

**DRAFT** MINUTES  
CONNECTICUT EMS MEDICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CEMSMAC)  
AND  
EMS CLINICAL COORDINATORS

Location: CHA, 110 Barnes Rd, Wallingford, CT

December 10, 2015

Member Attendees: Kyle McClaine, Richard Kamin, William Begg, Doug Gallo, Jim Castellone (phone) , James Parker, David Cone

OEMS Staff: John Spencer, Richard Kamin

Guests: Joe Larcheveque, Kevin Burns, David Bailey, Paul Rabeuf, Mark Cicero, Gary Herbert, Patricia Palaia, Peter Canning, Fred Rosa

Chaired By: Richard Kamin, M.D., Kyle McClaine, M.D.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Meeting called to order at 10:00 am	The minutes of the November 2015 CEMSMAC meeting were reviewed.	Motion to accept as submitted made by Dr. Cone and second by Dr. Gallo – unanimous approval.

DPH/OEMS Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EMS training coordinator position posted</li> <li>• EMS director position expected to follow soon</li> </ul>	
Regional MAC Reports (regional reps)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Tabled due to time restraints</b></li> </ul>	
Needed Revisions to State Minimum Equipment List (Group)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discussion, vote and final list will be completed by March 2016 Please send comments for consideration to Dr. McClaine (<a href="mailto:kyle.mcclaine@hhchealth.org">kyle.mcclaine@hhchealth.org</a>)</li> </ul>
Statewide Unified Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Majority of meeting spent reviewing comments on Draft Statewide EMS Protocols</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Review to continue in January</li> </ul>
Potential Role of Medication Pumps in Statewide Protocols (Cone)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Required in other states. Not currently required in our proposed State Guidelines. All other New England states mandate. Discussion as to literature support for necessity given cost.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will continue to discuss at next months meeting, along with rest of State Protocols</li> </ul>

Potential Region V BLS Albuterol Pilot	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Desire from Sharon Hospital to address a perceived need due to lack of ALS providers</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supported by Sharon Medical Director (Santos).</li> <li>• Supported by Regional MAC</li> <li>• Discussion at CEMSMAC and request for additional information</li> <li>• Discussion to continue</li> </ul>
Adjourned	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• January CEMSMAC meeting conflicts with National Association of EMS Physicians Meeting – discussion electronically regarding potential to reschedule</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date and location of January meeting to be decided on pending availability and distributed.</li> </ul>

Respectfully submitted: Richard Kamin MD, Kyle McClaine MD