#### The EMS Weekly Monitor

February 22, 2021

Weekly status update from meetings:

- We've had few meetings regarding the upcoming stroke center accreditation at CMH. Not a whole lot is changing
  for us but we are working on a checklist kind of paper to expedite the patient going to CT and help communicating
  critical information to ER physicians.
- We've noticed several ESO reports that have not been completed. Managers and Crew Leaders are going to start getting a weekly report so they can follow up to make sure we are documenting all requests for service. In the meantime, please review the protocol on this issue: <a href="http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-682.php">http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-682.php</a>
- The disposable laryngoscope blades and handles have been ordered for all stations.
- Next week is the equipment committee meeting. Let me know if you are interested in serving on that committee.
- Put the May 25th staff meeting on your calendar as it will be an all-station staff meeting (we only have two of these per year).
- We are going to start incorporating an education event with every staff meeting. Topics will be selected from quality reviews and other sources of identified deficiencies. Lots of folks in the STEMI competency struggled and requested help with Sgarbossa. So, look for the next six week's of staff meetings to have a topic regarding Sgarbossa criteria.

# Open Positions @ CMH EMS

**El Dorado Station Cedar County**: FULL TIME PARAMEDIC position starting the week of March 7th. Contact Alice Roberts Northern Region Manager.

**Polk County:** A Week P shift 1900 – 0700 Open EMT B position in Polk County on P shift A week. Contact Aaron Weaver, CMH EMS Operations Chief

# **Road Work in St. Clair County**



#### **BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION**

Scheduled from 01-MAR-2021 to 01-DEC-2021.

State Route C East - ST. CLAIR COUNTY – CLOSED: Road work begins 5.65 MILES AFTER RT A E.

State Route C West - ST. CLAIR COUNTY -CLOSED: Road work begins 5.69 MILES AFTER RT ZZ S.

Work will be done around the clock, 7 days a week. Expect delays.

Get Well Soon Shawna Ryan!

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### **Upcoming Paramedic Classes**

## **Staff Meetings**

# Birthdays & Service Anniversaries

CMH Paramedic Class:	
Airway Mgmt & Ventilation Pt. 3	Feb 22
CMH Paramedic Class:	
Respiratory Emergencies Pt. 1	Mar 1
NAEMT PHTLS	Mar 2
NAEMT PHTLS	Mar 3
CMH Paramedic Class:	
Respiratory Emergencies Pt. 2	Mar 4
CMH Paramedic Class:	
Respiratory Emergencies Pt. 3	Mar 8
CMH Paramedic Class:	
Respiratory Emergencies Pt. 4	Mar 11
CMH Paramedic Class:	
Difficult Airways	Mar 15
Life Support Competency	Mar 16
BLS, ACLS, PALS	

Every TUE\$DAY at 0830		
Feb 23 El Dorado Springs		
EI DO CANCELLED		
Mar 2 Bolivar A Week		
Mar 9 Hermitage		
Mar 16 Stockton		
Mar 23 Bolivar B Week		

David Givens	Feb 2
Brent Wallen	Feb 12
Gregory Wood	Feb 13
Travis Hill	Feb 16
James "Ryan" Carroll	Feb 18
Peter Holm	Feb 19
Dawn Sloan	Feb 28

All Staff Meeting
May 25, 2021

February Anniversaries

Carolyn Ream 27 years

Allen Werner 3 years

Reminder for the monthly protocol quiz. The February quizzes are wrapping up and March is getting ready to start. All of the quiz links can be found here: http://ozarksems.com/education-quizzes.php

#### **DAILY SHIFT HUDDLE 845am daily**

#### **Recent CMH EMS Protocol Document Changes**

Document changed: Medication 7-460 - Oxygen (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-7-460.php) Document changed: Medication 7-400 - Narcan (Naloxone) (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-7-400.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-946 - Ventricular Tachycardia (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-946.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-924 - Universal Patient Care (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-924.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-858 - Supraventricular Tachycardia (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-858.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-704 - Post Resuscitation (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-704.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-660 - Pain Control (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-660.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-638 - Overdose / Toxic Ingestion (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-638.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-220 - Chest Pain / Suspected Cardiac Event (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-220.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-198 - Cardiac Arrest (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-198.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-154 - Bradycardia (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-154.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-880 - Suspected Stroke (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-880.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-880-24 - Suspected Stroke - Assessment Tool (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-880-24.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-880-24 - Suspected Stroke - Assessment Tool (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-880-24.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-880-48 - Suspected Stroke - EMS Information Form (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-880-48.php) Document changed: Protocol 2-880-72 - Suspected Stroke - Destination Matrix (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-2-880-72.php) Document changed: Guideline 1-200-72 - Ambulance Dispatch: Transfer Priority Calculator (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-1-200-72.php) Document changed: Equipment 8-378 - I-Gel Airway (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-8-378.php) Document changed: Equipment 8-414 - Intraosseous (IO) Needle (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-8-414.php) Document changed: Equipment 8-288 - Endotracheal Tube (ET) (http://ozarksems.com/protocol-8-288.php)