

NEVADA DIVISION OF PUBLIC AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH (DPBH)
Committee on Emergency Medical Systems (EMS)
(Advisory Committee to DPBH)

AGENDA

March 17, 2016
1:30 P.M.

MEETING LOCATIONS

Meeting Location:

Division of Public and Behavioral Health
4150 Technology Way, Conference Room 303
Carson City, Nevada

Videoconference to:

Division of Public and Behavioral Health
1020 Ruby Vista Drive, Suite 102
Elko, Nevada

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THE CHAIRPERSON MAY CALL FOR A BREAK AT HIS/HER DISCRETION

1. Roll call and approval of December 17th, 2016 minutes.

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

PUBLIC COMMENT

2. Public Comment - No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken.
3. Update on activities within the Nevada State EMS Program since last meeting.
 - a. Aithent database
 - b. Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 450B revision
4. Update on activities within Southern Nevada Health District (SNHD) EMS Program since last meeting.
5. Update on activities within Washoe County EMS Oversight Program since last meeting.
6. Update on activities of the EMS for Children Committee.
7. Discussion – Announcing NEVCORD 1 & 2, Nevada's air ambulance/rescue responder's new communication tool, an interoperable, mutual air Very High Frequency (VHF) channel for EMS communications.
8. Discussion and make recommendations regarding scheduling an EMS Medical Director Meeting at the end of 2016.

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

PUBLIC COMMENT

9. Discussion and presentation - Overview of vacant committee positions, each candidate will have an allotted three minutes to discuss why they should be nominated for the position.
10. Discussion and make recommendations on vacant committee positions.

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

PUBLIC COMMENT

Vacant Positions effective 6/30/16

A physician licensed pursuant to NRS 630 or 633 who has experience providing emergency medical services	
An employee of a fire-fighting agency at which some of the firemen are employed and some serve as volunteers	
An employee of an organization that provides air ambulance emergency medical services whose duties are closely related to such emergency medical services	
An employee of an operator of a service: 1) Provided for the benefit of the employees of an industry who become sick or are injured at the industrial site; and 2) Staffed by employees who are licensed attendants and perform emergency medical services primarily for the industry.	

Eligible for Second Term

A registered nurse who has experience providing emergency medical services	Dorita Sonderker was not available at the December 17 th , 2015 meeting to show interest in a second term.
A volunteer fireman	Kristen Chandler was not available at the December 17 th , 2015 meeting to show interest in a second term.
An employee of an urban fire-fighting agency	Chief Robert Horton is interested in a second term.
An employee of or volunteer with a medical facility located in a rural area that provides emergency medical services	Jared Oscarson is interested in a second term.
An employee of a privately-owned entity that provides emergency medical services.	Kevin Romero is interested in a second term.

11. Discuss and make recommendations regarding how to appoint vacant positions to the Board of Health. Approve a memo for the Board of Health.

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
PUBLIC COMMENT

12. Discuss and make recommendations regarding the feasibility of creating a Fire and Emergency Medical Systems work ground to address active assailant responses.

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
PUBLIC COMMENT

13. Public Comment - No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken.

14. Adjournment

AGENDA POSTING LOCATIONS

Division of Public and Behavioral Health, 4126 and 4150 Technology Way, Carson City
Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 Stewart Street, Carson City
Washoe County District Health Department, Ninth and Wells, Reno
Emergency Medical Systems, 1020 Ruby Vista Dr., Ste 102, Elko
Division of Public and Behavioral Health, 4220 South Maryland Parkway, Suite 810, Building D, Las Vegas
On the Internet at the Division of Public and Behavioral Health website: <http://dpbh.nv.gov/>

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