

National Association of State EMS Officials
Data Managers Council Monthly Meeting
Conference Call
February 21, 2017

Chair: Lindsey Narloch, North Dakota

Chair-Elect: Kevin Putman, Michigan

Secretary: Chuck Happel, Wisconsin

Immediate Past Chair: Vacant

Call to order by Lindsey Narloch on February 12, 2017 at 1430 hours (EDST).

Attendees:

John Cramer – ID	Lindsey Narloch – ND	Peter Brody – NY
Dan Lee – IL	Doug Fuller – NE	Aaron Rhone – PA
Camry Hess – IN	Sharon Steele – NE	Todd Maney – RI
Ridgely Ficks – MA	Chip Cooper – NH	Chuck Happel – WI
Kevin Putman – MI	Michael Tayler – NY	Jay Otsby – WY

Others:

Chris Handley – DoD	Joe Ferrell – NASEMSO
Dan Dao – Golden Hour	Karen Jacobsen – NEMSIS
Rachael Alter – NASEMSO	Joshua Legler – NEMSIS
Nick Nudell – NASEMSO	Clay Mann – NEMSIS

Approval of Minutes

- January meeting minutes were discussed. Minutes with revisions were approved and seconded.

Elections

- Lindsay requested nominations for Chair Elect. Kevin suggested Tim, Tom and Chip all be nominated. No second was forthcoming.

Spring Meeting

- Discussion covered a resolution that the DMC will be considering at the Spring Meeting. It would propose relaxing the State field so data from that field could be shared with researchers.

Coverdell/Stroke Data Needs

- Melissa was not present so this topic will be tabled until next month.

Data Manifestos

- Chip is participating on the National Clinical Guidelines Revision Committee. He updated the group on their current status.
- Kevin attended the NASEMSO Board meeting. The topic related to a data statement was on the agenda but was not addressed. He stated that NASEMSO would most likely not support the statement.
- Joe Ferrell discussed the National Collaborative for Bio-Preparedness. Discussion included the collection of data and some of the initiatives being fed by this data. Some discussion followed with questions as to how this would relate to other CDC projects. Joe stated they were just making initial contacts and no commitments had been given as yet.

V3 Implementation Survey

- Clay provided some insight into the discussion that recently took place with the use of Null values.

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- Karen spoke to the current status of the v2 database. She introduced Josh to discuss a new translation tools. Josh provided some additional info. Instead of going forward the one will translate data from 3.4 back to 3.3.4 so some services could migrate their software system but still provide data to their state if they are still at the v3.3.4 version.
- Clay provided highlights of the topics they will be presenting at the Spring Meeting. He then asked for any additional items that the group might suggest. There being none he left it open to contact them with any that might come to light later,

Other Business

- Ridgely brought up the MIH topic. Discussion centered on states not having current statutes to cover it. Most were in the same position but are looking at ways to allow its implementation.

Adjournment

- There being no further business, the call concluded.
- The next DMC meeting will be Monday, March 6, 2016 @ 8:30 am at the Spring Meeting in New Orleans, LA.
- Meeting Record respectfully submitted by Secretary Chuck Happel