



Virginia Stroke Systems Task Force (VSSTF)

Meeting Location: Virginia Hospital & Healthcare Association, 4200 Innslake Drive, Glen Allen, VA 23060 (in person and virtual)

Meeting Date: July 15, 2022 from 10:00am – 2:00pm (VSCC from 2:00-3:00pm)

Attendance: 25 participants in-person, 35 participants virtually.

Meeting Minutes

Key Note: No votes or key decision were made at the meeting.

10:00 AM – 10:15 AM: VSSTF Business | Chad Aldridge, PT, DPT, MS-CR, NCS, UVA Medical Center, and Melanie Winningham, MD, Sentara Martha Jefferson Hospital

- VSSTF Co-chairs provided a farewell to outgoing chair, Dr. Pankajavalli Ramakrishnan
- VDH announced new regulatory changes to Public Advisory Board Meetings, in which VSSTF qualifies. VDH announced a new VSSTF Administrator contractor position.

10:15 AM – 11:00 AM: Virginia Stroke Registry Demo | Sean Leung, Director of Product Management, Hospital Applications, ESO

- VDH and ESO shared a demo of the new Virginia Stroke Registry. Correction to the speaker announcement – Garrett Hall from ESO presented the demo.

11:05 AM – 11:35 AM: Cryptogenic Stroke Updates | Fadi Nahab, MD, Stroke Quality Director, Emory Healthcare

- No updates.

11:35 AM – 12:30 PM: Networking and Lunch

- No updates.

12:30 PM – 1:00 PM: Sponsor Presentations:

- Medtronic: Cryptogenic Stroke and the Reveal LINQ | Sonja Thompson, Principle Market Development Manager for Stroke, and Yale Burch, Representative from Medtronic
- Sevaro: Telestroke Services & Educational Resources | Branden Robinson



- No updates.

1:05 PM – 1:40 PM: Cerebral Amyloid Angiopathy and Management in the Era of Ischemic Stroke Risk | Steven M. Greenberg, MD, PhD Vice Chair (Faculty Development), John J. Conway Endowed Chair, Department of Neurology, Massachusetts General Hospital

- No updates.

1:45 PM – 2:00 PM: Virginia Stroke Care Quality Improvement Initiative / Virginia CDC Paul Coverdell National Acute Stroke Program Updates | Patrick Wiggins, MPH, Virginia Department of Health, Kathryn Funk, AGACNP-BC, MSN, SCRNP, CNRN, Virginia Department of Health, and Lindsey Duquette, Regional Director, Quality Improvement & Business Development, Quality, Outcomes Research & Analytics, American Heart Association

- AHA / ASA announced a new opportunity for eligible, rural hospitals to participate in Get With the Guidelines.
- VDH shared a summary of the Virginia CDC Paul Coverdell National Acute Stroke Program Year 1 wrap-up meeting.

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