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**LOUISIANA BUREAU OF EMS TASKFORCE
AGENDA**

Meeting Date:
January 12, 2021
Bureau of EMS
7273 Florida Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70806
1:00pm

Item	Presenter	Action taken	Responsible Party
I. Welcome and Introduction Pledge of Allegiance Attendance	Kirk Lacour, Chair Susan Bailey	Members - Jeffery Anderson - Justin Arnone - Dr. Avery Callahan - Jacob Colbert - Dr. Angela Cornelius - Kirk Coussan - Rob Daughdril - Dr. Jeff Elder - Carl Flores - Maylyn Geissler - Aaron Johnson - Kirk Lacour - Brian Lindberg - Marco Macera - Chad Major - Daniel McDonnell - Richard McGuire - Dr. Andre Mouledoux - Donna Newchurch - Brian Regan - Evon Smith - Jessica Trichel - Wendi Worsham State Partners: - Butch Browning - Dr. Joe Canter - Gail Gibson - Paige Hargrove - Myra Lowe	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Amanda Perry - Traci Travis - Jessica Vallelungo BEMS Staff: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Susan Bailey - Stacy Barbay - John Cavell - Katherine Robillard - Lisa MacDonald - Douglas Champlin Guest(s) present:	
II. Review and submit for approval the EMS Task Force Minutes from October 13, 2020	Kirk Lacour		
III. Public Comment			
IV. Bureau of EMS Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. State of the Bureau Report b. Licensing Report c. EMS Certification Commission Report d. Emergency Response/Preparedness Report e. Compliance Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Examination - Ambulance Standards 	Susan Bailey Katherine Robillard Stacy Barbay Jeff Elder Susan Bailey Doug Champlin		

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> f. Education Report g. 911 Communications Report 	<p>John Cavell</p> <p>Lisa MacDonald</p>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> V. State Partner Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Office of Public Health b. Office of the State Fire Marshal c. Louisiana Emergency Response Network d. EMS for Children e. Department of Education 	<p>Myra Lowe</p> <p>Butch Browning Traci Travis</p> <p>Paige Hargrove</p> <p>Amanda Perry</p> <p>Jessica Vallelungo</p>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> VI. Stakeholder Reports <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. CAAHEP/CoAEMSP b. Louisiana Ambulance Alliance c. American College of Emergency Physicians d. Louisiana Association of Nationally Registered EMTs e. Louisiana Professional Firefighters Association f. Fireman's Association 	<p>Kirk Lacour</p> <p>Donna Newchurch</p> <p>Dr. Angela Cornelius</p> <p>Evon Smith</p> <p>Chad Majors</p> <p>Brian Lindberg</p>		

<p>g. APCO/NENA</p> <p>h. NAEMSP Louisiana Chapter</p> <p>i. Other</p>	<p>Richard McGuire</p> <p>Dr. Avery Callahan</p>		
<p>VII. Sub-Committee Report</p> <p>a. Clinical Care SubCommittee</p> <p>b. Education SubCommittee</p> <p>c. Military Relations SubCommittee</p> <p>d. Legislative SubCommittee</p> <p>f. Workforce SubCommittee</p> <p>g. Term Limits SubCommittee</p>	<p>Dr. Angela Cornelius</p> <p>Jeff Anderson</p> <p>Justin Arnone</p> <p>Kirk Lacour Dr. Angela Cornelius</p> <p>Evon Smith Wendi Worsham</p> <p>Jeff Anderson</p>	<p>Comments on the Airway Management Document</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regulation of Practitioners who are treating patients but not working for a transporting agency. • Communicating with insurance commission to explore the possibility of reducing vehicle insurance so that younger Practitioners can be hired. • Obtaining a driving simulator grant. • Information included in the procedural rule draft. 	
<p>VIII. Old Business</p> <p>a. EMS Certification Commission</p> <p>b. Ambulance Standards</p>	<p>Susan Bailey Stacy Barbay Dr. Elder</p> <p>Susan Bailey</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ACOS appointment - no action • Being processed by OPH - no responses have been 	

<p>Administrative Rule</p> <p>c. NREMT Requirements for recertification and license renewal</p> <p>d. AED Administrative Rule</p> <p>e. COMPACT Administrative Rule</p>	<p>Evon Smith</p> <p>Susan Bailey</p> <p>Susan Bailey</p>	<p>received yet.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evon Smith suggested that there be a discussion about the value of keeping the NREMT requirements for recertification. • Scheduled for publication in February. • Being processed by OPH 	
<p>IX. New Business</p> <p>a. Next year's meeting dates</p>			
<p>X. Adjourn</p> <p>Next meeting: April 13, 2021</p> <p>Bureau of EMS</p> <p>7273 Florida Blvd.</p> <p>Baton Rouge, LA 70806</p>			