



## Pre-Hospital Committee

# Board Room-HMCN

## Monday, November 10, 2025

### 1:30 pm

Team Members in person: Hendrick AMI Manager, Hendrick AMI Coordinator, HMCN ED Manager, HMCS ED Nurse Coordinator, Hendrick ED Educator, Hendrick Regional Service Director, HMCS ED Manager, HMCN ED Manager

Team Members in Attendance via Teams: AFD EMS Coordinator, Citizens EMS Administrator, Fisher County Hospital CNO, HMCB ED Manager, HMCB Quality/Stroke Coordinator, HMC Plaza ED Manager, HMC ED Director, HMC Clinical Educator, HMC Nurse Supervisor Manager, HMC Nurse Supervisor/Transfer Center Director, HMC Core Measures/Sepsis Coordinator, Quality RN Analyst-Sepsis, HMC Radiology Nurse Manager, HMCS Cardiology Manager, HMC Invasive Cardiology Director, Metrocare EMS Operations Manager, Metrocare EMS Educator, Mitchell County Hospital CNO, Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital, Stephens Memorial Hospital ED Manager

Item	Person Responsible	Discussion	Completed
Commitments to Excellence	AMI Coordinator	Support Teamwork-This committee works together for the care of our patients in the region.	
Minutes	AMI Coordinator	August minutes reviewed and approved after motion by Citizens EMS and 2 <sup>nd</sup> by HMCS ED Manager with correction reported by AMI Manager-add "in 2026" to the HMC Brownwood is working on Primary Stroke Center Designation.	Ongoing
Survey Updates	AMI Coordinator	Surveys this year: Hendrick Medical Center Abilene: Hospital Joint Commission survey last week.	Ongoing

Lifenet ECG	AMI Coordinator	Data was shared from Oct 2024- Oct 2025 for Lifenet ECG transmissions for both Abilene locations. EMS will still transmit through Lifenet while using Pulsara until the software is available to sync the programs.	Ongoing
Pulsara	AMI Manager	HMC AMI Manager has requested access in Pulsara to pull reports for previous months to review Stroke alert and STEMI patients. EMS staff are sending patient information such as LKN for Stroke patients in Pulsara prior to arrival at the hospital. HMC ED Director, HMC IT & HIM are helping with these reports to add the documentation to our EMR. ED managers reported that about 50% of EMS providers are using Pulsara at this time.	Ongoing
AMI Data	AMI Manager/ Coordinator	<p>South &amp; North data-Oct 2024-Sept 2025:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EMS FMC2B ≤ 90 min</li> <li>• D2B ≤ 60 min</li> <li>• D2D2B ≤ 120 min</li> </ul> <p>An updated STEMI Handoff Report Sheet was shared and will be emailed to this committee. This tool is a quick way to give bedside or phone report for STEMI patients.</p>	Ongoing
Stroke Data	AMI Manager	<p>North &amp; South data-4Q 2024-3Q 2025:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last Known Normal Documented Pre-Arrival</li> <li>• Stroke Screen Performed/Reported</li> <li>• LVO Screen Performed/Documented</li> <li>• Pre-Hospital Notification with Triage Findings</li> <li>• FMC to EVT</li> </ul> <p>The committee discussed that some of this information is documented and shared in Pulsara.</p> <p>Allowable triage findings for Pre-Hospital Notification for the stroke registry were shared: Blood Glucose, Blood Pressure, Result of Stroke Screen/Severity Score, LKW Time per EMS, Seizure Activity.</p>	Ongoing
DSHS/BCRAC	AMI Manager	The Department of State Health Services (DSHS) requires state Regional Advisory Councils to work on PI initiatives for our region. Our BCRAC has asked if the minutes from our meetings can be posted on their website to help meet this requirement & this is being reviewed. The committee discussed pre-hospital LVO screen as a possible PI project for our region.	
Trauma Data		Deferred to the next meeting. The HMC Trauma team are at a conference.	Ongoing
ESO Reports	AMI Manager	ESO has updated the outcomes report to include the Hospital ED report and Physician Discharge summary. Citizens EMS and AFD reported positive feedback on the updates to the report.	

Educational Opportunities	AMI Manager/ Coordinator	<p>1) Email HMC Clinical Educator to register for the following classes (ACLS, PALS, EKG):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ACLS Class- 11/18/25, 12/15/25, 1/23/26, 2/20/26, 3/20/26</li> <li>• PALS Class-11/14/25, 2/6/26</li> <li>• Advancing Knowledge in EKG Recognition &amp; Treatment: 12/2/25 (HMCB), 12/5/25 (Mall of Abilene), 3/4/26 (Mall of Abilene)</li> </ul> <p>2) ASLS (Advanced Stroke Life Support)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$150.00 per individual</li> <li>• Contact HMC Clinical Educator for more information</li> </ul>	Ongoing
Community Outreach	AMI Manager/ Coordinator	<p>West Texas Fair &amp; Rodeo Sr. Citizens Day-9/10/25 Business Mercado-10/11/2025 Surviving and Thriving after Stroke</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meets Jan-Oct. Anyone can attend that has been affected by stroke. They did not have to be a patient at Hendrick. A Stroke Support group has been added in Brownwood and HMC AMI Manager will add the updated information.</li> </ul>	Ongoing
Roundtable Discussion		AFD EMS Coordinator reported that Texas DSHS is working on contracts and processes for EMS administering blood products pre-hospital. AMI Manager shared that the Hendrick Sepsis team is part of this committee and may share sepsis information periodically.	Ongoing
Meeting	Scheduled	Next meeting: February 9, 2026	