
PROTOCOLS, MEDICATIONS & DEVICES (PMD)
STANDING COMMITTEE

Date: July 17, 2014 - **Time:** 12:00 P.M.

Location: 150 N. 18th Ave., Conference Room 540A

Meeting Minutes

I. Call to Order – Toni Gross, MD, Chair, called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM

II. Roll Call – (12 Members, 7 required for quorum). A quorum was present.

Members Present

Charlie Smith
Gail Bradley, MD
Garth Gemar, MD
Jason Johnson, MD
Josh Gaither, MD*
Michael Pfleger, MD*
Robert Jarvis
Terence Mason
Toni Gross, MD

Members Absent

Bruce Toliver
Sue Kern
Terry Shine

*Indicates teleconference

III. Chairman’s Report – Toni Gross, MD

a. Attendance report

IV. Bureau Report – Noreen Adlin

a. Rules update

V. Discussion and Action Items

- a. Discuss, amend, approve PMD minutes of March 20, 2014. Charlie Smith made the motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Jason Johnson, MD. A friendly amendment to change the date of the minutes was approved. **Motion carries.**
- b. Discuss and approve the revised Over the Counter Medications guidance document – Josh Gaither, MD. This item has been **tabled** until the next meeting the workgroup reviews it.
- c. Discuss, amend, approve adding the new Spinal Motion Restriction Protocols to the TTTG – Gail Bradley, MD. Charlie Smith made the motion to approve the protocol to be added to the TTTG, seconded by Robert Jarvis. **Motion carries.**
- d. Discuss, amend, approve the revised Adult Adrenal Insufficiency TTTG – Toni Gross. Charlie Smith made the motion to approve the protocol to be added to the TTTG, seconded by Gail Bradley, MD. **Motion carries.**
- e. Discuss, amend, approve the revised Pediatric Shock Including Hydrocortisone sodium succinate TTTG – Toni Gross. Charlie Smith made the motion to approve the protocol to be added to the TTTG, seconded by Garth Gemar, MD. **Motion carries.**
- f. Discuss and approve changes to Tables 5.1–and 5.2 to allow EMTs to administer Naloxone as an STR agent, consistent with local medical director approval. This item was **tabled**. Charlie Smith, Gail Bradley, MD, Garth Gemar, MD and Terry Mason will review as a small workgroup.

- g. Discuss and approve changing Glucagon to an optional agent in Table 5.2. This item was **tabled**.
 - h. Discuss, amend, approve drug profile for Propofol. This item was **tabled**.
 - i. Discuss, amend, approve drug profile for Insulin. This item was **tabled**.
 - j. Approve drug profile for Norepinephrine. This item was **tabled**.
 - k. Approve Dobutamine for addition to R9-25-502 Table 5.4 and drug profile- for the level of Paramedic. This item was **tabled**.
 - l. Drug Diversion Prevention Best Practices Document for EMS/Medical Direction – Garth Gemar, MD. This item was **tabled**.
 - m. Education Curricula for the New Pain Management protocol – Charlie Smith. This item was **tabled**. Charlie Smith will discuss with Doug Crunk.
 - n. Prehospital Guideline for External Hemorrhage for the TTTG – Jeff Salomone discussed this item after item V.e. was discussed.
 - o. Hydrocortisone sodium succinate drug profile – Toni Gross. This item was **tabled**.
 - p. Reconsider the Quick clot drug profile – Brian Smith. This item was **tabled**.
- VI. Agenda Items for Next Meeting
- a. Josh Gaither, MD, to discuss tranexamic acid (TXA) for use to control hemorrhage in the trauma patient.
 - b. Discuss and approve changes to Tables 5.1 and 5.2 to allow EMTs to administer Naloxone as an STR agent, consistent with local medical director approval.
 - c. Discuss and approve changing Glucagon to an optional agent in Table 5.2.
 - d. Discuss, amend, approve drug profile for Propofol.
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 - g. Approve Dobutamine for addition to R9-25-502 Table 5.4 and drug profile- for the level of Paramedic.
 - h. Drug Diversion Prevention Best Practices Document for EMS/Medical Direction – Garth Gemar, MD.
 - i. Education Curricula for the New Pain Management protocol – Charlie Smith.
 - j. Hydrocortisone sodium succinate drug profile – Toni Gross.
 - k. Reconsider the Quick clot drug profile – Brian Smith
- VI. Call to the Public: John Gallagher, MD, requested that the absences of Terry Shine be reviewed.
- VII. Summary of Current Events
- a. Southwest Regional Trauma Conference, July 31-August 2, 2014 – JW Marriott Tucson Starr Pass Resort, Tucson, AZ
 - b. AZTrACC, November 13-14, 2014 – Talking Stick Resort, Scottsdale, AZ
- VIII. Next Meeting: November 20, 2014, 12:00 PM at 150 N. 18th Avenue, Room 215A & 215B
- IX. Adjournment – the meeting adjourned at 1:37 PM

Minutes approved by PMD
Date: 11-20-2014