

Perinatal Care Region
Date: Wednesday, March 08, 2017
Members in Attendance (Present: X)

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X	Patricia Carr/DCH	X	Christopher Joyal/DCH	X	Dr. Miguel DeLeon/DCH		Hilary Watt/CBRAC TSA-U
X	Lisa Benavides/CCMC		Elizabeth Curran/BAMC	X	Jeremy Goodman/DCH		E. Anne Jones/Spohn South
X	Heidi Cantrell/Spohn Kleberg		Lenora Sevcik/Spohn South		Ruth Rowe/Spohn Beeville		Dolly Dickson/Spohn Alice
X	Gracie Brundidge/DCH	X	Jaclyn Guerra-Muñoz/DCH	X	Cathy Montgomery/DCH	X	Trey Stice/DCH
X	Liberty King/CCMC	X	Laurie Graham/Spohn South	X	Chris Mitchell/Spohn South	X	Wendy Komo/Spohn Kleberg

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Topic	Discussion	Actions Planned	Required Action/Date	Responsible Person
Minutes	Minutes were approved as distributed by Patricia Carr and seconded by Jeremy Goodman.			
RAC Luncheon – Feedback	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Everyone felt it was very beneficial and helpful. Question was asked if examples could be given out in regards to level of care (Program Plan) rather than purchasing a book estimated to cost \$500. 			
Levels of Designation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trish let the group know that they have 2 choices when choosing a surveyor (1) American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) & (2) Texas EMS Trauma & Acute Care Foundation (TETAF); Driscoll was surveyed through the AAP. Trish mentioned that she is a surveyor for AAP and that the 2 surveyors are different in that AAP chart audits in real time, whereas the state will ask for their charts ahead of time. Kristin and Debbie will be doing their surveys soon and they would be the best contact if using TETAF. Liberty King (CCMC) mentioned they would be using TETAF and their survey is scheduled to be in August. Laurie Graham (Spohn South) mentioned they would be using AAP and their survey is scheduled for Oct/Nov. DCH coordinated their own mock surveys and can help with others to coordinate their own mock surveys. 			

Quality Initiatives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gracie talked about the education fair that DCH had prior to the survey to educate the staff on methods/process of all the different disciplines. • Dr. Deleon said that if you have data related to the quality improvement projects you want to share it is important to highlight that information. • Chris talked about starting a NICU Quality Coordinating Council to continue discussions after survey. • As a Perinatal Care Region we have to have quality initiatives; as a group we can work on level 1, 2, and 3 nurseries for “How to Transport”. 			
Transport Guidelines & Breast Milk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As a RAC we will work on transport guidelines and breast milk. • One thing to note in regards to transport is that the surveyors (2 Neonatologists) wanted to see how transport competencies where specific to the neonatal population but active in the transport environment. • Discussion around making documentation about incoming transfers that are not yet considered the receiving hospitals baby. 			

Tuesday, June 13, 2017, 12:00pm, DCH Administrative Conference Room

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Carr
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