

**MEDICAL CONTROL BOARD
EASTERN AND WESTERN DIVISIONS
EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS FOUNDATION**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Medical Control Board was held, pursuant to Oklahoma Statute, Title 25 & 307.1 on Wednesday, March 5th, 2025, 09:00 am at EMSA Administrative Offices located at 6205 S. Sooner Road, Oklahoma City, OK 73135 and 1417 N. Lansing Avenue, Tulsa, OK 74106, linked via videoconference.

NOTICE AND AGENDA for the regularly scheduled meeting of the Medical Control Board of the Emergency Physicians Foundation, was posted in the Office of the Deputy City Clerk of Tulsa, Thursday, February 27th, 2024, and in the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Oklahoma City on Thursday, February 27th, 2024, more than 24 hours prior to the time set for the regularly scheduled meeting of the Medical Control Board.

- 1. Roll Call** disclosed a quorum at 09:01 am and the meeting was called to order by Dr. Russell Anderson.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Dr. Russell Anderson
Dr. Julie Curry
Dr. Peyton Holder
Dr. Jeffrey Johnson
Dr. John Nalagan
Dr. David Smith

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Dr. Amanda Celii (arrived at 0909)
Dr. Justin Davis (arrived at 0916)
Dr. David Gearhart (arrived at 0930)
Dr. Keri Smith
Dr. Matthew Wood

- 2. Review and Approval of January 2025 MCB Meeting Minutes**

A motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes of January 2025 MCB Meeting.

AYE:

Dr. Russell Anderson
Dr. Julie Curry
Dr. Peyton Holder
Dr. Jeffrey Johnson
Dr. John Nalagan
Dr. David Smith

ABSENT:

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NAY:

None

The motion is passed.

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3. Oklahoma City Fire Department Report – Chief Richard Kelley

Major Lance Jones presenting: MIH program started buprenorphine induction program with first participant in February. Working on high utilizer planning to reduce utilization of 911 emergency services. Civilian ambulance EMTs and paramedics recent additional five hires with plans for fourth ambulance to be at Station 6 in Bricktown.

4. Tulsa Fire Department Report – Chief Michael Baker

LifePak 35 19 being implemented to date with an additional 4 to be deployed asap pending technical updates. UE scope with 25 uses to date and uploading videos. Whole blood administration has no contacts to date (since July 3rd implementation in Tulsa) and working to change deployment plans, tentative plans to pause carrying if needed to conserve resources. MIH program with 5,000+ responses, doubling prior year responses. ART-2 expanding to seven days a week. Will hire a non-sworn paramedic in April to work on that team. Dr. Cody working with MIH team for opioid response planning. Crisis intervention training for de-escalating training will be doing healthcare-centric curriculum in mid-March. “Pop up clinic” (street clinic) will start March 19th at Boston Avenue United Methodist Church with multiple social services agencies.

5. EMSA President Report – Johna Easley

EMSA response time compliance performance was provided to the MCB. Ms. Easley’s comments included district chief work in mitigating hospital-based bed delays. UE scopes deployed since February 1st. LifePak 35 is planned to be deployed April 1st-15th depending upon training schedules. Switching from ESO Alerting (OKC) and radios (Tulsa) to Pulsara software for “encoding.” CAPCE, CoAEMSP, and Simulation Center accreditations in process.

6. Chief Medical Officer/Associate Chief Medical Officer Reports

Dr. Goodloe updated the MCB on activities completed by the OMD team in the interim since the January MCB meeting.

Dr. Goodloe briefly highlighted the numerous meetings that the OMD team continues to have with agencies within the EMS system, including orientation academies as well as the long-established monthly CQI meetings led by OMD.

Dr. Goodloe reviewed recent field implementation of video laryngoscopy. Exact numbers of intubations are still pending, though consensus feedback is positive on the

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equipment and a sense of improved first pass intubation success. Formal research review to follow.

Dr. Goodloe highlighted national conference presentations and research abstract presentations at the NAEMSP Annual Meeting in January (Light & Siren reduction through clinical outcomes based call prioritization, whole blood administration program implementation in EMS, and sleep disruption medical oversight consults for the EMS physician; BLS tiering and aspirin use and documentation in suspected acute coronary syndrome patients.

Dr. Goodloe co-presented a national webinar on waveform capnography for EMS last month. Typical registrations are about a hundred with 80% or so attending. This webinar garnered over 750 pre-registrations with over 300 attendees.

Dr. Goodloe congratulated the OMD team for successful acceptance of three didactics presentations at EMS World, the National Association of EMTs Annual Conference in October 2025 – 1) whole blood administration in EMS; 2) biostatistician use in an EMS system; and 3) commercial in-flight medical emergencies.

Dr. Goodloe and Duffy McAnallen visited the City of Tulsa Public Safety Commissioner Laurel Roberts, and she is invited to attend MCB meetings on an ongoing basis.

Dr. Goodloe also updated the MCB on pending additional data continuing to support utilization of BLS ambulances for 911 response, with desirable performance in the three variables of key interest: return to hospital red lights and sirens, ALS ambulance assist activation, and unstable vital signs.

Dr. Cody discussed work in progress with MIH programs at Oklahoma City Fire Department and Tulsa Fire Department.

Matt Cox is leading the system-wide support team in analytics issues with the new LifePak35s being implemented system wide. There are numerous technical issues to ensure correct data collection and that being shared with OMD to continue our system-wide CPR database and analysis.

MCB physicians received the divert reports, compliance reports presented earlier by Ms. Easley and the hospital destination reports.

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7. Review and Approval of Protocol

13F: Reported/Suspected Sexual Assault – Adult & Pediatric
Nomenclature of Protocol Change

17B: Table: Categorization of Hospitals
Saint Francis Hospital South updated to Level II Stroke

Mobile Integrated Health: Opioid Use Disorder OUD.1A
Addition of Dr. Patrick Cody as first call for OMD consults.

2025 Tactical Operations Protocols
Comprehensive review and update of tranexamic acid (TXA) dosing

Dr. Goodloe and Bill Justice presented the recommended changes as noted above.

A motion was made and seconded that the MCB approve the recommended changes to protocols 13F, 17B, MIH OUD.1A, and Tactical Ops.

AYE:

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Dr. John Nalagan
Dr. David Smith

ABSENT:

Dr. David Gearhart
Dr. Keri Smith
Dr. Matthew Wood

NAY:

None

The motion is passed.

8. Review and Approval of MCB/OMD Clinical Administrative Policy

CAP: Weather Induced Temporary Alterations to Clinical Standards General Orders
Addition of Dr. Patrick Cody to OMD consult call list.

A motion was made and seconded that the MCB approve the recommended change to CAP: Weather Induced Temporary Alterations to Clinical Standards General Orders.

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NAY:

None

The motion is passed.

9. Review and Approval of MPDS Codes Update

Dr. Knoles and David Howerton presented the MCB physicians recommendations on MPDS version 14.0.223 to include additional 911 BLS response codes and prioritization.

A motion was made and seconded that the MCB approve the recommended changes to MPDS version 14.0.223 to include additional 911 BLS response codes and prioritization.

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10. Review and Approval of December 2024 and January 2025 MCB Financial Statements

Dr. Goodloe presented the financial statements to the MCB, discussing revenue and expenses for the sixth and seventh months of FY 2024-2025.

A motion was made and seconded that the MCB approve the December 2024 and January 2025 MCB Financial Statements.

AYE:

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ABSENT:

Dr. Keri Smith
Dr. Matthew Wood

NAY:

None

NAY:

None

The motion is passed.

11. Information Items

12. New Business

Dr. Nalagan discussed and advocated for whole blood in helicopter EMS systems in Oklahoma. The EMS System for Metropolitan Oklahoma City and Tulsa supports use of whole blood for more rural based trauma patients via helicopter EMS. Discussion included ways to promote additional donors and the thoughtful, stewardship-based distribution of whole blood on a more statewide paradigm.

13. Next Meeting – May 7th, 2025 at 0800 hrs

14. Adjournment

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Upon Motion by Dr. Russell Anderson, the Medical Control Board voted to adjourn the meeting at 10:03 am.

Approved By:
Keri Smith, DO
MCB Secretary

Date Approved: