

October 7, 2020 - NLCERA EMS Update Agenda – In red added below; only questions were as listed below:

1. Update on EMS Contract Amendments Update
  - a. Some amendment language is being revised and should be completed soon.
  - b. Once the amendments are agreed upon PFA will be reaching out to each NLCERA member with Amendments details and updating IGAs.
2. Protocols Updates– Questions
  - a. The NOCO Protocols have been updated and the revisions are posted at the NLCERA.org > Protocols Tab area.
  - b. The PPP App will go live with these changes on October 1, 2020. Please remind your responders to download the latest version onto their mobile devices.
  - c. Please use the NLCERA.org > Contact us > Operational Form for questions, feedback or issues pertaining to the new protocols.
3. EMS Contract Education/Training Pillar Update
  - a. October Training update
    - i. Per Kevin, the October EMS training was sent out to the NLCERA Rural Chiefs on October 6, 2020.
      1. Warren acknowledged he received it.
  - b. ESO Tablet data transfer update
    - i. Status of RFLFPD authorizing ESO data with UCH?
      1. Bill asked Chief Hill to advise when he had contacted ESO for permissions with UCH.
      2. Once ESO permissions secured, PFA will work with UCH to coordinate ESO patient information access.
    - ii. Warren – GVFPD will be going to ESO in the near future if funds approved by the board.
4. QA Update
  - a. Status of access to NLCERA rural EMS reporting RMS by PFA for QA
    - i. Currently, PFA EMS has access to GVFPD - ER, RFL/CL – ESO, WFPD – ER
    - ii. Discussion: Regarding a Procedure for accessing all cardiac arrest data from rural NLCERA departments AED's.
      1. Once the EMS Contract amendments are signed, PFA will be working with the NLCERA departments to establish a process to retrieve cardiac arrest data for QA and feedback.
  - b. UCH QA hiring update
    - i. UCH QA person hired and onboard October 12, 2020
    - ii. George Solomon will be QA person for UCH

5. Expiring supplies and medication discussion
  - a. We received a question about nearing expiration EMS supplies and medications, and the possibility of the EMS Contract covering how to change those out with the EMS vendor.
    - i. There is no requirement within the EMS contract for the EMS vendor to accept near to expiration EMS supplies or medications to restock NLCERA departments with new supplies.
    - ii. PFA has suggested these materials be utilized for department EMS training or placed on a unit with the most response opportunities for use prior to expiration.
6. Overview and discussion of June 1 – September 29 Response data
  - a. See Excel sheet for NLCERA EMS Rural Data for review
  - b. Questions or discussion of data
    - i. Warren – is the ambulance response compliant?
      1. Bill - Yes, UCH is providing very compliant response per the contract.
7. Pulse Point – Explanation for county wide PP, with those to possibly be added below
  - a. Livermore
  - b. RC
  - c. Loveland
8. Larimer at Radio Reference
  - a. Larimer County Law and EMS now available on phone app at link below:
    - i. <http://www.radioreference.com/apps/audio/?stid=8>
9. New CAD
  - a. AVL closest unit now in place with CAD
    - i. UCH220 is now in the closest unit AVL response, so the NLCERA EMS rural departments may see this unit more often depending on how the system is seen by CAD at the times of future calls.
      1. Bill and Aaron will be researching the data to forecast what we can learn from responses.
    - ii. Questions: With closest unit, how will a 4x4 ambulance respond to the mountain departments? – Q from Bridget
      1. Answer – UCH will not be able to send a 4x4 ambulance.
      2. Rural EMS departments do excellent work staging or transferring UCH folks into other vehicles when necessary.