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**Stroke Committee**

January 26, 2017, 09:30am to 11:30am

Co-Chairs: Mary Morrissette, Johnston-Willis and Stacie Stevens, VCU

**Members Present:** Kim Pinna, Anne Fereday, Mary Morrissette, Diane Herbert, Ashley Hansen, Stacie Stevens, Danny Garrison, John Dugan, Al Thompson, Jane LaVerne, Gary Samuels, Mike Harmon, Brad Taylor, Victoria Martin, Justin Yarboro

**Conference Line:** Pat Lane, Paula Romaine, Lisa Baber

**ODEMSA Staff:** Megan Young

**Minutes Scribed by:** Megan Young

**Materials provided:** Meeting Agenda, Reference Binder,

Topic/Subject	Discussion	Recommendations, Action/Follow-up; Responsible Person
<b>Meeting Called to Order</b>	Stacie Stevens called the meeting to order at 09:42am. Introductions were made, and it was determined we had a quorum. The January meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.	<b>Motion by:</b> Anne Fereday to approve the October Minutes and the January Agenda <b>Seconded by:</b> Danny Garrison <b>Vote:</b> Minutes and Agenda approved
<b>Reports:</b>  CHS – SRMC  HCA – CMC, JW	Anne Fereday – She introduced Viki Martin the new stroke coordinator for the hospital and they ended last year with a door to needle time of 50%. There was change in their administration, the CEO, CNO, and CMO left. She stated there is an acting CEO, no CMO yet, and a new CNO, Brenda Wilcock.  Mary Morrissette – Kim Pinna is now a stroke coordinator for Johnston Willis. She stated they ended out the year with 54 tPAs with 14 at Chippenham and 40 at JW. Their thrombectomys were 20 for the year, coiling’s were 25, and clippings were about 12-13.	



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<p>VCU</p>	<p>The helipad at Johnston-Willis is in and functional. She stated Chippenham will be expanding their emergency room, expected to start in about a year and last two years. Brad Taylor stated the expansion will involve adding 17 rooms, turning all curtain rooms into full rooms, adding two new trauma bays, new EMS room, new larger area for EMS to pull into, and a new pediatric entrance. He also stated they are putting in a new EMS room at Johnston Willis.</p> <p>Stacie Stephens – VCU has a new CEO. She stated they have been approved for a stroke fellow and are in the process of interviewing and that the fellow would start in 2018. There is a save the date out for the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Stroke Symposium on May 12 at the Downtown Marriott and the focus is atypical strokes. She stated she has been having a problem with MIVITS being left at their hospital mostly from transport agencies. It was stated that some type of form must be left with the patient and the full report must be left within twelve hours. She stated she would like to start working with the stroke coordinators on some preliminary training on VAN to be taught later.</p>	
<p>HCA – HDH, PDH, RDH</p>	<p>Diane Herbert – Henrico Doctors Hospital has finished the work on their women’s pavilion project. She stated they have had some admin changes as well, their COO and CEO are moving to Parham. HCA ended the year with all facilities at 25 tPAs and their door to needle time average was 53 minutes.</p>	
<p>John Randolph</p>	<p>Ashley Hanson – She stated they are up for stroke certification through the joint commission. They ended the year with 94 strokes and gave 8 tPAs, only three of them were within the window. She stated they are focusing on improving their times by improving different areas of their process.</p>	
<p>Bon Secours – SMH</p>	<p>Pat Lane – She stated that all Bon Secours facilities are meeting their door to needle time at less than 60 minutes. They had 41 patients for their first quarter of 2017 and have done 5 coiling’s between St. Mary’s and MRMC. They have two new neurologists come on board and are starting two more in March. At Richmond Community, they will be starting a hypertension clinic. She stated she is starting a new model of care for neuroscience and has approval for that. They are gearing up for the International Stroke Conference and she will be speaking on cryptogenic strokes at the Nursing Symposium. She stated their endovascular cases are on the rise and with their team from UVA there</p>	



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<p>Centra – Southside Community</p> <p>New Kent Fire &amp; Rescue</p> <p>RAA</p> <p>ODEMSA</p>	<p>has been a 10% increase this year. Bon Secours is hosting their Central Virginia EMS Expo in Henrico on March 4<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> and are expecting to hit the max of 600 students. Their EMS STAT video should be released next week, which will feature Dr. Epps, Hanover EMS, and Henrico Division of Fire with stroke education, screening tools and a case scenario.</p> <p>Paula Romaine – They have given actevase 6 times last year and their average time is 57 minutes. The ED saw 40,000 patients last year so they plan to expand their ED this year. She stated they are hiring a second neurologist.</p> <p>Lisa Baber – No report.</p> <p>Danny Garrison – No report.</p> <p>Megan Young - The Regional Awards ceremony and Picnic has been moved to May 20<sup>th</sup>, a few days before EMS Week. This hopefully will help with attendance and interest. She advised everyone to please start thinking of nominees for the awards.</p>	
<p><b>Old Business:</b></p> <p>“Get with the Guidelines” Stroke Data</p> <p>Stroke Workgroup Update</p>	<p>John Dugan stated that the Virginia Department of Health has applied for a super user account. Since they are going to create this account and pay for it there would be no cost to the region to do a super user account to then collect the data or create reports. The VDOH will send out MOUs to the hospitals for permission to view the data. He stated then a small committee would be formed that has used Get with the Guidelines before and meet with someone from the state to show what a report would look like and the metrics that would be great to capture. Then that person could create the report and ship them to us. Stacie stated this would help keep the data anonymous. John stated he believes that it would be reasonable to expect this to be in process by the next meeting. He stated the consent forms are created and it will be shipped out to the hospitals that are participating.</p> <p>Due to the workgroup having not met since the last committee meeting this discussion will be tabled.</p>	



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<p><b>New Business:</b></p> <p>Slide Presentation: Stacie Stevens</p> <p>Committee Meeting Date Change</p>	<p>Stacie presented a slide show made by Dr. Lindbeck. She stated the Virginia Stroke System Task Force has been working with the Office of EMS to revise the state stroke triage plan which is the framework that each region uses to develop their plan. This presentation is to help bring ODEMSA up to date.</p> <p>Due to a stroke conference happening during the next committee meeting scheduled for April 27<sup>th</sup>, the meeting will be moved to April 19<sup>th</sup> at the same time.</p> <p>There was no further business from the floor.</p>	<p>Megan will send the slideshow with the minutes.</p> <p><b>Motion by:</b> Ashley Hansen to the next meeting date change  <b>Seconded by:</b> Diane Herbert  <b>Vote:</b> Meeting date change to April 19<sup>th</sup></p>
<p><b>Next Meeting</b></p>	<p>April 19, 2016 at 09:30am</p>	
<p><b>Adjourn</b></p>	<p>Meeting adjourned at 10:50am.</p>	