

Dec 10th

Leadership Notes

Monthly Protocol Quiz Link

<http://ozarksems.com/education-quizzes.php>

ALL STAFF MEETING Notes

- CMH on track to be a Level 3 Stroke Center, probably in December.
- Recruit any and all EMTs and Medics that you can.
- Make sure you are checking PCS forms at the hospital before you transport and get corrected if needed. If hospital staff give you trouble, contact one of your leadership team.
- Charts have to be done within 24 hrs, get them locked before the end of your shift.
- Mercy Dispatch Number 417-820-3003

If you wish to decline receiving the COVID-19 vaccine, we are requiring that you let us know by completing a request for exemption or declination. The deadline for submitting accommodation requests including religious exemption, medical exemption or vaccination declination, is extended to Wednesday, Dec. 15, 2021.

It should be noted that in the event the preliminary injunctions are overruled and CMS once again requires all health care workers to be vaccinated, the declination form will not meet the standards for exemption.

Check your email for further information.

You are not lost,
you are redirecting.

You are not a failure,
you are learning.

You are not behind,
you are preparing.

Shout Outs

Just got off the phone with a hazmat specialist from Missouri task force 1. He and his wife were on the scene. He was very complimentary towards our crews concerning the car wreck at b & 13 today. He FB hunted down any of us at CMH and wanted me to pass along to you guys GOOD JOB. It means a lot when a guy on a FEMA team hunts you down to say something like that. I am proud to be a part of the team. (From Edward Truitt) –Morgan

Thank you Cheryl Andrew, Theron Becker, Colby Blevins, Chloe Cutler, Jerry Daily, Amanda Dickover, Robert Frye, Peter Holm, Raymond Kluhsman, Ryan McDonald, Michael Minter, Cody Moore, James Purselley, Jacob Randall, Lyman Taylor, and John Wright for getting your protocol quiz done! –Theron

Thank you Colby for 3rd riding with me to help with lifting! –Amanda D.

Thank you Bob Anthony and Allison Cantrel for picking up in Osceola! –Morgan

Thank you Allison and Lucas for covering Osceola on short notice! –Alice



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Safety Tips

<https://www.ems.gov/ambulancesafety.html>

<https://www.ems1.com/ems-products/training-tools/articles/behind-the-wheel-of-an-ambulance-training-needed-Diebej pz81nRC9oc/>

<https://www.naemt.org/education/ems-vehicle-operator-safety>

<https://proems.com/policy-procedure-manual/300-operations/pro-ems-policy-300-21/>

<https://newsroom.medline.com/expert-views/ems-driver-safety>

<https://one.nhtsa.gov/Driving-Safety/Office-of-Emergency-Medical-Services>

<https://www.hmpgloballearningnetwork.com/site/emsworld/article/10320416/surviving-driving>

<https://info.ontimetransport.com/blog/10-safety-mantras-for-drivers-and-emts>

<https://www.nist.gov/blogs/taking-measure/safety-standards-ambulances-stat>

Me watching a new guy back into the bay



Educational Resources

<https://memsa.org/>

<https://www.ems1.com/>

<https://nemsis.org/>

<https://www.ems.gov/>

<https://www.emsstrong.org/>

<https://www.medscape.com/>

FTOs get with Brice or Theron about helping streamline the onboarding process.

If you are interested in being an FTO for 2022, please check your email for links to make it happen.

I listened to the new HandTevy bereavement podcast. It's worth a listen. There are several articles on this webpage that staff should look into in regards to pediatric deaths.

<https://www.handtevy.com/bereavement/> All the PDFs have been put on the F drive. –Brice

Upcoming Classes through our Education Department

Dec 21st-Life Support Competencies

Jan 3rd-First Day of 2022 Paramedic Academy