

Trauma Performance Improvement Committee Meeting
October 20, 2016
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Members Present:	Members Absent:	OEMS Staff:	Others:
Forrest Calland	T. J. Novosel	Dwight E. Crews	
Gary Critzer	John Hyslop	Lenice Sudds	
Lou Ann Miller	Valeria Mitchell		
Greg Stanford	Emory Altizer		
Shawn Safford	Marilyn McLeod		
	Mike Aboutanos		
	Anne Mills		
	Cam Crittenden		

Topic/Subject	Discussion	Recommendations, Action/Follow-up; Responsible Person
2015 TPIC Annual Report	<p>Draft of the 2015 TPIC Annual Report will be available at the November/December meeting.</p> <p>Forrest reported feedback for the Annual Report. He suggested that the supplemental tables be autonomized with a new agency ID only so that agencies will be less worried about how they are being scrutinized and may have more engagement. Each agency could see their own performance, but they would not know the performance of their neighbor. Report can be grouped by locality and by region. Forrest is proposing replacing agency id with a new de-identified id number. When grouped by council region, then large agencies in a region could be identified and they can be picked out.</p> <p>Dwight reported that assigning a new ID would be possible.</p> <p>Shawn Safford mentioned that can we could group agencies systematically by the volume of their calls and by their type of agency - vol/career.</p> <p>Dwight reported that there are groupings available. He would have to research and see what is available.</p> <p>Gary Critzer mentioned that the Medical Direction committee was concerned about finding a way to not put the agency in the limelight of having problems. They wanted to address those problems with their medical directors. Wanted to identify with id that only they knew and not available to anyone else.</p> <p>Forrest proposed for the data quality report that we use a similar system for de-identification with agencies. Look at future for examining other layers of groupings by volume by agency type.</p>	2015 TPIC Annual Report (Draft) - Dwight

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	<p>Medical Directors strongly requested that they have access to the report before it goes to the Commissioner. When the committee approves a draft report in Dec, then the report should go to Marilyn McCloud and the Medical Direction Committee later that day. Before the end of year, the report would be sent out to medical directors in the council regions. Then, the report would go to Commissioner one month later in January.</p>	
Missing Vitals Data Quality Report - Draft	<p>Dwight reported that he is working on the data quality report and will go out with the compliance report in October. The report is updated to show numbers for the current month as well as the previous month.</p> <p>What gets classified as a trauma case should be classified and should be noted on the report. The numbers are coming from the primary impression.</p> <p>Lou Ann mentioned York County numbers seem low in the report. Dwight mentioned that he would have to look at to see what could be causing the problem.</p> <p>Forrest was asking about what makes a trauma case. The report is based primary impression. There are different criteria based on VPHIB v2 and v3. Forrest review primary impression. Dwight suggested that he would send out the report criteria to the committee.</p>	<p>Research York County numbers in Data Quality Report. (Dwight)</p> <p>Send Report Criteria out to Committee (Dwight)</p>
Risk Adjusted Outcomes for EMS Regions and Hospitals	<p>Forrest mentioned the plan to produce risk adjusted outcomes for EMS regions and hospitals. Forrest asked if we have statistical support to create an annual report of risk adjusted mortality of EMS regions and hospitals. Dwight mentioned that we are getting another statistician and will have more resources with staff in the future. Alternatively, Forrest mentioned ArborMetrix and would we have money available. The company put together a report for Michigan TPIQ initiative to risk adjust performance with hospitals funded by Blue Cross. Forrest asked about resources available. Dwight mentioned talking to Cam to see if we have any support. Forrest mentioned setting up a conference call with ArborMetrix and then report back to committee findings.</p> <p>Lou Ann mentioned that Blue Cross funded the program in Michigan. Forrest mentioned to Dwight about getting the top insurers in Virginia. Then, the committee can reach out to the insurer to get externally funded</p>	<p>Setup Conference Call with ArborMetrix (Forrest/Dwight)</p> <p>Research Top Insurers in Virginia (Dwight)</p>
Additional Business	<p>Forrest mentioned the possibility of emails to presidents/training officers in near real time after run sheets are submitted in VPHIB on trauma patients that were not taken to trauma centers. Dwight mentioned that we can setup a report and schedule reports, but we can't deliver when something occurs. Scheduled reports would only see reports at their agency level. Dwight can setup a report and share using the state system. Gary Critzer mentioned that it should go to the medical directors. Forrest mentioned that we could have canned report that is immediately available. Dwight mentioned that he would have to look at the details with setting up a report.</p>	<p>Create Sample Report in November. (Dwight)</p>

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	Forrest mentioned that the report could be used to get a data quality report and missing vital signs report out to agencies.	
PUBLIC COMMENT	n/a	
UNFINISHED BUSINESS		
NEW BUSINESS		
Adjournment	1:00 PM	