# National Association of State EMS Officials



# Pediatric Emergency Care (PEC) Council 2022 Workplan

## **PEC Council Leadership**

**Officers:** 

Chair: Marc Minkler (ME) Secretary: Liz Kendrick (MO)

Chair-Elect: Anna Sessa (NH)

Immediate Past Chair: Amanda Perry (LA)

**Meetings:** 

Virtual meetings are generally held on the 4th Tuesday of the month at 2pm EST.

Officers: February, May, August, November Steering Committee: January, April, July, October Full Council: March, June, September, December

**Regional Representatives:** 

East:

Eric Hicken (NJ – Primary) Amy Eisenhauer (NY – Alternate)

South:

Dave Edwards (VA – Primary) Gregory Edwards (NC – Alternate)

Great Lakes:

Kjelsey Polzin (MN – Primary) Erica Kane (WI – Alternate)

NASEMSO Staff Liaison: Rachael Alter

Western Plains:

Nicolena Mitchell (CO – Primary) Katherine Schafer (NM – Alternate)

West:

Rachel Ford (OR – Primary) Renee Escamilla (AK – Alternate)

## Mission, Vision, Scope

#### **Mission**

Lead the industry through development and promotion of policies, research, and collaborations to improve the emergency medical care for children.

#### Vision

Improve the care of children by utilizing outcome-based data, pediatric focused education, supporting innovative programs, as well as encourage EMS system analysis to ensure quality emergency care.

### Scope

The Pediatric Emergency Care Council will provide a forum for communication, interaction, and networking between peers. This forum will allow for the sharing of best practices; developing and encouraging mentoring programs; the joint resolution of obstacles and challenges; and the nationwide promotion of evidence-based decision making for EMS system development.

### **Task List**

TASKS	LEAD	TARGET COMPLETION DATE	BUDGET NEEDS
<b>Task 1</b> – Continue to participate in committees and projects with NASEMSO, national organizations, and federal partners as requested and as appropriate.	PECC members as appointed	Ongoing	None
Task 2 – Collaborate with leadership of HRSA/MCHB in managing challenges for states related to the federal EMS for Children State Partnership Program and other national initiatives relating to quality emergency care for children.	PECC Steering Committee	Ongoing/ As requested	None
Task 3 – Create onboarding resource packet for new council members.	Onboarding Packet Workgroup: Lead – Duane Spencer	July 2022	None

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<b>Task 4</b> – Develop materials to help EMS for Children State Partnership Programs meet EMSC Performance Measure 3.	Skills Check Work Group: co-led by Morgan Scaggs & Marc Minkler	June 2022 - provide update Ongoing	None
<b>Task 5</b> – Review existing PEC Council documents and determine action plan for updates as needed.	PECC Steering Committee	December 2022	None

# **Benchmark Activities**

## Task 1 (committee and project participation)

Date	Who	Activity
2022 ongoing	PEC Council Officers and members as assigned	Determine relevant activities to align with other NASEMSO Councils, national organizations, and federal partners. Assigned Officers and members provide timely updates to PEC Council.

### Task 2 (collaborate with internal and external partners)

Date	Who	Activity
January	PEC Council	Promote the HRSA EMSC Survey for EMS agencies in each state and U.S. territory.
- March	Officers and	Strategize among PEC Council members to determine effective outreach techniques.
2022	council members	Support fellow council members through encouraging communication.

## Task 3 (create relevant resources - communication)

Date	Who	Activity
July	Onboarding	Schedule and attend meetings and engage with peers to develop timeline, outline, deliverables,
2022	Workgroup	and final product resource.

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## Task 4 (EMSC PMs)

Date	Who	Activity
June	Skills Check	Schedule and attend meetings and engage with peers to develop timeline, outline, deliverables,
2022;	Workgroup	and final product resource.
Ongoing		

# Task 5 (Resource Review)

Date	Who	Activity
December 2022	Lead TBD	Review EMS Education Toolkit for Pediatrics to determine updates as needed.
	Lead TBD	Review NASEMSO Checklist Tool for Pediatric Disaster Preparedness: A tool for State EMS Offices to determine updates as needed.

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