

**Western Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
 January 19, 2022

**Chair:** Dr. Mike O'Brien called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

**Voting Members:** 16

**Non-Voting Members:** 6

See attached motion table

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
<b>APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES</b>	Approved November meeting minutes	<b>MOTION 22-03</b>
<b>CORRESPONDENCE</b>	Reviewed	
<b>SEMAC/SEMSCO BART/WALTERS/TAKATS</b>	Next meeting schedule for April 2022.	
<b>WREMAC CHAIR REPORT</b>	No report	
<b>TRAUMA ADVISORY COMMITTEE BETH MOSES</b>	No report	
<b>NURSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE</b>	No report	
<b>PREHOSPITAL COMMITTEE G. GILL</b>	Committee has been removed as an Agenda Item and will be added as an ADHOC as needed	
<b>PROGRAM AGENCY REPORTS A. BIG LAKES B. SOUTHWESTERN C. UBMD EMS DIVISION</b>	Reports given by Program Agencies.	
<b>INTERFACILITY TRANSPORT PROTOCOLS - J. TEUSCHER</b>	Committee has been removed as an Agenda Item and will be added as an ADHOC as needed	
<b>COLLABORATIVE PROTOCOLS CLEMENCY/BART/WALTERS</b>	No report	
<b>QUALITY IMPROVEMENT TANAKA/BORTON</b>	No report	
<b>BYLAWS – BART</b>	Changes coming in 2022.	
<b>EQUIPMENT COMMITTEE</b>	Committee has been removed as an Agenda Item and will be added as an ADHOC as needed	
<b>RESEARCH / EDUCATION B. CLEMENCY</b>	Committee has been removed as an Agenda Item and will be added as an ADHOC as needed	
<b>AD HOC NATIONAL STANDARDS COMMITTEE-CLEMENCY</b>	Committee has been removed as an Agenda Item and will be added as an ADHOC as needed	
<b>AD HOC CARDIAC ARREST S. LANIPHER</b>	Committee has been removed as an Agenda Item and will be added as an ADHOC as needed	

<b>OLD BUSINESS</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. ByLaws Review – they need to be reviewed every two years. Dr. Bart reported there are no updates but there will be changes coming in 2022.</li> <li>2. Alphabet Online Courses – Tabled until further notice – Dr. O’Brien will do more research and talk with DOH for recommendations</li> <li>3. Medical Control from Oishei – Dr. O’Brien will get together with the physicians from Oishei and put together a universal statement not hospital specific – tabled until further notice</li> <li>4. During COVID -19 pandemic the WREMAC gave the Chair, Dr. O’Brien, the ability to push out documentation and make decisions on behalf of the WREMAC, Dr. O’Brien will convene ad hoc committees and consult with members whenever time allows.</li> </ol>	
<b>NEW BUSINESS</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Looking for a Vice Chair of the WREMAC if interested please let Karen or Dr. O’Brien know.</li> <li>2. <b>Medical Director change</b> for Youngstown VFC from Dr. Brown to Dr. Klementowski and Barker FD from Dr. Franco to Dr. Borton</li> <li>3. <b>PAD NOI for</b> Buffalo State College</li> <li>4. ADHOC committee formed to review/revise the Alternate Destination policy – Dr. Clemency to chair, if interested reach out to Dr. Clemency or Karen</li> </ol>	<b>MOTION 22-04</b>
<b>ISSUES FROM THE FLOOR</b>		
<b>ADJOURNMENT</b>	<b>Adjourn – Dr. Clemency</b>	<b>MOTION 22-05</b>

THE NEXT WREMAC MEETING WILL BE HELD MARCH 16<sup>TH</sup>.

**2021-22 Motion Table – Western Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee**

#	DATE	MOTION	MADE BY	SECOND	ABSTAIN	NAY	APPROVED
21-01	01/20/2021	Motion to accept the November 2020 minutes	Dr. Farney	Dr. Walters			
21-02	01/20/2021	WREMAC Representative changes for St. Mary’s Hospital to Dr. Carrie Cargo and the Buffalo General Alternate change to Dr. Kaori Tanaka.	Dr. Kenyon	Dr. Lynch			
21-03	01/20/2021	<b>Motion for the Blood Glucometry approval for Sloan Active Hose Co. #1</b>	Dr. Farney	Dr. Kenyon			
21-04	01/20/2021	Motion to adjourn	Dr. Lynch				
21-05	03/17/2021	Notion to accept the January Minutes	Dr. Lynch	Dr. Seth			
21-06	03/17/2021	Proposed Policy change for WREMAC Policy 2017-2 accepted with language changes – Motion passed	Dr. Borton	Dr. Clemency			
21-07	03/17/2021	Motion to accept en masse: <b>PAD NOI for Sunbelt Rentals – Corfu, NY, Buffalo Academy of Science Charter School and Sodexo.</b> <b>7. CPAP approval for South Line Fire District #1</b> <b>8. 12-Lead approval for South Line Fire District #1</b> <b>9. EPI Syringe NOI for Leon FC</b> <b>10. e-PCR approval for Ransomville FC #1, Niagara Cty Sherriff’s Office of ERT, Upper Mountain FC, Frontier VFD,</b>	Dr. Teuscher	Dr. Lynch			

		Kendall FD, Bethany VFD, Delevan VFC, Belfast FD, Scio FD, Maple Springs FC, West Valley Vol Hose Co.					
21-08	03/17/2021	Motion to adjourn	Dr. Teuscher				
21-09	06/16/2021	Motion to accept March 2021 minutes	Dr. Lynch	Dr. McNamara			
21-10	06/16/2021	Motion to accept en masse: <b>Medical Director Change for</b> South Lockport and Lewiston Fire #1 from Dr. Franco to Dr. Klementowski, WCA Services and ALSTAR from Dr. Walters to Dr. Cammarata. <b>PAD NOI for</b> Lockhead Martin, Northgate Free Methodist Church- Batavia, Amtrak – Niagara Falls, Coffee Bar at Newfane, Coor Surgical – N. Tonawanda, Republic Services – Niagara Falls (x2), Colden Country Inn and Scranton VFC <b>CPAP approval for</b> Jamison Road FC, Lake Shore VFC <b>EPI Syringe NOI for</b> Jamison Road FC, Eggertsville FD <b>Blood Glucometry approval for</b> Albion FD	Dr. Teuscher	Dr. Clemency			
21-11	06/16/2021	Motion to allow WREMAC Chair to make approvals on behalf of the WREMAC	Dr. Clemency	Dr. McNamara			
21-12	06/16/2021	Motion to Adjourn	Dr. Teuscher				

21-13	09/15/2021	Motion to accept June 2021 minutes	Todd Reisner	Dr. Clemency			
21-14	09/15/2021	Approvals en masse: <b>Conditional LOC change for Lewiston #1 from AEMT – Paramedic pending CS license</b> <b>PAD NOI for Town and Country Club of Lockport, Alabama Basom United Methodist Church, William S. Hein &amp; Co, Inc, Village of Perry, North Presbyterian Church.</b> <b>Naloxone approval for Doyle FD</b> <b>12-Lead approval for Maple Springs Fire</b> <b>EPI Syringe NOI for Elba FD and Camp Seven Hills</b> <b>Blood Glucometry Approval for Ransomville FD</b> <b>Albuterol approval for Elba FD</b> <b>Medical Director Change for Niagara Active from Dr. Brown to Dr. Klementowski, Twin District from Dr. Billittier to Dr. Poreda, Williamsville FD from Dr. Takats to Dr. McNamara, North Baily from Dr. Takats to Dr. McNamara</b>	Dr. Kenyon	Dr. Teuscher			
21-15	09/15/2021	Motion to Adjourn	Dr. McNamara				
21-16	11/17/2021	Motion to accept September minutes.	Dr. McNamara	Dr. Walters			
21-17	11/17/2021	Motion by Dr. Walters to add additional wording. Dr. O’Brien will amend the policy in accordance with	Dr. Walters	Todd Reisner			

		the language voted on by the membership and update the website.					
<b>21-18</b>	<b>11/17/2021</b>	<p>Approvals en masse:</p> <p><b>Medical Director Change</b> for Clarence FD #1 from Dr. McNamara to Dr. Lynch, Harris Hill VFC from Dr. McNamara to Dr. Lynch, Shawnee from Dr. Gorman to Dr. Klementowski</p> <p><b>Level of Care Change</b> for Sinclairville to AEMT, Harris Hill VFC downgrade to BLSFR from ALS, Wilson FC #1 downgrade from Paramedic to AEMT</p> <p><b>PAD NOI</b> for Harris Hill VFC, The ARC Erie County NY, Town of Bethany Offices</p> <p><b>Albuterol approval</b> for East Shelby FD</p> <p><b>EPI Syringe NOI</b> for Delevan VFD</p> <p><b>BLS 12 Lead approval</b> for Ransomville</p>	<b>Dr. Walters</b>	<b>Dr. McNamara</b>			
<b>21-19</b>	<b>11/17/2021</b>	Bryan Brauner – Motion to revisit/update Policy 2002-1...the membership agrees. Dr. O'Brien will update policy and post to the website.	<b>Dr. McNamara</b>	<b>Dr. Teuscher</b>			
<b>21-20</b>	<b>11/17/2021</b>	Motion to adjourn	<b>Dr. Walters</b>				
<b>22-01</b>	<b>01/03/2022</b>	Motion to support the PediDOSE Study proposed by Dr. Clemency and approve the accompanying Adult and Pediatric Seizure Protocols. This approval only	<b>Dr. Clemency</b>	<b>Dr. Kenyon</b>			

		applies to AMR and will take effect one the Buffalo site has been randomized by the national study team.					
<b>22-02</b>	<b>01/03/2022</b>	Motion to adjourn	<b>Dr. Kenyon</b>				
<b>22-03</b>	<b>01/19/2022</b>	Motion to accept November 2021 minutes	<b>Dr. Wenner</b>	<b>Dr. Clemency</b>			
<b>22-04</b>	<b>01/19/2022</b>	Motion to accept approvals en masse: <b>Medical Director change</b> for Youngstown VFC from Dr. Brown to Dr. Klementowski and Barker FD from Dr. Franco to Dr. Borton <b>PAD NOI for Buffalo State College</b>	<b>Dr. Kenyon</b>	<b>Dr. Wenner</b>			
<b>22-05</b>	<b>01/19/2022</b>	Motion to Adjourn	<b>Dr. Clemency</b>				