

Minutes

Committee: Air Medical: Chair Chad Solomon

Virtual

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Date: 9/26/2024

Time: 11:00 In Person: **Jim Speier CHRISTUS FFL/EMS, Chad Solomon Chair, CHRISTUS FFL/EMS**

Virtual: **Cassandra Galloway Air Rescue, Roy Langford - UTETEMS, James Reed Longview FD, Brian Wilkinson CHRISTUS EMS, Carrie Elder Allegiance EMS, Amy Hooten Longview FD, Alicia Whetsell Jacksonville FD/EMS, Billy Perez Fairfield EMS, Shawn Salter CHRISTUS EMS/FFL, Brad Baucom Air Rescue, Steven Jones UTET EMS, Michael Lawyer UTET EMS, Dawn Johnston CHRISTUS FFL, Russell Foster UTET Air 1**

1. Approval of minutes from last meeting.
 - **Not Ready will approve at next meeting.**

2. GETAC AMC and Critical Care Transport Committee Report.
 - Meeting 8/21/24
 - **2023 Wrap up – Air Medical MIST is complete and in the hands of Victor Wells with MIST and the deployment team. This document is a working document subject to change as used. It is a guideline for the Air Medical MIST to use in a deployment to aid in setting up an evacuation deployment. The document is available to all, on the EMTF website.**
 - **2023 Wrap Up HEMS Mental Health Awareness hot topic and DSHS is on top of it and has options in place for help if needed.**
 - **2023 Wrap Up LZ classes for the DPS in place – all new DPS officers will be taught in the initial training class before full release to work.**
 - **New Topic – State wide AMC QI topic – Pediatric Air Management first pass intubation – GAMET and TAAMS blinded study – TAAMS hired company MESERV has agreed to compile data from agencies not connected to GAMET all info will be blinded.**

3. TAAMS Report:
 - SMTA – MTLI – Oct 31st deadline for application
 - EMS LODD Scholarship
 - **New Class offered by Medivac Foundation called LIFT (Leadership Incident Fortification Training) its focus will be on the what if an accident occurs.**
 - **Hall of Honor LODD Corn Hole Tournament and Silent Auction need sponsors and donated items.**

4. Chair Nominations
 - **Consider Co-Chair moving forward – this position would fill in for the Chair if needed.**
 - **They would also may be the next Chair.**
 - **Both Chair and Co-Chair would be 2 year terms.**

5. Local Safety Issues
 - UT Health- Construction updates Steven Jones
 - **West crane will be removed 10/11/2024**
 - **UT EMS Dispatch – HEARN broken – repair soon.**
 - **Parking garage still in place – use Unicom freq. – crane will halt ops – must report approach direction about 10 min. out.**

6. Educational offerings Upcoming
 - See RAC-G Calendar

9. Open Discussion.
 - **Shawn: AAIR funding for training kits.**
 - **Shawn: Article on position LVO patients do better flat in bed or transport.**

10. Adjourn:

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