



**EMS for Children Advisory Committee Meeting  
 July 23, 2020  
 DHEC (Virtual)  
 Columbia, SC 29201**

| Topic  | Discussion  | Recommendations/Actions   |
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| Welcome  | Dr. Kevin Polley opened the meeting.  | None  |
| Freedom of Information Act                         | Mrs. Connie Thompson read the Freedom of Information Act.   | None  |
| Approval of Meeting Minutes                        | Dr. Kevin Polley approved the minutes.  | None  |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> Annual Pediatric Trauma Symposium | Mike Walls said the 11 <sup>th</sup> Annual Peds Trauma Symposium is scheduled for March 5, 2021. There will be in-person limit of fifty people and registration will be free. He said there will also be virtual options available in each of the regions. All presentations will be recorded for additional virtual learning opportunities. | More information will be sent out about the symposium as details are finalized. |

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| TASC Pediatric Trauma Sub-committee   | Mrs. Laura Strickland said that the TASC meetings have been canceled for the last several months. The sub-committee will continue to meet virtually in the future.  | None  |
| SC Critical Care Protocols Update   | Mrs. Jessica Schmittle said the working group for the critical care paramedic protocols and training are planning to meet bi-weekly to draft training standards and criteria. James Leitner is the Chairperson of the working group. She said they will present their work and ask for feedback at the October 2020 EMSC meeting.   | Any questions or concerns on the critical care protocols can be sent to Jessica or Karen. |
| DHEC Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• EMS Regulation Revision</li> <li>• COVID19 Response</li> </ul>  | Mr. Rob Wronski was unavailable   | None  |
| EMSC Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pediatric Ready ED &amp; EMS</li> <li>• NASEMSO PEC Council</li> <li>• Pediatric Sepsis Protocol</li> <li>• EMS PECC</li> </ul> | Mrs. Karen Moore said the last two Pediatric Ready ED meetings were canceled. Peds Ready EMS is ready to go and will begin accepting applications in the fall.<br><br>Mrs. Moore said she was nominated for Vice-Chair of the NASEMSO Pediatric Council. Elections will take place at the end of August.<br><br>Mrs. Moore said she is working with the EMS Stroke, Stemi and Sepsis Coordinator on upcoming pediatric sepsis projects. She | None  |

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|                 | <p>said they are gathering information from other states and will have more to present at the October EMSC meeting.</p> <p>Mrs. Moore said that all Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinators (PECC) recognized in Continuum will be receiving paperwork and pediatric training materials in the next couple of months. She encouraged anyone who is passionate about pediatrics at their EMS agencies to contact her about becoming a PECC</p> |      |
| Open Discussion | No discussion was held.   | None |
| Adjourn         | <p>Dr. Polley adjourned the meeting</p> <p>The next meeting will be held October 21, 2020.</p>  | None |