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Training and Education Committee

June 9, 2022, 10:00 am – 11:00 am
Chair: Adam Alford, VCU CTCCE
Vice Chair: Lucian Mirra, Hanover Fire

Members and Guests Present via Zoom: Adam Alford, Adam Schuknecht, Bobby Lester, Bridget Wilson, Charles Feiring Craig Bride, Frank Chinn, Jay Gould, Mike Watkins, Nakia James, Qadira Stewart, Sandra Bailey

Conference Line: N/A

ODEMSA Staff: Tiffany Almeida, Ryan Scarbrough

Minutes Scribed by: Tiffany Almeida

Materials provided: None

Topic/Subject	Discussion	Recommendations, Action/Follow-up; Responsible Person
Meeting Called to Order	Meeting called to order at 1002 hours by Chairman Adam Alford. Quorum present.	Motion: To approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Made by: Charles Feiring Second: Jay Gould Motion passes unanimously
EMS Reports Goochland Fire	Mike Watkins: Finished an EMT class all passed the psychomotor exam. TECC and PALS class coming up. Beginning with new recruits July 1 st .	



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Chesterfield Fire & EMS	Qadira Stewart: Cohort #1 had a 100% pass rate. Cohort #2 began May 5 th .	
Hopewell Fire	Adam Schuknecht: Paramedic class coming up in September in partnership with VCU.	
Lakeside VRS	Megan Middleton: New member academy has 6 applicants. Cleared a new paramedic, new BLS AICs and preceptors. EMT class is almost halfway over with 13 students. Began offering community CPR and Stop The Bleed classes.	
Hospitals		
Bon Secours	Craig Bride: Finalizing Platinum Planner for clinical rotations. For accredited EMS programs, clinical rotations will begin at Southside Medical Center, Colonial Heights Freestanding ED and Southern VA Medical Center with a target date of July 15. ED shifts offered initially. OR, ICU and OB shifts work in progress. June 16 th : Monthly CE dinner – ODEMSA will present. July 23 rd : Regional training event at Lake Gaston. VSP Medflight will be involved. Physicians will lecture on water emergencies in the lake setting. Demonstrations involving fire rescue boats. Flyer coming soon for registration. Half-day event. Breakfast provided. Ending by noon.	
VCU	Jay Gould: Busy with new interns and resuscitation classes. Upcoming regional education collaborating with ODEMSA. Advanced Airway class on August 20 th and 21 st . Several new cohorts of EMT and paramedic students beginning in the fall.	



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<p>HCA</p> <p>Accredited EMS Programs</p> <p>Reynolds CC</p> <p>Southside Virginia CC</p> <p>John Tyler CC</p> <p>Hanover High School – EMT Program</p>	<p>Amy Stewart: HCA is offering several CE courses in the coming months. Announcements will be sent out and posted on HCA website.</p> <p>Nakia James: Both the spring EMT and paramedic cohorts have finished. Summer EMT course currently in session. For the fall, we have an evening paramedic program and (2) traditional EMT programs. New construction going on within our emergency sim lab.</p> <p>Bobby Lester: Finished up (2) EMT programs. AEMT cohort finished last week. Paramedic students will finish in August. For the fall, offering an AEMT and EMT course. Instead of a (2) semester EMT course, we will change our program to offer an accelerated (1) semester EMT course.</p> <p>Bridget Wilson: Our program is currently non-operational until we find a Program Director. We have (3) candidates to interview. Applications are still open. Our name will change to Brightpoint Community College on July 1.</p> <p>Sandy Bailey: Difficulties this year due to COVID. Several students dropped the course. The remaining EMT students were dedicated and performed well. Many thanks to Lakeside VRS for allowing EMT students to perform field rotations. We received a mock ambulance this week. Waiting on the markings and decals. Looking forward to utilizing the mock ambulance next year for scenarios.</p>	
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<p>VCU CTCCE</p>	<p>Adam Alford: The program has officially moved its sponsorship to VCU Health so our students are VCU Health students. Participating with University of Arizona on a project involving use of virtual reality for paramedic skill scenarios. The paramedic program will have a cadaver lab on August 4th. EMT to Paramedic course beginning in October. EMT to Paramedic course will also be offering at Hopewell. We will also pilot an abbreviated Intermediate to Paramedic course. Ivatury Trauma Symposium on July 22nd.</p>	
<p>ODEMSA</p>	<p>Tiffany Almeida: Just finished an EMT class of (5) students. All passed the psychomotor, awaiting their NR results. We have another EMT class beginning August 16th. Upcoming VILT CE courses on June 27th & July 11th. July 23rd & 24th: PALS offering at ODEMSA. August 13th & 14th: PHTLS offering at ODEMSA. October 8th & 9th: PHTLS offering at Prince Edwards VRS.</p> <p>Ryan Scarbrough: Regional EMS Awards are coming up. Nominations are closed and the committee will review in the next week or so determine winners who will be forwarded to the Governor’s EMS Awards, which occur at Symposium. The awards will be conducted in the ODEMSA News Now format. When a date is announced, please share to boost viewership. The regional awards will be livestreamed on Facebook and if we can, our Youtube. Regional agency contact update is almost complete so we will have a current listing of all education contacts for all agencies in ODEMSA.</p>	
<p>PTAP</p>	<p>Tiffany Almeida: No concerns or difficulties to report.</p>	
<p>Stop The Bleed Coalition</p>	<p>Jay Gould: Class offerings have been at a lull recently due to COVID and skills. Individual courses have been ongoing, however. Hoping coalition will be in a position to increase class offerings soon.</p> <p>Bobby Lester: We include Stop The Bleed in all of our programs at Southside Virginia CC.</p>	



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Old Business	None.	
New Business	<p>To approve Regional Preception Manual – Selected Protocols:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. ODEMSA Regional Trauma Triage Plan: No changes. Motion made and approved.2. ODEMSA Drug Kit & Ambulance Restocking Policy: No changes. Motion made and approved3. ODEMSA Regional STEMI Guidelines: No changes. Motion made and approved.	<p>Motion: To accept the ODEMSA Regional Trauma Triage Plan, as seen in the Regional Preception Manual.</p> <p>Made by: Bridget Wilson Second: Qadira Stewart</p> <p>Motion passes unanimously</p> <p>Motion: To accept the ODEMSA Drug Kit & Ambulance Restocking Policy, as seen in the Regional Preception Manual.</p> <p>Made by: Jay Gould Second: Bobby Lester</p> <p>Motion passes unanimously</p> <p>Motion: To accept the ODEMSA Drug Kit & Ambulance Restocking Policy, as seen in the Regional Preception Manual.</p> <p>Made by: Frank Chinn Second: Sandy Bailey</p> <p>Motion passes unanimously</p>



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New Business

Adam Alford: Currently working on my Master's. You may have received an email from me. For my Master's program, the project I am working on looks at barriers to EMT class passing i.e. what causes students to drop out of EMT class or what prevents them from taking the National Registry. Doing a preliminary study using a survey tool. Feel free to share with past EMT students who did not pass or did not take the National Registry. If you are interested, please reach out to me.

Jay Gould: Adam was recently selected to participate in the National Registry Summer Mentorship Program.

The meeting adjourned at 1048 hours.

Motion: To adjourn.

Made by: Jay Gould
Second: Bridget Wilson

Motion passes unanimously