

Education Committee Meeting

Committee Members in Attendance:

Erica Littlewood, Ski Patrol
Doug Krussow, BP
Mitch Nolze, SWFA
Mike Hilley, EMS Manager
Kris Jorgensen, NWFRS
Duncan McLane, WCFD 11
Dr. Marv Wayne, MPD

Dr. Emily Junck, BPD
Scott Ryckman, BPD
Jared Wilhite, Border Patrol
Tony Melillo, SWFA
Jerry DeBruin, WCFD 14
Ben Boyko, WCFD 7

CALL TO ORDER: Jerry DeBruin called the regularly scheduled Education Committee meeting to order at 1:30 pm.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: October 2019 minutes, stand as written

REPORTS:

North Region:

There was a conference call to approve the North Region Grant Applications. WCEMSTCC was awarded \$5000.00 towards the purchase of 4 manikins. The committee will ask the general council to fund the extra \$5000.

Training Officers Report:

Whatcom County recruit academy is about finished.
Everson is signing with rescue hub.

CQI:

The CQI committee needs a secretary.
The next meeting will be on Jan 9, 2020.

TAB:

Send conversation to EOB regarding funding for 6 gurneys for ALS rigs.
Moving forward with Rescue Hub
Training officer position: HR is finalizing the job description and salary range.

A suggestion was made to open the Paramedic graduations to the public.
2020 classes are getting set up.

Levy planning group was announced on Dec 4th
There has been good feedback on the Community medics.
Community paramedic RCW's are almost finalized
There are proposed rule changes for SEI's and BLS evaluators

Becky has money for Stop the Bleed kits. More instructors are needed.
Suggestion was to start at the schools - get teachers to take the class to become instructors.

Snohomish county EMS has an Alternate Destination program.

Hospital:

In the next month or two "code sepsis", mostly for ALS calls, will be worked on.
Hospital will send out information once it is finalized.

New Stroke protocol is working well.

Old Business:

Received approval from the state for Whatcom County OTEP plan.
1st quarter plan: OB/GYN Mid Jan 2020
Ben and Scott will be writing up a skills packet to send out to each department.
Will use the states skill sheet.
Keep to minimum first quarter.
Rescue hub-county ems platform

Albuterol for BLS – permissive with training. Agencies will need to have record of training.
It was suggested to make a video for training.

New Business: none

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A survivor reunion was held.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 3:20pm