

American College of Emergency Physicians (ACEP)  
**Critical Care Section ACEP22 Meeting**  
October 2, 2022  
**MINUTES**

**Participants**

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**Major Points Discussed**

Introduction

Section Leader Reports

Dr. Nick Johnson -

Membership growth – Critical Care has grown to 1300 members  
Agenda/Goals of Critical Care Section are to reenergize, reengage this group and build sense of community and provide guidance for what the different organizations do  
Dr. Johnson Attended 1<sup>st</sup> council and was interesting to hear some of the issues and resolutions Key discussions related to Critical Care Section were workforce, how EM can expand beyond the 4 walls of the ED, supervision of nurse practitioners and PA, Rural and Telehealth, Reproductive Health.  
Overall, they voted on 61 resolutions, a new ACEP president, and 4 new board members  
JACEP Open – Went over why to publish on it, fast turnaround times, open access

Dr. Kate Pollard

Discussion about what each of the sections are – goal is to formalize relationship, each org has subspecialties that they can provide education for  
Want to respond as a group with group expertise

Dr. Jessica Nelson

Needs more articles from students, residents, fellows, and attendings  
Any topic 500-1500 words

Article ideas:

- CC topics
- Interesting cases
- Highlight different fellowship programs
- Profile a faculty member
- Recent achievements

- QI research initiatives
- Day in the life
- Prof development
- Career advice
- Diversity equity and inclusion topics

Dr. Ally Hynes

Social media presence has grown 815 followers

Looking for content to support:

- Awards
- Educational content
- Grants
- Promotions
- Publications

Dr. Earl Reisdorff – ABEM

EM physicians can certify in all sponsoring IM, Surg, Anesthesia of Critical Care

Critical Care is the second largest subspecialty in emergency medicine

Passing and scores for EM graduates were higher than other specialties

Dr. Sean Hickey – EMRA

Provide opportunities for EM residents

Other Organizations Updates

AAEM

Start meetings with clinical case

Reflecting differences in specialties – day in the life, single case

Pair faculty together based on interest

Common sense articles

Speaker's bureau

Sponsor critical care course

SCC

Important Dates

Town Hall on November 15

In Person Meeting January 21-24

Virtual business meeting January 23

SAEM

Working on pre-conference workshops for ACEP 2023

New webinar experience

Vapotherm Presentation

### Rising Stars Presentations

Sarah Perez - The Resuscitator's Approach to Hyponatremia

Mina Ghobrial - Bedside point-of-care echocardiography ultrasound teaching module used in the diagnosis and management of patients in the Surgical Intensive Care Unit and Cardiovascular Intensive Care Unit

Ryan Barnicle - Identifying and Correcting the Performance Errors of Video Laryngoscopy: The Next Step in Emergency Airway Education

Sam Rouleau - Point of Care Ultrasound (POCUS) Assessment of Carotid Artery during Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

### Educational Content Panel Discussion

Advancing to Leadership in Hospitals, Health Systems, and Departments

Moderator: Kate Pollard

Speakers: Brendan Carr, Brian Wessman, Jenny Wilson, Marie-Carmelle Elie

Notes - ask for things you need (admin support, electronics, etc.), don't be hindered by glass ceilings, mentorship (provide it and rely on it yourself, we need to value our academic opportunities/responsibilities)

EM-CCM Outside of the Hospital

Moderator Jessica Nelson

Speakers: Zaf Qassim, Brittney Bernardoni

Notes - what is the biggest thing you brought to the hospital with your experience

### Open Forum

With no more information to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.