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EMERGENCY MEDICAL
SERVICES PROGRAM

PREHOSPITAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PAC)

MINUTES

MARCH 1, 2010

Present: Rayette Andrews, Lisa Angell, Sterling Lewis, Brenda Brenner, Kris Hurst, Jamie Hill, Kent Benedict, Celia Barry, Chris Jones, Priscilla Leighton, Greg Vandervoort, John Walbridge, Sonya Ruiz, Marc Yellin

January's meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.

1. NEW BUSINESS

1. Cardiac Arrest Audit 09 -
2. Pain Management – Medics are being reminded to use pain management tools for patients who might benefit.

2. OLD BUSINESS

1. STEMI Update – LP-15 process going well, should be live on May 1st. Sterling asked for data form that will be used for Watsonville patients transferred to Dominican Hospital. AMR is ordering smaller patches for the leads.
2. Trauma Follow-up – Lisa and Rayette will be notified by Serena a week before diversion data is released. Santa Clara and Regional Trauma are working towards translating OSHPD data of ICD-9 codes that the state receives to ISS scores from non-trauma centers.
3. H1N1 Follow-up – The State has closed the JEOC. The Health Services Agency is conducting a debrief next Tuesday, March 9th from 9am to 11am at the Large Auditorium at 1080 Emeline Avenue.

3. REPORTS

1. EMS Administrator – EMS Week Tuesday May 4th at 10:00am. Air ambulance discussion at Emergency Medical Care Commission on Wednesday, March 10th at Dominican Hospital, Education Building, Room B-1. Furloughs will most likely continue through 10/11.

2. AMR – Brad and Scott are training on Zofran, and LP-15.

3. EMSIA –

4. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS/ROUNDTABLE**

Rayette – Diversion – what should our system do if Dominican has both cath labs down – EMS system yellow for cath lab? Kent will check with other systems. What about North Monterey County STEMI patients? Should LP-15 transmissions be emailed to Salinas Valley Memorial? Kent will speak with Dr. Stubblefield about the issue. Should modify the policy. Also, for patients at the summit – can they go to Good Samaritan?

May 20th and 21st is LifeFlight's trauma symposium.

John Scherk from VMC will come on April 22nd to meet with the hospitals to discuss "hot packing trauma patients."

Marc will be developing a Tactical Medicine presentation.

PAC meeting will be on Monday, April 5 at 8:30am at Aptos/La Selva Fire

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