

PROVIDERS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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MONDAY, April 10, 2023

ALBUQUERQUE FIRE RESCUE STATION 20, 7520 CORONA NE

PAC Meeting Minutes

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
 - a. 09:30 by Chief Ortiz**

- II. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF PAC COMMITTEE AGENDA FOR TODAY, April 10, 2023**
 - a. Motion made by Jason**
 - b. Motion approved**

- III. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF PAC COMMITTEE MINUTES FOR, March 20 2023.**
 - a. Motion by Jason. Second by Chief Ortiz.**
 - b. Approved in full with corrections.**

- IV. MCB REPORT – Dr. Kimberly Pruett**
 - a. Medical Directors to approve keeping updated Peds CPR Guidelines.**
 - b. Asthma- Ketamine is not approved for a special skill.**

- V. EMS GUIDELINES**
 - a. Agitated patients- In the guidelines a different wording was added for provider safety.**

- VI. OLD BUSINESS**

Skilled Nursing Facility Flier- Keeping the flyer simple and legible with different Ambulance Services workers can call. An option is to go and meet with these nursing facilities and educate them periodically.

Motion to approve- passes anomalously

Pending approval from AMR.

Committee Representation-

VII. NEW BUSINESS

- a. **Oxymask- Information update from a new mask to deliver oxygen. Provides 2-15 liters a minute. Albuquerque Ambulance has already stocked the oxymask.**
- b. **EMTALA at PES- Still applies as they are an ED. They DO NOT have medical capabilities and can divert to main.**
- c. **Fentanyl/Xylazine- There has been 3 cases of overdose on Xylazine. Communicate with crews to treat as a multiple drug overdose.**
- d. **HB47- Call came in local agencies patient was in the process of assisted suicide.**

-Should we allow this patient to refuse transport to hospital?

No, we should treat this patient with any suspected overdose.

VIII. FIRE SERVICE REPORTS (AFR/BCFD/KAFB)

1. **BCFD: Transports down to 50.**
2. **Kirtland Fire:**
 - a. **Nothing to Report.**
3. **AFD:**
 - a. **Station 2 and Station 3 have ALS Engines- Rescue 2/3 and Medic 3- BLS officer and Paramedic driver. Pause ECMO . Program till everyone is trained. Still waiting to hear back for the “blood” money.**

IX. EMS SERVICE REPORTS (AAS/SAS/AMR/SNL/LIFEGUARD/RRT/PHI)

1. **AAS: Transports are down. For education on April 20th there is all day training scheduled.**
2. **Superior Ambulance:**
 - a. **Nothing to Report.**
3. **AMR:**
 - a. **Nothing to report.**
4. **Lifeguard:**
 - a. **5 new medical staff members.**

- 5. Rapid Response:**
- a. Nothing to report.**

6. AFR: Shortage of medics, change operationally.

X. SYSTEM ISSUES

UNM: 36 interests in program.

XI. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Next meeting will be May 15th.

XII. ADJOURNMENT Motion:

a. Jason Hackett 2nd Will W. With no opposition, the meeting was adjourned at 1030

****NEXT MEETING: May 15, 2023, at 9:30am.**