

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COMMISSION
EMS for Children Advisory Committee
Thursday, March 17, 2022, 10:00 A.M.
VIRTUAL – REGULAR BOARD MEETING
MINUTES

TOPIC		DECISION(S) / ACTION(S) MADE		RESPONSIBLE PARTY	REPORTING TIMEFRAME	STATUS
I	CALL TO ORDER	CALLED TO ORDER: 10:30 AM.		CHAIR	10:03	Order
II	CONFIRMATION OF PUBLICATION	Proof of Publication. Guam Daily Post: 3/10/2022; 3/15/2022		CHAIR	10:03	Confirmed
III	ROLL CALL OF MEMBERS	MEMBERS PRESENT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kevin T. San Nicolas, Chairperson; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Julietta Quinene, Vice-Chairperson <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cherika Chargualaf, Treasurer <input type="checkbox"/> Margaret Bell, Secretary <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Daren Burrier, Member; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mark Guayco, GMH, Member; <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Frankie Mendiola, M.D., GMH; <input type="checkbox"/> Tom Manglona, Member; <input type="checkbox"/> Bradley Kinney, M.D. (LCDR); <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Robert Leon Guerrero, M.D., Member; <input type="checkbox"/> Arthur Paulino, Member; <input type="checkbox"/> Cecilia Javier, DPW Office of Fire & Safety <input type="checkbox"/> Alexander E Wielaard, M.D. <input type="checkbox"/> Sarah Haley-Wein <input type="checkbox"/> Dorothy Duenas, GCC;	Breanna Sablan, Acting HPLO Administrator Tomi Kuranami, Access Medical Transport Pauline Camacho Emily Raetz Michael Archangel Joey Manibusan, GFD Pauline Camacho, Family Advocate Angel B. Liagas Jr. EMS Carl Von Trampe, M.D., GRMC Natasha Charfauros (Speaker Terlaje Office) Sharon Manibusan, HPLO; Eddy Reyes, FTFC;	CHAIR	10:03	Quorum Established
IV	ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS	Nominations for: 1. Chairperson: Nominations: Kevin San Nicolas (4); David Burier (2) <i>Motion to Approve K. San Nicolas for Chairperson: C. Chargualaf; 2nd: Dr R. Leon Guerrero</i> 2. Vice-Chairperson: Nominations: Julietta Quinene (4); Cheirka Chargualaf (3) <i>Motion to Approve Julietta Quinene for Vice-Chairperson: C. Chargualaf; 2nd: Dr. R. Leon Guerrero</i> 3. Treasurer: Nomination: C. Chargualaf <i>Motion to Approve C. Chargualaf for Treasurer: Dr. R. Leon Guerrero; 2nd: J. Quinene.</i>		EMSC	10:05	Approved

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		4. Secretary: Nomination: (Margaret Bell) <i>Motion to Approve Margaret Bell for Secretary: C. Chargualaf; 2nd: Dr. R. Leon Guerrero</i>	CHAIR	10:19	Approved
V	REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA	Adoption of Agenda <i>Motion to approve: J. Quinene; 2nd: Dr. R. Leon Guerrero</i>	CHAIR	10:20	Approved
VI	REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES	Approval of minutes dated November 24, 2021. <i>Motion to approve: C. Chargualaf; J. Quinene</i>	Acting, HPLO Administrator	10:22	Noted
VII	HPLO WEBSITE	https://guamhplo.org/emsc	Acting, HPLO Administrator	10:23	Noted
VIII	ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT	B. Sablan stated that he had sent an email to the EMSC stating that the members are required to submit the information packet to the the Guam Election Commission, in-person. She also requested the members to send any comments or changes for the Proclamation for 16-20 may 2022.	OAG		No Report
IX	LEGAL COUNSEL REPORT		EMSC	10:24	Noted
X	COMMITTEE REPORT	<p>A. Statues, Rules and Regulations Angel Liagas reported that major changes were made to Chapter 84, which is currently under final review by Asst AG Weinberg and Dr. Ross. When complete the document will be sent to the EMSC for review.</p> <p>B. Policies and Protocol Booklet (tabled). Dr. Mendiola stated the changes have been finalized and Angel Liagas stated that the Booklet is currently being reviewed by the Department of Defense for uniformity with the federal requirements. There have been major changes with respect to paramedic and medication requirements and the scope of practice. Once the DOD review is complete, the Booklet will be provided to the EMSC.</p> <p>C. Ambulance Diversion Policy and Interfacility Transfer (need to identify sub-committee).</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chair stated that a sub-committee would need to be established. 2. Dr. Mendiola stated that there were no issues from GMHA. 3. Dr. Von Trampe reported that one emergency transport from GMRC and GMHA regarding an infant with an intercranial hemorrhage took approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes. He stated that he just wants to ensure that urgent emergency transport requests are clearly identified over those of a lesser priority, and streamlined with faster and better information to facilitate the transfer. He expressed appreciation to all agencies involved. D. Burrier stated he reassured GMHA and GMRC that these urgent transports are a GFD priority, and that E911 dispatchers are well-trained and emphasized the need to ensure all information is provided to emphasize the emergency. C. Chargualaf stated that forms are used for all requests to help determine the emergent needs and every effort is made to ask the right question, 			

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	<p>notate, and direct transport at the earliest opportunity. She stated that GFD has been extremely busy with emergency transports these past few weeks and reassured the EMSC that there have been no deliberate delays.</p> <p>4. Dr. Von Trampe inquired about the possibility of equipping the emergency transports to handle a pediatric high flow oxygen set-up with nasal C-pap and suggested seeking advice from the respiratory teams. The Chair stated that early on in the pandemic they were able to work a solution with the GMRC respiratory team. D. Burrier stated that since this is an operational issue, he will take the initiative to help solve this suggestion at an operational level.</p>			
XI. OLD BUSINESS	<p>A. AGENCY REPORTS:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Medical Director's Report USNH: Emily Raetz recommended that GMRC should eventually plan for an increase of patient call volume, when the new USMC base becomes operational, which would be in a few years. 2. GMHA: M. Guayco expressed his appreciation to GFD for its patience while the modifications to the ambulance bay were on-going. He stated that the modification are complete and operations are back to normal, utilizing the stage 2 area. The overflow medical all tent remains in place. 3. Guam Community College/ Paramedic Course: no report. 4. Guam Dept. of Education: Upcoming EMS conference 3/25/2022. B. Sablan reported that it could accept up to 20 nurses for training, which HPL0 will schedule. schedule. 5. Maternal Child Health/DPHSS: no report 6. DPW: no report 7. Homeland Security (No rep.) 8. EMS for Children Program/ Ambulance Inspections: B. Sablan reported that the mannequin with c-section features has been procured and delivered, with training from the vendor pending. HPL0 is currently working with GFD with an inspection schedule for medical transports, which is anticipated for April. 9. Emergency Medical Dispatcher: C. Chargualaf state that approximately 90% of dispatchers will be recertified this month and training for senior personnel is in the process of being scheduled. <p>B. EMS Lifesaving Award – Nominations Period Change to April 2022.</p> <p>B. Sablan recommended to extend the nomination period since more time is needed to form a selection committee. <i>Motion to approve the extension of the nomination period to 5/6/2022: C. Chargualaf. 2nd. J. Quinene</i></p> <p>C. EMT of the Year - Nomination Period changed to April 2022</p> <p>B. Sablan recommended to extend the nomination period since more time is needed to form a selection committee.</p>	EMSC	10:45	Noted
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	D. Paramedic Program Update	EMSC	10:55	No Report
XII	A. EMS Conference March 24, 2022 and March 25, 2022 (Guam Hilton Hotel). B. Sablan reported that the Conference will only be held on 3/25/2022; registration ends on 3/18/2022.		10:57	Noted
	B. Community Paramedic Outreach Program (CPOP). In reference to the request from Speaker Terlaje, D. Burrier reported that he met with Speaker to provide an overview of the paramedic program and the higher level of training and the sequential steps leading issuance of a license (curriculum development, testing, certification etc), especially since there are no national standards. He stated that this process could take up to 5 years. He felt that the Speaker now has a better understanding of the process to license paramedics. C. Call out for Representative for EMS Week Activities for May 16-20, 2022. B. Sablan stated that HPLC will send a letter to stakeholders seeking volunteer support.		10:58	Noted
	D. EMS for Children Day Activities for May 17, 2022. B. Sablan reported that a health fair is envisaged for an outreach and a committee will need to be established.		11:02	Noted
	E. RECERTIFICATIONS: (GFD, except 2 below) . 1. Joseph Jay Quitugua 2. Justine C. Munoz (Priority One Transport) 3. John Q. Perez Jr. 4. Jesse F. Reyes 5. Vincent R. B. Toves 6. Michael T. Quinata 7. Eugene M. Aguilar 8. Philip J.E. Camacho 9. Mark Palomo Ada 10. Jacob U. Garrido 11. Frank Anthony C. Bernardo 12. Ronnie Guimarey 13. Mark Anthony Snyder 14. Bradley K. Dixon 15. Eric Jon Castro		11:03	Noted
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	16. Jacques T. Santos			
	17. Trent Howard Hasskamp			
	18. Joseph T. Rivera			
	19. Jeffrey James Soriano			
	20. Clint R. Cruz			
	21. Jerome M. Adawag			
	22. Richard James Cotelesse			
	23. Jason P. Sanchez			
	24. Roderick Rivera Meno			
	25. Edward Calvo Artero II			
	26. Daniel E.L. Taitano			
	27. Joey A. Manibusan			
	28. Joseph David Limitiaco Jr. Santos			
	29. John P. Aguon			
	30. Joshua R. Meno			
	31. Jason N. Seid			
	32. John J. Sablan			
	33. James T. Mafnas			
	34. Andrew H. Lee			
	35. Darren Giles Apiag II			
	36. Roland J. Santos			
	37. Peter B. Frias			
	38. Jordan S. Bass			
	39. Dean G.S. Aguon			
	40. Michael Flores Aguon			
	41. Frank Paulino Diego Jr.			
	42. Vincent Ray B. Toves			
	43. John J. Perez			
	44. Jesse Frank Reyes			
	45. Siongco, Roy Q.			
	46. Campos, Ignacio P.			
	47. Rosete, Richard D.			
	48. Aguon, Justin M			
	49. Sana, Brandon L.P.			
	50. Blas Jr. Edward R.			

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	51. Cruz, Frank B.			
	52. Leon Guerrero, Jarred P.T.			
	53. Garrido, Nicolas R.			
	54. Sanchez, Brandon O.			
XIII	ANNOUNCEMENT Next Regular Board meeting 04/28/2022 at 10:00 a.m.	EMSC	11:06	Noted
XIV	ADJOURNMENT <i>Motion to Adjourn. Chargualaf; 2nd. J. Quinene</i>	EMSC	11:06	Adjourned

Reviewed by: Margaret Bell 4/27/2022 Approved by: [Signature] 4/27/2022
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Minutes By: Charisma Castor, FLAME TREE Freedom Center, Inc.