



VDH VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH
Office of Emergency
Medical Services

Emergency Medical Services for Children (EMSC)
Committee Roster
Revised: April 2026

Patrick McLaughlin, MD, MS – *Chair - Pediatrician*
State EMS Advisory Board,
VCU Health
Children’s Hospital of Richmond
patrick.mclaughlin@vcuhealth.org

Tanya Trevilian, MSN, RN, CCRN-Peds, CPN, TCRN – *Vice Chair – Pediatric Trauma*
Manager- Pediatric Trauma Services
Pediatric Organ Donation Coordinator
Pediatric Outreach Coordinator
Carilion Children’s Level 1 Pediatric Trauma Center
Carilion Roanoke Memorial Hospital
ttrevilian@carilionclinic.org

Alix Paget-Brown, MD - *Neonatologist*
Associate Professor Pediatrics/Neonatology
Associate Director of the Medical Transport Network
Medical Director Newborn Emergency Transport System
UVA Health Medical Transport Network
AOF4E@uvahealth.org

Mike Watkins, EFO, CFO, MPA, NRP – *Nurse with Pediatric Emergency Experience*
Deputy Chief
Goochland County
Department of Fire-Rescue and Emergency Services
mwatkins@goochlandva.us

Jennifer Farmer, MSN, RN, CCRN, CPN, CPST, NRP – *EMS Field Provider*
Nursing Director of Pediatric Long-Term Care
VCU Health Children's Services at Brook Road
Transitional Care Unit
VCU Health
jennifer.farmer@vcuhealth.org

Dusty Lynn RN M.Sc. TCRN, EMT-P – *EMS Pediatric Educator*
Neonatal and Pediatric Emergency Education
dustyllynnpedsrn@gmail.com



VDH VIRGINIA
DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH
Office of Emergency
Medical Services

Sheena Brannum, MSN, RN, CEN, CFRN, CPEN, TCRN, C-NPT, NREMT – ENA
Virginia ENA, EMS-C Liaison
sheenabrannumena@gmail.com

Petra Connell, PhD, MPH – *Family Representative*
petraconnell@gmail.com

L. Blair Bell, DNP, RN, CPN, CNL – *Nurse with Pediatric Emergency Experience*
Director of Women’s and Children’s Service Line
Bon Secours Richmond Health System
Blair_Bell@bshsi.org

Heidi Hooker, NRP – *Regional EMS Councils*
Executive Director, OEMS Region 6
Old Dominion EMS Alliance
hhooker@vaems.org

Michael D. Berg, MPA, NRP – *OEMS Staff Liaison*
EMS -C Director/Program Manager
Office of Emergency Medical Services
Virginia Department of Health
(non-voting)
michael.berg@vdh.virginia.gov

