

National Association of State EMS Officials
Data Managers Council Monthly Meeting
Conference Call
May 16, 2017

Chair: Lindsey Narloch, North Dakota

Chair-Elect: Kevin Putman, Michigan

Secretary: Chuck Happel, Wisconsin

Immediate Past Chair: Vacant

Call to order by Kevin Putman on May 16, 2017 at 1435 hours (EDST).

Attendees:

Anne Vossbrink – AZ

Scott Beckley – CO

Joe Ferrell – IA

John Cramer – ID

Dan Lee – IL

Camry Hess – IN

Ridgely Ficks – MA

Kevin Putman – MI

Bob Norlen – MN

Lindsey Narloch – ND

Doug Fuller – NE

Chip Cooper – NH

Charles Becvarik – NM

Aaron Rhone – PA

Cathy Curley – PA

Todd Maney – RI

Iotha Prince – VI

Melissa Belgau – WA

Chuck Happel – WI

Jay Otsby – WY

Others:

Chris Handley – DoD

Dan Dao – Golden Hour

Rachael Alter – NASEMSO

Karen Jacobsen – NEMSIS

Joshua Legler – NEMSIS

Clay Mann – NEMSIS

Yolanda Baker - HRSA

Approval of Minutes

April meeting minutes had not been sent out. They will be sent and a vote to approve will be for next month.

Regional Reports

- Great Lakes: Dan briefly noted the resolution we sent forward at the Spring Meeting.
- West: Melissa spoke to the changes in her state related to Medicaid reimbursement.

Council Rep Reports

- Melissa advised that the DMC NEMESIS Recommendations Workgroup had sent members an email for comments. Not receiving any comments NEMESIS will be planning to add some additional elements, etc. that are available for review.
- REPLICA is now active with Georgia coming on board.

Old Business

- No updates were available for the Definitions Workgroup or the Model Position Description.

NHTSA Funding Update

- Rachael gave an update on the NHTSA funding which is being cut. Those deliverables for the Data Managers were removed as part of the overall funding reduction. We will still have projects for NASEMSO, just not required by NHTSA.

CARES Data Dictionary Changes

- Kevin spoke about the CPR related fields that CARES was proposing for changes.

NEMESIS TAC

- Susan updated the group on their current status. They are looking to replacing Noah's position and extending the contract with the Univ. of Utah.
- Karen spoke to the closure of the 2016 data.
- Clay announced the NEMESIS annual meeting will be held Oct 2 & 3, 2017.
- The v3 revisions were discussed. Relaxing some National and mandatory elements, adding a GUID, eOutcome and eDisposition revisions. More discussion to be held.
- Karen reviewed the J-Forum and reviewed the Revision Change requests that are currently being considered. Data Managers who have an account can also make requests if desired. She also reviewed the dates of the versions. Clay then noted that NHTSA has stated that future revisions will not occur in less than 4-years.
- The beta website was displayed using Nebraska's data. Discussion followed most were pleased with the updates shown.

Other Business

- Ann brought up not having a way of identifying a self-driving car. They have experienced at least one accident already. Others agreed, will need further review.

Adjournment

- There being no further business, the call concluded.
- The next DMC meeting will be Tuesday, June 20, 2017 @ 2:30 EST
- Meeting Record respectfully submitted by Secretary Chuck Happel