

# RAC - G Injury Prevention

(a Sub-committee of the Trauma System Committee)

Wednesday, July 19, 2023

Minutes

- 1 . Committee reviewed distribution list for accuracy. Please ensure anyone else who needs to be added completes the registration form below.

<https://forms.office.com/r/rqgqMFrK8T>

- 2 . The committee identified the following Short Term Goals to work on over the next 6 months

- a. **Identify Top MOIs for RAC**

UTHET will run RAC wide report for 2022 data to identify top MOIs. CTMF will need to run similar report to add data. Goal to run reports by end of the month.

- b. **Provide education to committee members on injury prevention techniques**

- c. **Begin to provide public education & interventions for top MOIs as a RAC by Q1 2024**

- d. **Small group to meet to work on plan for lunch & learn/community wellness connection**

Small group members: Melissa Gooden, Jennifer Marshall, Brittany Ray, Peggy Hughes, Karen Lyons, Loretta Kuhn, Shonna Hansen, Katelyn Meadows. Please notify Brittany Ray if you would like to be added.

- 3 . **The committee has identified the following long term goals:**

- a. Build alliances with coroners
- b. Expand "lunch & learn"/community wellness connection to rural communities (virtual vs rotating locations)
- c. Targeted community outreach by zip code/MOI

- 4 . **Open Discussion**

- a. Loretta & Cheryl report the RAC does not currently have any funds allocated for injury prevention that they are aware of at this time. Small work group to identify potential costs and opportunities for funding. RAC raises concerns about feasibility of adding additional responsibilities/meeting to provide joint classes/meetings for public. Both UTHET and CTMF representatives are committed to using this group to decrease work-load for individual hospitals and provide additional resources not tasks.