



RAC-R Acute Care Meeting Minutes

Date: 09/12/2023

Time: 09:20-10:00

Location: Baytown Community Building

<u>Members Present:</u> Brenda Hatch, Michelle Nyberg, Michelle Vu, Tamara Ardoin, Vicki Tarnow, Naima Haddad, Lisa Vermeersch, Elizabeth Michel, Tammy Dehamus, Kyla Burke		<u>Guests:</u> None	
AGENDA	DISCUSSION	ACTION	FOLLOW-UP
Call to Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No previous minutes to approve 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Data Review 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review of RAC-R Acute Care data collected for Q2 2023. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decision made by all to add goal times for: Door to Needle (60), Door in Door out (120), Door to puncture (90), Door to Balloon (90), First med contact to Balloon (90). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brenda Hatch to add goal times to data spreadsheet for next data meeting.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Select new Co-Chair 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Michelle Nyberg volunteered. All in agreement. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Brenda Hatch to do agendas for future meetings, send out reminder with spreadsheet; Michelle Nyberg to do meeting minutes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> N/A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Depression for Stroke Patients 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed what depression tools or assessments the different hospitals are using for stroke pts. Currently most use a suicide screen and the RN depression admit assessment only. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Members will search for stroke depression risk scales. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Members will provide the group with what they have found next meeting.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMS Education and Outreach 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussed what the various hospitals do for EMS education and outreach: HCA has a Simbulance that does chest pain, code blue and stroke simulations; medical directors perform lectures; case studies and metrics are presented (time varies with hospital/organization); thrombolytic cases get feedback emailed to EMS agency; mock codes with EMS on site; Teleneurology provides monthly online lectures; UTMB does a quarterly EMS lecture series on site with trauma and meets on EMS sites monthly for feedback/case studies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • World Stroke Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10/29 is World Stroke Day as reminder. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stroke Support Group Topics 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussed various stroke support groups used by the hospitals and some of the previous topics that have been presented. Agreement there has been low participation by patients across the region. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resources for Unfunded Patients 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion over resources for available unfunded stroke patients. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michelle Nyberg to email out St Vincent's flyer and Eliquis application. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Might become a future topic for in depth discussion at a future meeting.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ASLS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion over ASLS and if was being provided right now. Brenda Hatch, Michelle Nyberg, Michelle Vu and Erin Sweet are ASLS instructors. There should be a January virtual teaching coming up. UTMB has a meeting in January to see plans for ASLS in 2024. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brenda Hatch to let the others know if there is a for sure ASLS class coming up to combine teaching resources. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At next meeting can be discussed again in December for January.
Adjourn	Meeting ended 10:00		

