

MIDWEST *Trauma!* SOCIETY

Meeting Minutes

July 1, 2010

Attendance:

Liberty	B. Hunter, C. Wells	KU	T. Rogers, S. Beeson
Truman	T. Lienhop	St. Lukes	D. Mack
NKC	L. Davis	CJC	C. McClain
LFE	S. Dean		
CMH	N. Felich, J. Miller, D. Seastrom		
Stormont Vail	S. Harrison		

Approval of Minutes: D. Seastrom, C. Davis

Treasurer's Report:

CD1: \$11,729.36	CD2: \$11,531.89
Savings: \$ 5,015.64	Checking: \$ 10,822.92

Pay pal is difficult to navigate.

There are several un-cashed checks from the symposium. Speaker contacts to check with speakers that have not cashed them and ask for reissue if necessary.

Computer – The Computer is an old version that is slow and out of date for new software. J. Miller moved to replace the computer and purchase a printer. L. Davis 2nd the motion, so approved by committee. C. Wells and B. Hunter will purchase.

Committee Reports:

- Injury Prevention
 - The texting seatbelt laws passed in Kansas. In effect July 1, 2010.
 - The injury prevention sub-committee to meet following the Symposium meeting today.
 - SAFE stand for Seatbelts Are Fore Everyone. It is a program to encourage all students to wear seat belts and to teach that seat belts

can save lives. There has been a 7-8% increase in seatbelt usage by students at the 3 schools in Kansas that participated.

- MARCER – Cancelled
- SAC – Cancelled. Telephone conferences revolving around a Missouri field triage survey regarding developing protocols versus guidelines. The results of the survey were disseminated to the committee members making those decisions for further discussion.
- Region A – No News
- NE Region
 - Kansas has left the development of field triage guidelines to the regions. That is not a state level discussion.
 - The hospitals with Level 3 or 4 status do not have a PI process in place and need assistance in developing a plan. There is discussion in developing a program to present to them to assist in that process.
 - KU is sponsoring an ATLS course for Stormont Vail this month.
 - Salina is getting closer to obtaining a Level 3 status.
- Old Business
 - Meeting places – KCFD, Health Department, CJC, MARCER..... August is last month at MAST.
 - EMS Scholarship letters went out to the recipients. Pictures have been requested to present at the May Conference.
- New Business
 - Letters to intitutional members
 - CMS has submitted membership for FY 2011
 - Brochure needs to match the application for membership to MTS – S. Beeson and L. Davis will be responsible for the development.
 - Discussion of area hospitals decontamination of a pt. soaked in fuel and resuscitation and who goes to decon. with the patient and who readies for receipt of the patient in the trauma room. Facilities need to develop that protocol for each institution.
- Website – Any upcoming class offerings need to go to L. Davis for posting on the website.

- Legislature
 - Kansas – Nothing New
 - Missouri
 - Children’s Mercy East has broken ground in Lee Summit
 - St. Lukes, Plaza has a new Coordinator. Mike Magee will start July 19th.