

**AMERICAN COLLEGE OF EMERGENCY PHYSICIANS  
SECTION ON EMS-PREHOSPITAL CARE**

Monday, October 27, 2014  
12:30 to 2:30 pm  
Hyatt McCormick Place South, Room S103 BCD  
Chicago, IL

**AGENDA**

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| I.   | Call to Order and Welcome   | Dr. Mell        |
| II.  | Opening Remarks   | Dr. Mell        |
| III. | Award Presentation  | Dr. Gerardi     |
|      | 2014 Outstanding Contribution in EMS Award  |                 |
| IV.  | Board Liaison Report  | Dr. Perina      |
| V.   | Educational Presentations   |                 |
|      | HeartRescue Project of the Medtronic Philanthropy   |                 |
|      | <b>Joseph M. Weber, MD, FAAEM</b> , Medical Director, Chicago EMS; John H. Stroger Jr., Hospital of Cook County, Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine, Rush University       |                 |
|      | <b>Eddie J. Markul, MD</b> , Medical Director, Chicago EMS, Advocate Illinois Masonic Medical Center, Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine University of Illinois at Chicago |                 |
|      | Christie Medical Holdings, Inc.   |                 |
|      | <b>Peggy Brosnan</b>  |                 |
|      | Strategic Regional Sales Specialist, Christie Medical Holdings  |                 |
|      | Near-Infrared Technology for Improving IV Starts  |                 |
|      | Drug Enforcement Administration   |                 |
|      | Opioid Abuse Issues and EMS drug enforcement regulations  |                 |
|      | <b>Joseph T. Rannazzisi, JD, RPh</b>  |                 |
|      | Deputy Assistant Administrator  |                 |
|      | Office of Division Control  |                 |
| VI.  | New Business  |                 |
|      | A. Council Meeting Report   | Dr. Braithwaite |
|      | B. EMS Committee Report   | Dr. Costello    |
|      | C. Other New Business   | Dr. Mell        |
| VII. | Adjourn   | Dr. Mell        |

**Section Officers:**

Howard Mell, MD, MPH, FACEP, Chair; Melissa Costello, MD, FACEP, Chair-Elect; Mark Escott, MD, MPH, FACEP, Secretary; Gaston Costa, MD, Member-at-Large; Sabina Braithwaite, MD, MPH, FACEP, Councillor; Gina Piazza, DO, FACEP, Alterante Councillor.

**Attendees:**

Gregory Beirne, DO, FACEP; Jeremy Lacocque; J Brent Myers, MD, FACEP; Jeffrey Jarvis, MD, FACEP; Randall Geldreich, MD, FACEP; Joshua Gaither, MD, FACEP; Mark Escott, MD, MPH, FACEP; Alvin Wang, DO; Stephen Bell, MD, MS, FACEP; David French, MD, FACEP; Craig Cooley, MD, MPH, EMT-P, FACEP; Jestin Carlson, MD, MSc; David Kugler, MD, MPH, FACEP; Bashar Ismail, MD; Christine Preblich, MD; Melanie Stanzer, DO; Marvin Wayne, MD, FACEP; Rebecca Schulman, MD; Chelsea White, IV, MD; John Gallagher, MD; Mischa Mirin, MD, FACEP; Terry Vanden Hoek, MD, FACEP; Christine Van Dillen, MD, FACEP; Marianne Gausche-Hill MD, FACEP; Paul Hinchey, MD, MBA, FACEP; Jacob Keeperman, MD; Sabina Braithwaite, MD, FACEP; Jeffrey Goodloe, MD, FACEP; Douglas Kupas, MD, FACEP; Frank Pettyjohn, MD, FACEP; Ralph Frascone, MD, FACEP; Raymond Fowler, MD, FACEP; Scott

Goldberg, MD; Michael Levy, MD, FACEP; Alexei Wagner, MD; William Charles Gerard, MD, FACEP; Marc Rosenthal, DO, FACEP; Gaston Costa, MD; Keith Conover, MD, FACEP; Veer Vithalani, MD; George Hevesy, MD, FACEP; Jerrie Lynn Kind; Buddy Kozen, MD, FACEP; Joseph Tennyson, MD, FACEP; Frank Guyette, MD, FACEP; Charles Johndro, DO; Jane Pearson, MD, FACEP; Sara Brown, MD, FACEP; Tracey Rahall, MD, FACEP; David Stuhlmiller, MD, FACEP; Andrew Bern, MD, FACEP; Ricardo Hughes, MD; Lynthia Andrews, DO, FACEP; Scott Goldberg, MD; Rachel Semmons, MD; Joanna Adams, MD; Saranya Srinivasan, MD; Heidi Knowles, MD, FACEP; Nathan Reisman, MD; Jason Carter, MD, FACEP; Juliette Saussy, MD, FACEP; Julie Houle, MD; Cai Glushak, MD, FACEP; Scott Pasichow; Peter Antevy, MD; Michael Guttenberg, DO, FACEP; Marina Del Rios, MD; Jeffrey Elder, MD, FACEP; Harry Sibold, MD, FACEP

**ACEP Staff:**

Rick Murray, EMT-P; Pat Elmes, EMT-P (Ret)

**Major items discussed:**

1. Dr. Mell opened the meeting and thanked everyone for attending. He recognized and thanked the HeartRescue Project of the Medtronic Philanthropy and Christie Medical Holdings, Inc. for sponsoring the luncheon.
2. Dr. Gerardi, ACEP President, presented the 2014 Outstanding Contribution in EMS Award to Dr. Marianne Gausche-Hill.
3. Dr. Perina, Board Liaison, thanked the section for all their work and support of the various College EMS projects.
4. Educational Presentations: Joseph Rannazzisi, JD, RPh, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control spoke on the development of new rules for EMS medications for EMS Medical Directors and some of the programs designed to control the Opioid abuse problem. Ms. Peggy Brosnan presented on the near-infrared technology for IV starts from Christie Medical. Dr. Joseph Weber and Dr. Eddie Markul from Chicago Fire EMS presented on a cardiac treatment project funded by the HeartRescue Project of the Medtronic Philanthropy.
5. Dr. Mell adjourned the meeting at 2:30 pm.

The EMS Section Officers would like to thank Physio-Control for sponsoring the luncheon and arranging the speaker for this meeting.