BIG COUNTRY REGIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL
GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING MINUTES
10/21/2026

Roll Call: See Sign in Sheet for Attendance

A quorum was present. Meeting called to order by Russel Thomas at 10:00am

Minutes of April 15, 2026 meeting approved as posted on website on motion by Jason Gruben second by Delany Golhson, all in favor, none opposed. (No minutes from July as education Science of Trauma was held in place of the General Assembly Meeting in July)

Financial Review –

EMS RAC	$ 202,872.12
EMS County	$ 214,164.12
Tobacco	$ 75,850.40
Whole Blood	$ 133,380.76
Dues Account	$ 15,390.83

Grant Review

EMS County – EMS County Disbursements letters have been sent to compliant members via email and will be sent via mai and were handed out during the meeting. One member has already submitted invoices and proof of payment and check has been sent for reimbursement. Eligible members should submit expenditures with the proof of payment and the DSHS spreadsheet before 3/31/2027. Invoices must be dated between 9/1/2026 – 3/31/2027

EMS RAC – Funding has been received. EI funding will be reviewed and the Injury Prevention/Education committee will determine how that will be spent for the upcoming year

RAC Development – Funding has been received, Injury Prevention/Education committee will determine how that will be spent for the upcoming year.

Survey Monkey has been sent for members to recommend education for the upcoming year. The results of the survey have been emailed to the Education/Injury Prevention Committee for review and recommendations during committee meetings.

Recommendation to continue to pursue opportunities for our region to develop a CISM support group. Kellie Batangan has volunteered to chair this committee.

Recommendation to continue providing Cadaver training this year as we continue to have multiple people show interest, but the classes were full.

Recommendation to allocate $3000 to Whole Blood training and $350 per registration for the Whole Blood Summit.

Recommendation to allocate $ towards the International Stroke Conference in Houston in February

Need to budget for purchases of injury prevention and fall prevention items and replenish as needed throughout the year.

Child Safety Tags Paperhouse Karissa Strader
Whale Tags TXENA Whale - TXENA (Glass cling)
File of Life Magnets
Grabber, Socks and Nightlights
STEMI/Stroke Magnets
CO2 Monitors
DeChokers
Bike Helmets
Shoe Horns
Fire Extinguishers
Sock Pulls
Car Assist Devices

Reminder: The BCRAC has the following items available to members: Rescue Me tags, thermometers, file of life magnets, STEMI/Stroke magnets, fire extinguishers, CO monitors, night lights, grabbers, non-slip socks, child ID kits, De Chokers, bike helmets, shoe horns and car assist devices

Motion to approve the Financial and Grant Review by Marta Pagura; second by Jimmy Bryant; all in favor, none opposed.

Bylaw Review – By-law Review was presented to the membership and approved as submitted but with these two changes…Change the Whole Blood Committee to the Prehospital Transfusion Committee and add a new committee called the Critical Incident Stress Management Committee.

Motion to approve the By-Laws as presented with the two updates to the committee section by David Allman; second by Jason Gruben; all in favor, none opposed

Committee Review

STEMI – STEMI plan was reviewed by the membership.

Motion to approve the STEMI Plan by Delany Gohlson; second by Kinsi Voss; all in favor, none opposed.

Stroke – See attached minutes from Stroke Committee for recommendations to the Stroke Plan.

Motion to approve the Stroke Plan by Deni Davis; second by Aaron Maxwell; all in favor, none opposed.

Performance Improvement – Reminder to re-submit Performance Improvement if original submittals contain incorrect or incomplete data and to submit PI issues to the PI committee prior to GA meetings so that information can be reviewed and additional information requested prior to the GA meetings and PI committee meetings. PI committee is reviewing the questions regarding Stroke and STEMI and will make changes if needed.

Hospital – Discussed the upcoming PECC training with Sally Snow on Monday, 10/26/2026, Pulsara and how some hospitals are still not using Pulsara and recommended Peer Support for Hospitals

Budget/Finance – Monthly reconciliation reports are reviewed by the treasurer and the committee found no discrepancies.

Education and Injury Prevention –

Committee allocates funding as follows:

- $15,000 to Cadaver Lab training
- $5,000 to Whole Blood Summit registration
- $3,000 to Whole Blood Training
- $5,000 to CISM training
- $1,000 per member for education reimbursement (invoice and proof of payment will be needed to complete reimbursement)
- $3,000 per member from the EI funding. This can be used for operation expenses, education, training or injury prevention. The request will need to be made through the survey and will be reviewed by the committee for approval. Once approved, if the expenses are under $3000 the office will make the purchase and have the item shipped directly to the member but if more than $3,000 the member will need to complete the purchase and send in the invoice and proof of payment for reimbursement up to $3,000. Purchases can be made from 9/1/2026 – 3/31/2027
  replenish as needed throughout the year.
- Replenish the following supplies as needed throughout the year
  Child Safety Tags Paperhouse Karissa Strader
  Whale Tags TXENA Whale - TXENA (Glass cling)
  File of Life Magnets
  Grabber, Socks and Nightlights
  STEMI/Stroke Magnets
  CO2 Monitors
  DeChokers
  Bike Helmets
  Shoe Horns
  Fire Extinguishers
  Sock Pulls
  Car Assist Devices

Motion to approve the Education and Injury Prevention Budge by Marta Pagura; second by Aaron Maxwell; all in favor, none opposed.

Whole Blood – Recommendation to change the name of the committee to Pre-Hospital Transfusion Committee (already approved during by-law review). Second round of funding has been spent and awaiting delivers. The committee is working on applications and agreements between the RAC and potential EMS providers. The committee anticipates being able to distribute the equipment to the participating EMS agencies by December 2026.

Pediatric – Rac-D will be hosting the Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinators (PEEC) 10/26 at Hendrick in Aux B with Sally Snow. Need to know TODAY if you plan to attend and have not already signed up as course materials will be sent to registrants this week.
Haley Long has provided the minutes from their meeting in June of 2026 (attached)

NICU Evacuation Drill w/ Abilene Fire Department & Ambus was successful

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Open Forum

- Discussed Pulsara Intelligence - allows for voice texting in the comments and then populates related fields

- Reminder of Survey on the home page and also under Injury Prevention called Injury/Prevention Program Reporting. This should be used to report and track any IP and Education Events. Added a direct link under the Injury Prevention Tab showing what events have occurred. Complete even if it is only a singular item (bed rail, etc)

- Reminder to completed required docs and pay dues - all are available on website

- LifeNet contract ends 12/1/2026 – Hendrick will no longer be using LifeNet as of 12/1/2026.

- Medical Directors Dinner – CHANGED TO January 19, 2027 at Miguels…Save the Date Cards were handed out to everyone to take back to their Medical Directors and Invitations will be sent to all Medical Directors in the region.

- Next year's GA meetings will be back at the Shelton Building, Hendrick Hospital

- Hospitals need to scan the Tx Wristbands when a patient is received. If they are not scanning the wristbands and the patient is transferred again all data is lost

- Use all Tx Wristbands in circulation even if they do not start with TX. The RAC office only has bands with TX for future use but the old bands do not need to be discarded and can be use until gone

- Dewayne Harris was appointed to take the place of the vacant Executive Member spot. Reminder Executive Committee does not meet in November or December. Next meeting will be January 20, 2027.

- Dr. Andrew Rock (neurosurgeon) was not available to be introduced but he will be at a later time

- Virtual Car Seat Technician Class available – contract Russel the more information

Meeting adjourned at 2:37 pm on motion made by Chase Jarvis, second by Jason Gruben; all in favor, none opposed.

Respectfully submitted,
Marlee Puckett, Executive Director

General Assembly Sign In Sheet

Date

Provider	Committee	Member Name	Member Signature
Abilene Fire Department	Whole Blood	Aaron Maxwell	
Abilene Fire Department FRO	Injury Prevention and Education	Justin Roy	
Air Evac Lifeteam Abilene 63	Budget and Finance	MANTA Pfeifer	
Air Evac Lifeteam Eastland	Stroke	Ryan Beeson	
Air Evac Lifeteam Brownwood	Budget and Finance	Bobby Brinson	
Airlife 39 (Native Air)	Budget and Finance		
Anson			
Citizens	STEMI	Michael Lee	
Coleman County Medical Center	Hospital	Angela Bell	
Comanche County EMS	Injury Prevention and Education	Kimberly Santibanez	
Comanche County Medical Center	Performance Improvement	Delany Gobeo	
Cross Plains EMS	Budget and Finance	Heather Loftis	
Eastland Memorial EMS	STEMI	Nicole Hillmeier	
Eastland Memorial Hospital	Hospital	Lynn Tatom	
Eula VFD	Injury Prevention and Education	Ken Lenard	
Fisher County Hospital District EMS	Stroke	Chase Sarjo	
Fisher County Hospital	Performance Improvement	Tommy Thornton	
Hamlin EMS	Stroke	Scott Bebo	
Haskell County Ambulance Service, Inc.	Injury Prevention and Education	John Foster	
Haskell Memorial Hospital	Hospital	Meghan Shelton	
Hendrick Medical Center Brownwood	Hospital	Lindsay Hems	
Hendrick Medical Center North	Injury Prevention and Education	Brenda Herring	
Hendrick Medical Center South	STEMI	Martha Tebow	
Hendrick Erin Woller			
HV Health and Safety			
Jim Ned Volunteer Fire Department	Injury Prevention and Education	Tim Brannon	
Knox County EMS	Performance Improvement	Wm Mills	
Knox County Hospital District	Hospital	Shala Kuehler	
Lifeguard Ambulance Service - Brownwood	Performance Improvement	Kasey Mercer	
MetroCare Services, Abilene-LP	Whole Blood	James Bryant	
MITCHELL COUNTY EMS	STEMI	Jason Gruben	
Mitchell County Hospital	Hospital	Yvette Wood	
Potosi VFD	STEMI	Taryn Riden	
Ranger Fd-Ems	Budget and Finance	Darrell Fox	
Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital	Performance Improvement	Deni Davis	
Scurry County EMS	CHAIR	Russel Thomas	
Shackelford County EMS	Stroke	Kayla Herron	
Stamford EMS	Stroke	William McDonald	
Stephens Memorial Hospital	Hospital	Holly Edgar	
Stonewall Memorial EMS	Stroke	Melinda Oberg	
STONEWALL MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	Hospital	Shayne Martin	
Sweetwater Fire Department	Injury Prevention and Education	Chris Taylor	
Taylor County EMS	Whole Blood	David Allman	
Texas State Technical College	Injury Prevention and Education	Matt Briggs	
Throckmorton County EMS	STEMI	Kelley Hodges	
Throckmorton County Memorial Hospital	Injury Prevention and Education	Kristi Voss	

Stevens Memorial

Kraymer Harbold

Whole Blood Committee
(committee)

10/21/2026
(date)

Old Business:
Have been to last two HMC transfusion committee meetings. They continue to work with their legal dept to draft rotation program agreements. Also working to increase whole blood utilization.

Equipment is being purchased + received in phases as DSHS reimbursements become available. Working to get provider applications sent out to those agencies that indicated they would like to participate in the program

New Business:
Asset tags + training consumables needed.
Working on Applications + agreements between BAC + potential EMS providers
Anticipate we will continue to Attend HMC transfusion Meetings
Anticipate being able to push equipment to providers December 2026.
Could be Q1 2027 before rotation program w/ Hendrick achieved. Will visit w/ program participants about possibility of using blood products (PRBCs + Plasma) if continued delays in receiving whole blood rotations.

Comments:
Recommendation to rename this Committee to Prehospital Transfusion Committee to better align w/ other BAC practices throughout the State.

Members in attendance:

Name:	Organization:
David Allman	Taylor Co. EMS
Tarm Aspell	Abilene Fire
James Bryant	Jane Buys

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Budget & Finance — 10-21-24
(committee) (date)

Old Business:

New Business:

Monthly books reviewed, no issues found.

Comments:

Members in attendance:

Name	Organization:
Martha Pagliuca	Air Evac Lifeteam
Darrell Fox	Ranger FD - EMS
Bobby Brown	Air Evac Brownwood
Deldny Golson	Cross Plains EMS

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Hospital
(committee)

10/21/2026
(date)

Old Business:
PECC closed on Monday
Pulaski County hospitals not receiving it

New Business:

Comments:
Peer support chapter for Hosp

Members in attendance:

Name:	Organization:
Sheila Knuckles	Knox County Hospital
Yvette Woods	Mitchell County Hospital
[illegible]	Stonewall Memorial Hospital
Dwayne Harris	Haskell Medical Center Brownwood
Angela Bell	Coleman County Med Center
Hedgar	Stephens Memorial Hospital
Cyber Shelter	Haskell Memorial Hospital

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Stroke Committee
(committee)

10/21/26
(date)

Old Business:
Education for region

New Business:
Updated stroke plan - Martee will update document and email out. Need to update page 12 to new transfer algorithm ASAP
PI reviewed. Two transfers out of region w/ patient request as reason

Recommend RAC offering stroke coordinators registration fee for ISC 2027 in Houston
ASLS and ENLS - recommend continuing to offer in 2027

Comments:
RAC D approved October 21, 2026 (Stroke Plan Updates)

Members in attendance:

Name:	Organization:
Ryan Beeson	Air Evac 115
Kayla Herron	Shackelford County EMS
Mylinda Olsin	Stonewall Hospital EMS
Chase Jarvis	Fisher County Hospital EMS
Scott Boles	Hamlin EMS
Kahan Hallowell	Stamford EMS
Martee Tolar	Hendrick Medical Center
Emily Hernandez	Hendrick Medical Center

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Injury Prevention & Education (committee)

10/21/2026 (date)

Old Business: Discussed educational opportunities

New Business:
ET funding - $3,000 per member
Cadaver lab - $15,000
Whole blood summit - $350 registration ($5,000 allotted)
Whole blood training - $3,000
CISM - $5,000
Education reimbursement - $1,000/member
Allow Markee to purchase injury prevention & fall prevention items & replenish as needed throughout the year.

Comments:

Members in attendance:

Name:	Organization:
Kinsi Voss	Throckmorton County Memorial Hospital
Lynn Tatum	Eula VFD
Chris Taylor	Sweetwater FD
John Foster	Haskell County EMS
Kyle Draper	Eula VFD
Clint Davis	Comanche County EMS
Justin Ray	Abilene FD FBO
Brenna Henman	HMC North Trauma Services
Tim Brannon	Jim Ned VFD

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Performance Improvement (committee) 10-21-26 (date)

Old Business:
Issue of HMC submitting correct Trauma PI numbers seems to have been resolved.

New Business:
- Quarterly report reviewed. NO PI Review cases were submitted for the quarter.
- Quarterly report given to Marlee & Russell for GETAC reporting # to Stroke & STEMI committees for review. Survey questions need to be revised to capture more accurate data, esp. for Stroke & STEMI.
- There was discussion about a possible PI case. Info will be compiled & discussion/review will be done via email between committee members if needed

Comments:
The PI Committee has two new members: Kagan Mercer with Lifeguard Ambulance Service-Brownwood & Kimberly Santibanez with Comanche County Med. Center.

Members in attendance:

Name:	Organization:
Deni Davis	RPMH
~~Tammy Hamilton~~	~~Fisher Co Hospital~~
Kagan Mercer	Lifeguard Ambulance Brownwood
Kimberly Santibanez	Comanche County Medical Center
Mark Bunnell	Hendrick Medical Center
Ivan Murillo	Knox County EMS

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RAC-D - HOSPITAL QUARTERLY REPORT

QUARTER REPORTING ☐ DEC, JAN, FEB ☐ MAR, APR, MAY ☐ JUN, JUL, AUG ☐ SEP, OCT, NOV

NUMBER OF TRAUMA PATIENTS SEDATED IN THE FIELD WITH MOI CONDUCIVE FOR HEAD INJURY: 0

TOTAL NUMBER OF DIVERSION OCCURRENCES FOR RAC-D FACILITIES THIS QUARTER: 15

TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS ON DIVERSION FOR RAC-D FACILITIES THIS QUARTER: 71.25

NUMBER OF SEVERE TRAUMA PATIENTS TRANSFERRED TO HOSPITALS OUTSIDE OF RAC-D THIS QUARTER: 71

WHY WERE THE PATIENTS TRANSFERRED OUT OF RAC-D: SPECIALTY UNAVAILABLE, BED AVAILABILITY, PATIENT REQUEST, HIGHER LEVEL OF TRAUMA CARE NEEDED

NUMBER OF TRAUMA PATIENTS WITH ISS OF 9 OR LESS TRANSFERRED FOR HLOC > 2 HOURS AFTER ARRIVAL: 63

NUMBER OF SEVERE TRAUMA PATIENTS PENETRATING INJURY AND ISS OF 10 OR HIGHER: 7

NUMBER OF SEVERE PENETRATING TRAUMA PATIENTS W/ ISS 10 OR HIGHER WITH TRANSFER LOS > 2 HOURS: 1

NUMBER OF SEVERE TRAUMA PATIENTS WITH BLUNT TRAUMA AND ISS OF 10 OR HIGHER: 57

NUMBER OF SEVERE BLUNT TRAUMA PATIENTS WITH ISS 10 OR HIGHER WITH TRANSFER LOS > 2 HOURS: 10

NUMBER OF SEVERE TRAUMA PATIENTS W/ SECOND- OR THIRD-DEGREE BURNS THAT REQUIRED TRANSFER: 3

NUMBER OF SEVERE TRAUMA PATIENTS WITH SECOND- OR THIRD-DEGREE BURNS WITH LOS > 2 HRS: 0

NUMBER OF TRANSFER DELAYS DUE TO EMS TRANSPORTATION: 40

NUMBER OF TRANSFER DELAYS DUE TO BED AVAILABILITY: 1

OTHER REASONS FOR TRANSFER DELAYS: AWAITING AIR TRANSPORT, PATIENT CARE/STABILIZATION, DELAYED ACCEPTANCE, AWAITING RESULTS

NUMBER OF TRAUMA-RELATED PEDIATRIC ACTIVATIONS: 20

NUMBER OF TRAUMA TRANSFER DENIALS: 3

NUMBER OF TRAUMA TRANSFER DENIALS DUE TO BED AVAILABILITY: 2

NUMBER OF TRAUMA TRANSFER DENIALS DUE TO SPECIALTY UNAVAILABLE: 0

OTHER REASONS FOR TRAUMA TRANSFER DENIAL: HMC ON CT DIVERT

NUMBER OF TRAUMA TRANSFERS FROM RAC-D FACILITIES WHOSE ACCEPTANCE TIME > 30 MINUTES: 0

NUMBER OF NON-ICU TRAUMA ADMITS THIS QUARTER: 292

NUMBER OF ICU TRAUMA ADMITS THIS QUARTER: 60

NUMBER OF TRAUMA ADMISSIONS WITH ISS >9 THIS QUARTER: 60

NUMBER OF TRAUMA-RELATED DEATHS WITH OPPORTUNITY FOR IMPROVEMENT: 0

NUMBER OF TRAUMA-RELATED DEATHS WITHOUT OPPORTUNITY FOR IMPROVEMENT: 2

NUMBER OF TRAUMA PATIENTS ADMITTED FROM THE ER DIRECTLY TO THE OR THIS QUARTER: 52

HOW MANY STROKE TRANSFER WERE SENT TO RAC-D HOSPITALS?

RAC-D - HOSPITAL QUARTERLY REPORT

HOW MANY STROKE TRANSFERS WERE SENT TO HOSPITALS OUTSIDE RAC-D? 2

REASONS FOR STROKE TRANSFERS OUTSIDE OF RAC-D: PATIENT REQUEST

NUMBER OF STROKE PATIENTS THAT WERE GIVEN THROMBOLYTIC PRIOR TO TRANSFER: 0

HOW MANY STEMI TRANSFERS WERE SENT TO RAC-D HOSPITALS?

HOW MANY STEMI TRANSFERS WERE SENT TO HOSPITALS OUTSIDE RAC-D? 0

REASONS FOR STEMI TRANSFERS OUTSIDE OF RAC-D:

NUMBER OF STEMI PATIENTS THAT WERE GIVEN THROMBOLYTIC PRIOR TO TRANSFER: 2

SPECIFIC OCCURENCES: NONE SUBMITTED

RAC-D - EMS QUARTERLY REPORT

QUARTER REPORTING: ☐ DEC, JAN, FEB ☐ MAR, APR, MAY ☐ JUN, JUL, AUG ☐ SEP, OCT, NOV

NUMBER OF TRAUMA PATIENTS SEDATED IN THE FIELD - 7

EXPLANATION OF WHY SEDATION WAS NEEDED – RESPIRATORY FAILURE, HEAD INJURY, AIRWAY MANAGEMENT, DSI SEDATION

NUMBER OF TIMES SCENE TIME ≥ 20 MINUTES – 138

REASONS FOR SCENE TIME >20 MINUTES – AWAITING AIR TRANSPORT, INITIAL PATIENT REFUSAL, EXTRICATION, PATIENT TREATMENT/STABLIZATION, ACCESS TO PATIENT, MULTIPLE PATIENTS/TRIAGE, WEATHER, TRAFFIC

DISPATCH TIME TO SCENE TIME > 30 MINUTES –

REASONS FOR DISPATCH TO SCENE TIME > 30 MINUTES –

NUMBER OF TRAUMA RELATED PEDIATRIC ACTIVATIONS – 1

NUMBER OF "MAJOR TRAUMA" PATIENTS TRANSFERRED OUTSIDE OF RAC-D – 3

REASONS FOR TRANSFER OUT OF RAC-D – HIGHER LEVEL OF TRAUMA CENTER NEEDED

NUMBER OF TRAUMA-RELATED PTS PRONOUNCED DEAD AT SCENE W/O OPPORTUNITY FOR IMPROVEMENT – 5

NUMBER OF TRAUMA DEATHS WITH OPPORTUNITY FOR IMPROVEMENT – 0

NUMBER OF TIMES AIR MEDICAL REQUESTED FOR TRAUMA PATIENT BUT UNABLE TO RESPOND – 5

REASONS AIR MEDICAL UNABLE TO RESPOND TO TRAUMA PATIENT – WEATHER, AIR TRANSPORT NOT NEEDED

NUMBER OF TIMES AIR MEDICAL REQUESTED BUT UNABLE TO RESPOND TO A STROKE PATIENT – N/A

REASONS AIR MEDICAL UNABLE TO RESPOND TO A STROKE PATIENT– N/A

NUMBER OF TIMES AIR MEDICAL REQUESTED BUT UNABLE TO RESPOND TO A STEMI PATIENT – N/A

REASONS AIR MEDICAL UNABLE TO RESPOND TO A STEMI PATIENT – N/A

HOW MANY STROKE PATIENTS WERE TRANSPORTED BY EMS TO A RAC-D HOSPITAL FROM THE SCENE –

NUMBER OF STROKE PATIENTS TRANSPORTED OUTSIDE RAC-D FROM SCENE -

REASONS STROKE PATIENT WAS TAKEN STRAIGHT TO A HOSPITAL OUTSIDE RAC-D – N/A

HOW MANY STEMI PATIENTS WERE TRANSPORTED BY EMS TO A RAC-D HOSPITAL FROM THE SCENE – 128

NUMBER OF STEMI PATIENTS TRANSPORTED OUTSIDE RAC-D FROM SCENE – N/A

REASONS STEMI PATIENT WAS TAKEN STRAIGHT TO A HOSPITAL OUTSIDE RAC-D – N/A

SPECIFIC OCCURENCES: NONE SUBMITTED

RAC-D - AIR MED QUARTERLY REPORT

QUARTER REPORTING: ☐ DEC, JAN, FEB ☐ MAR, APR, MAY ☐ JUN, JUL, AUG ☐ SEP, OCT, NOV

NUMBER OF OCCURENCES WITH SCENE TIME > 20 MINUTES – 4

REASONS FOR SCENE TIME > 20 MINUTES – EXTRICATION, AIRWAY MANAGEMENT

NUMBER OF OCCURENCES WITH DISPATCH TO SCENE TIME > 30 MINUTES – 2

REASONS FOR DISPATCH TO SCENE TIME > 30 MINUTES – DISTANCE TO SCENE

NUMBER OF OCCURENCES WITH LIFT OFF TIME > 10 MINUTES FROM MISSION ACCEPTANCE – 6

REASONS FOR LIFT OFF TIME > 10 MINUTES – CENTRAL COMM CENTER CLEARANCE, STAND-BY

NUMBER OF MISSED FLIGHTS – 81

REASONS FOR MISSED FLIGHTS – WEATHER, AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE, CREW NOT AVAILABLE

REASONS FOR TRAUMA PATIENT TRANSPORT OUTSIDE RAC-D – N/A

NUMBER OF STROKE PATIENTS TRANSPORTED TO A RAC-D FACILITY FROM SCENE – 6

NUMBER OF STROKE PATIENTS TRANSPORTED OUTSIDE RAC-D FROM SCENE – N/A

REASONS FOR STROKE PATIENT TRANSPORT OUTSIDE RAC-D – N/A

NUMBER OF STEMI PATIENTS TRANSPORTED TO A RAC-D FACILITY FROM SCENE – 4

NUMBER OF STEMI PATIENTS TRANSPORTED OUTSIDE RAC-D FROM SCENE - 0

REASONS FOR STEMI PATIENT TRANSPORT OUTSIDE RAC-D – N/A

SPECIFIC OCCURENCES: NONE SUBMITTED

Stemi
(committee)

10-21-26
(date)

Old Business: Talked and Discussed about Changin Thing So Hospital AND EMS to understand. easier.

New Business: Talked about the Stemi Data for PI. For EMS + Hospital.
Approved of Stemi Plan.

Comments:

Members in attendance:

Name:	Organization:
Jason Gruber	Mitchell Co. EMS
Kelley Hodges	Throckmorton Co EMS
Linda Moffatt	Hendrick Medical Center
Kramer Harrold	Stephens Memorial Hospital
Taryn Biden	Potosi VFD
Michael Leedy	Life Citizens EMS
Heather Loftis	EMH EMS (Eastland)

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Ed Kramer			
Kelly Hodges			

Pediatric Old Business:

- HMC-S and HMC-N Women and Children's Services consolidation complete June 2026
- Education offered by HMC-N
    - NRP
    - STABLE
    - Intermediate and Fetal Monitoring Courses
- TCHMB Lactation and Safe Sleep Opportunities in Texas (LASSO-TX)
    - HMC-N, HMC-B, and RPMH are participating in the LASSO-TX Project
    - The goal of the LASSO-TX Project is to develop a TCHMB-led quality improvement (QI) initiative focused on improving breastfeeding and use of mother's own milk for Texas infants, along with promotion of safe infant sleep best practices
- OB Sepsis
    - HMC working on sepsis protocols

Pediatric New Business:

- CME presentations offered by Richard Deulofeut, MD
    - Newborn Abdominal Emergencies and Obstructions
    - Five Key Areas Where Ethical Dilemmas Arise in Newborn Care
- Continued Educational offerings at HMC
    - NRP & Stable
    - Specific requests welcomed
- HMC-N implemented a Milk Drop Program in October 2025, and are seeing a decreased overall length of stay for infants in the NICU, and an overall increase in infants feeding breastmilk at discharge