

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

AGENDA

**March 19, 2015
1:30 P.M.**

MEETING LOCATIONS

Board Attending

Division of Public and Behavioral Health
4150 Technology Way, 1st Floor, Room 153
Carson City, Nevada

Videoconference to:

Division of Public and Behavioral Health
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Elko, Nevada

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1. Roll call and approval of December 18, 2014 minutes.

**PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

2. Presentation by Andy Gilger with Intermedix regarding use of TripTix.

PUBLIC COMMENT

3. Presentation by Linda Anderson, DAG on Committee Roles and Responsibilities.

PUBLIC COMMENT

4. Update on activities within the EMS Program Office since last meeting

PUBLIC COMMENT

5. Update on activities within Southern Nevada Health District (SNHD) EMS Program since last meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT

6. Discussion and possible action: The use of Narcan at the Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) level. Possible action is for the Committee to submit a recommendation to State EMS to support EMT's to use Narcan.

**PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

7. Discussion and possible action: Status of State EMS Office Policies. Possible action recommended once policies are approved that they be made available for agencies and agency coordinators, if needed a letter to Board of Health (BOH).

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

8. Discussion and possible action on the Status of the State Trauma Registry. Possible action is to develop a list of ideas to improve the current system, and suggestions on funding sources.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

9. Discussion and update of possible Bill Draft Reviews and legislative issues from State EMS Program, SNHD EMS Program and outside agencies.

PUBLIC COMMENT

10. Discussion and possible action: Status of the recognition of the EMS Personnel License Compact. Possible action is to express the Committee's advice to state EMS staff on how to carry out the process.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

11. Discussion and possible action regarding the decision to end the training center process. Possible action is to express the Committee's advice to state EMS staff and or BOH regarding the training center concept.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

12. Update on the status of the EMS instructor symposium status and Medical Director and Service Coordinator's Conference. Possible action is to express the Committee's advice to staff on how to carry out the process.

PUBLIC COMMENT

13. Discussion and possible action: State Air Ambulance permitting and attendant licensure. Possible action is to express the Committee's advice to state EMS staff on how to carry out the process.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

14. Discussion and possible action: Medical clearance by EMS providers in the field for Legal 2000 patients. Possible action is to provide the BOH and/or Chief Medical Officer a recommendation on the ability of EMS personnel to perform medical clearance tests for Legal 2000 patients.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

15. Discussion and possible action on the Committee's priority project list. Possible action is to update the Committee's priority list that was established by the Committee on September 14, 2014.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

16. Discussion and possible action: Abandonment of patient following a violent patient outburst. Possible action is to provide recommendations to state EMS staff on addressing EMS providers concerns on the abandonment issue with violent patients.

PUBLIC COMMENT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

17. 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.

PUBLIC COMMENT

18. Adjournment

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Nevada State Library and Archives, 100 Stewart Street, Carson City
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Division of Public and Behavioral Health, 4220 South Maryland Parkway, Suite 810, Building D, Las Vegas
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