training & Education Committee Meeting

Meeting Information	
<b>Location:</b> Online Only via Zoom ( <a href="https://rochester.zoom.us/j/427666758">https://rochester.zoom.us/j/427666758</a> )	
<b>Date:</b> 2/2/2021	<b>Time:</b> 3:00pm-4:00pm
<b>Facilitator:</b> Ed Erbland	<b>Scribe:</b> Ed Erbland

Attendance					
Committee Member	Feb	Mar	May	Aug	Oct
Amendolare, Nicole					
Carver, Jim					
Chimento, Sharon					
Comella, Bill					
Cook, Alex					
Dewar, Karen					
Erbland, Ed (Chair)					
Everett, Jen					
Howard, Aisha					
Lloyd, Jan					
Meyer, Mike					
Missel, Linda					
Rathfelder, Eric					
Sensenbach, Ben					
Schindler, Justin					
Taylor, Terry					
Youells, Corey					
Present	Absent w/ Notification		Absent w/o Notification		

Meeting Minutes
Meeting in order at 3:03pm.
<b>Attendance:</b> Joined by Mindy Johnston from MLREMS and Dr. Dorset.
<b>Introductions:</b> Ed introduced himself as new Chair and thanked Eric for years of strong service as Chair. Ed introduced new committee members Bill Comella (MCC Paramedic Program Director) and Corey Youells (AMR Rochester Training Coordinator). Ed recognized Dr. Dorsett who joined the group today to increase her situational awareness.

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### **Committee Updates and Information:**

- 1) Updated Committee mission and vision: Ed presented his vision for committee, stated format and general rules of engagement of meetings, and solicited feedback for improvement.
- 2) AHA CPR Education Updates: Ed described the 2020 AHA education updates, described the process for completing the updates, and described the new support provided by AHA for delivering ECC training.
- 3) Recent and upcoming training: Ed directed committee members to the T&E Google Drive (see topic 5 below) for upcoming training announcements.
- 4) Update of agency points of contact for Training and Ed: Ed would like to update the rolodex for agency training POCs for the region. He will send out this information to the group for feedback, and as always, if you know of someone interested in joining T&E please have them contact me.
- 5) Intro and use of T&E Google Drive share folders: The expanded T&E Google share folder (<https://drive.google.com/drive/u/3/folders/0ByIQ10q1Oej8OENPRnJjbFRfYjA>) is the catchment area for all matters T&E. Here authorized users (everyone in this committee) will find folders for meeting minutes, training announcements, best practices, course sponsor renewals, and other helpful products. Feel free to share you products by dropping them in the Program Share Folder. The link can also be found in Ed's MLREMS signature block.

### **Points of Discussion:**

- 1) Course Sponsor best practices during COVID-19 (EMT Courses). Justin shared that Monroe is not conducting an EMT course, but may catch up with an 'academy-style' course in near future. Linda shared that CHS conducted remote learning EMT courses and deferred a January course; on track for in-person course in March. Nicole shared that all MCC EMT courses are conducted virtually via Zoom, with in-person psychomotor skills labs; MCC is doing mandatory student pool testing; conducting a combination of pre-hospital scenarios, clinical rotations, and agency ridealongs; Justin asked about course sponsor COVID-positive policies; Bill stated that if proper protocol in place no reason to isolate fellow students (per medical director); positive test student will continue in course remotely; this point was supported by Dr. Dorsett via Zoom group chat; Ed stated that RFD is not conducting a Recruit Academy, but stated that they are still conducting small Refresher courses; MCC also using a daily COVID symptom pre-screen check-in via their app/website.
- 2) Request for Assistance: Update CME Matrix for 2021 (volunteers needed). Linda and Justin volunteered. Ed will send out current Matrix with his recommendations. Looking to get this in front of the Docs prior to next MLREMS general meeting for a vote (3/15).



3) Request for Info: Education and certification updates (directed to NYS BEMS). Ed looking for questions, feedback, interest in instructor courses that can be rolled-up to BEMS under MLREMS cover. Asked to contact Ed offline to expedite meeting.

4) Request for Feedback: Proposed Training Officer Develop Course. Ed described the outline of an idea he and Ben had discussed that could be used as a CIU, but could be used as a training and education 'workshop' encompassing several topics. These topics include training officer best practices, QA, use of technology in training, educational methodologies, LMS management. Ed looking for ways to refine concept and volunteers to provide content. Dr. Dorsett asked for clarification whether educational philosophies such as simulations would be included, to which Ed stated absolutely. Dr. Dorsett offered her services to teach several blocks of instruction. Ed pledged to work with Ben and send out a more refined concept to the group.

No other points of discussion. Meeting adjourned at 3:45pm.

**Next Meeting:** 4/6/2021 via Zoom (<https://rochester.zoom.us/j/427666758>)

**Submitted by:** Ed Erbland, Committee Chair, 2/3/2021

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