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# IEMSA CONFERENCE & TRADE SHOW



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- > NAEMT EMS Safety Course (Minimum 15)
- > ACLLS-Experienced Provider - CCP Didactic and Hands-on Course (Limit 24 students)
- > Disaster Management Emergency Preparedness (DMEP)
- > NAEMT EMS Safety Course
- > Critical Care Paramedic (CCP) Refresher

### NEW! 1/2-DAY PRE-CONFERENCE

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- > "Where's Waldo?" Missing Managers. Missing Employees. Missing Leaders. Recruitment & Retention.
- > EMS Clinical Guidelines and Scope of Practice

### NEW! NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER COURSE

BREAK-OUT SESSIONS : FRI 11/8 + SAT 11/9

## REGISTRATION FORM + FULL COURSE DESCRIPTIONS



IOWA EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ASSOCIATION

Public Notice: Implement A Ground Emergency Medical Transportation (GEMT) Supplemental Payment Program

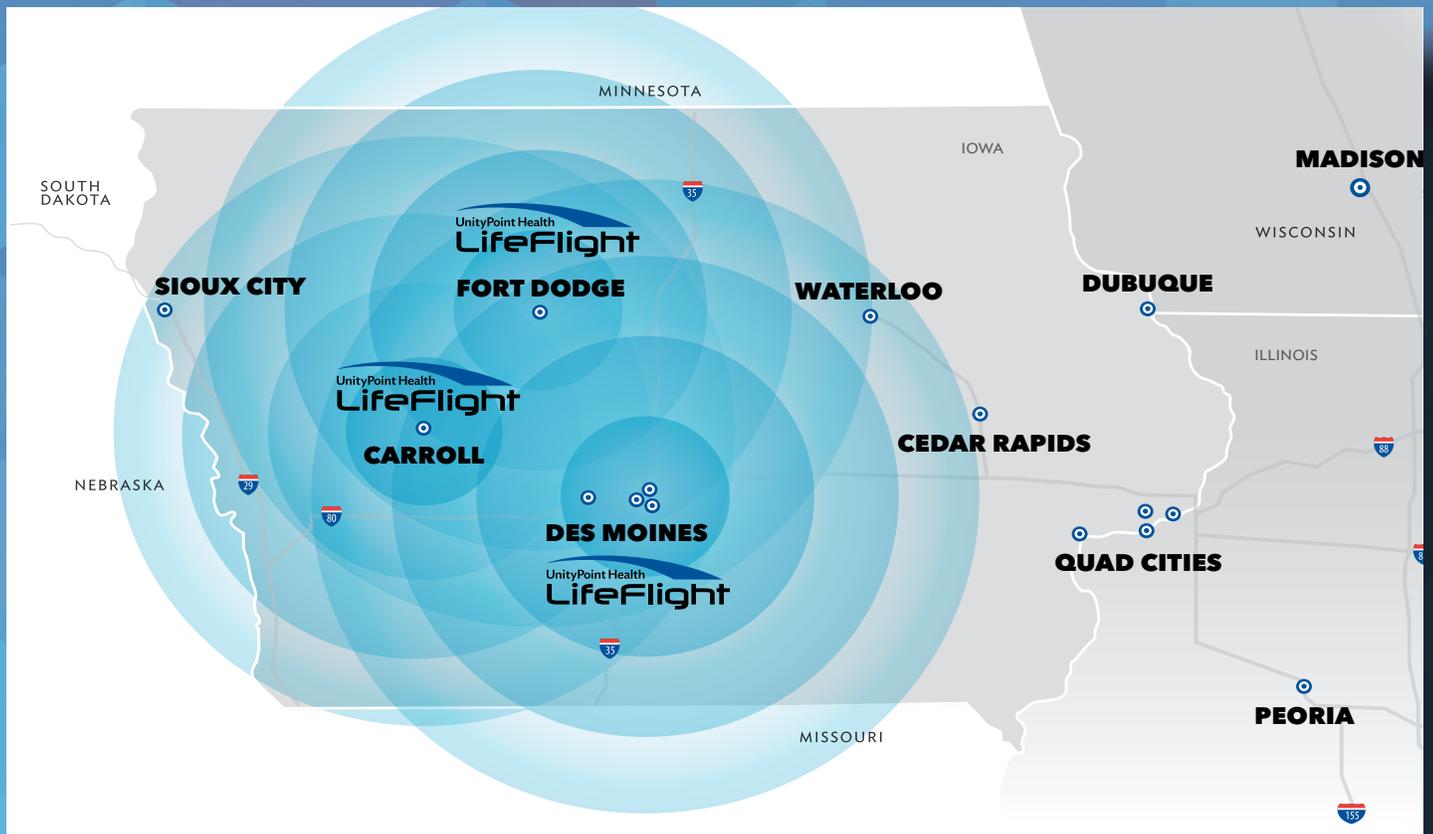
FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT: [www.iemsa.org](http://www.iemsa.org)

**GEMT:**  
MEDICAID SUPPLEMENTAL PAYMENT PROGRAM

**10:45AM-11:15AM—**  
**SERVICE DIRECTORS WORKSHOP | THURSDAY, 11/7**  
**GEMT UPDATE + ON-BOARDING 101**

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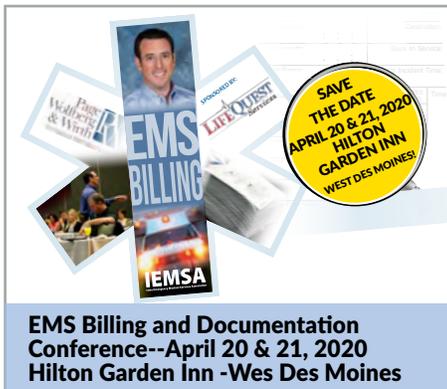


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**16TH ANNUAL REGIONAL BILLING  
15 CONFERENCE : CE'S FOR EMS  
BILLING MANAGERS & CERTIFIED  
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**THE SERVICE DIRECTORS WORKSHOP  
ON THURSDAY, 11/7 FROM  
10:45AM-11:15AM--GEMT UPDATE +  
ONBOARDING 101**

OUR PURPOSE : To provide a voice and promote the highest quality and standards of Iowa's Emergency Medical Services.

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- > December 19, 2019  
Teleconference - 1:00–3:00pm

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# OUR VOICE ON THE HILL LEGISLATION

## 2020 LEGISLATIVE TALKING POINTS



IOWA EMS DAY-ON-THE-HILL & EMS SUMMITT  
FEBRUARY 13TH, 2020

**> EMS: AN ESSENTIAL SERVICE.** Our citizens' expectation of Emergency Medical Service has shifted over the last few decades from a time when EMS was an emerging trend to the current assumption that EMS be immediately available whenever and wherever the need may arise. With response times over 30 minutes in many parts of the state and ongoing challenges in finding and retaining a quality workforce, Iowa policy makers and the EMS community need to work together to create benchmarks and intermediate steps to ensure EMS can meet Iowans' expectations. To do this, we need to address two critical areas:

- **FUNDING.** IEMSA urges the State of Iowa to adopt a permanent system of funding for EMS that would allow EMS agencies to staff personnel 24/7, purchase necessary infrastructure, and expand coverage into areas that need it most. Although there are numerous potential funding streams, we encourage the legislature and executive branch to consider the county levy proposal currently introduced in the Iowa legislature. It is the best and most comprehensive plan to date that balances statewide need with local realities and accountability.
- **PERSONNEL.** IEMSA supports robust funding of the Future Ready Iowa initiative that includes EMS-specific recruitment and training incentives. IEMSA also supports the creation of a loan forgiveness program for EMS training and incentives for placement of EMS professionals in rural Iowa where services are needed most.

### **STAND UP IOWA EMS : THIS YEAR'S IOWA EMS DAY ON THE HILL IS THE AFTERNOON**

from 2-5pm, on Thursday, February 13, 2020. We're hoping you can make time to join us in the Capitol Rotunda to give a face to the huge issues facing Iowa EMS.

# IEMSA 29TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE & TRADE SHOW



**REGISTER BEFORE OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> AVOID \$50 LATE FEE!**

To avoid the Late Fee your registration must be received in our office or posted online by 12AM October 31st.

**ALL REGISTRANTS WILL RECEIVE AN IEMSA BAG and Water Bottle.**

**> REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** Register prior to **October 31st to ensure entrance to the conference.** Registrations received after this date and on-site registrations may be limited. IEMSA will not invoice services for payment. PO's are not an accepted form of payment. Register by **October 31th before 12am to SAVE \$50.**

**> CONFIRMATION:** Registrations processed online will automatically receive a registration confirmation immediately via email. All others will not receive a confirmation unless requested by email to: [administration@iemsanet.net](mailto:administration@iemsanet.net).

**> CANCELLATION/REFUND POLICY:** Refunds, less a \$50 processing fee, will be made for cancellations made prior to October 15th. No refunds will be made for cancellations after October 15th. IEMSA reserves the right to cancel any session or special event that does not meet the minimum requirements, or to change a speaker as necessary.

**> REGISTRATION SIGN-IN:** Packets and badges will be available for pick up in the first floor lobby of the Veteran's Memorial Community Choice Credit Union during the following hours: Thursday, Nov. 7 from 7:00am to 5:00pm; Friday, Nov. 8 from 7:00am to 5:00pm; and Saturday, Nov. 9 from 7:00am to Noon. **IEMSA MEMBERS:** Don't forget to join IEMSA or renew your membership. Conference registration member discount not allowed for non-active members. NON-Active Members taking the conference discount will be billed accordingly. Visit [www.iemsanet.net](http://www.iemsanet.net) and go to Membership for all the details.

**> CELL PHONES/PAGERS:** Out of courtesy for fellow attendees, it is requested that all cell phones and pagers be turned off during all sessions, the Awards Ceremony, and the Honoring Our Own Presentation.

# HIGHLIGHTS

**> EXHIBIT HALL : HYVEE HALL C**

LARGE DISPLAY OF THE TOOLS OF YOUR TRADE  
**EXHIBIT HALL HOURS:**

• **NEW HOURS! THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup>**  
VENDOR HALL OPENS AT 11:15AM-AND WILL STAY OPEN THROUGH THE WELCOMING RECEPTION, WHICH ENDS AT 6:00PM THIS YEAR. **SO—REGISTER EARLY AND DROP YOUR RAFFLE TICKET AT THE IEMSA BOOTH -- DRAWINGS WILL BEGIN AT 4:30PM—MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

VENDOR HALL WELCOMING RECEPTION  
4:30PM-6PM

• **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup> : 9AM-3:45PM**  
**GIVE-AWAY WINNERS ANNOUNCED IN EXHIBIT HALL**

DRAWINGS WILL DONE DURING THE A.M AND P.M.  
BREAKS ONLY--**MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN.**

• **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup> : 9:10AM-1:00PM**  
**GIVE-AWAY WINNERS ANNOUNCED IN EXHIBIT HALL**

DRAWINGS HELD DURING A.M. BREAK ONLY--

**> AWARDS CEREMONY :** Saturday, November 10th, 1200-1300, during lunch. Awards given for EMS Service - Career and Volunteer, EMS Individual - Career and Volunteer, EMS Instructor, Dispatcher, Friend of EMS, and Hall of Fame.

**> HONORING OUR OWN :**

Saturday, November 9th, 0730-0815  
Please join us in honoring those no longer with us at this moving ceremony.

**> LUNCHES :** Again this year, we have elected to allow you the option and convenience of purchasing lunch during the conference. Our venue is a little farther away from the usual lunch sites, and with the short lunch break, we are encouraging you to include our plated hot lunch in your registration. In an attempt to keep the conference affordable, we kept the lunch price at \$15/day, a discounted price from what we are charged. Lunches must be purchased when you register—you will not be able to purchase a lunch the day of the event. **NEW! The exhibit hall will be open for lunch with food vendors and the Concession Stand. Concession stands will be available in the Exhibit Hall** during the lunch break on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

**> BREAKS :** Coffee, tea and water will be available during registration. Two refreshment breaks will be provided on Friday and Saturday at no additional cost--served in the exhibit hall.

**> CONFERENCE HOTEL GROUP RATES :**

—SEE PAGE 19 FOR DETAILS

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Attending the IEMSA Conference is a great way to obtain affordable, formal and optional continuing education. IEMSA is diligent in its efforts to provide a conference that meets the needs of nursing, and all levels of EMS Providers. This year IEMSA appreciates the support of Mercy College of Health Sciences, who makes continuing education possible at our conference.

## REGISTER TODAY! THIS IS HOW IT WORKS:

### > CEHs:

**MERCY COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES** will award one continuing education hour (CEH) of credit for each contact hour attended. CEHs earned will be applicable for renewal of an Iowa EMS Provider certification.

### > NURSING CONTACT HOURS:

**ILLINOIS AND IOWA NURSING CONTACT HOURS** are approved through Mercy College of Health Sciences Iowa Board of Nursing Approved Provider. Topics approved for Nursing Contact Hours are designated on the brochure as Formal Education (FE).

### > CEH/NURSING CONTACT HOUR PROCESS:

IEMSA PARTICIPANTS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED TO INCLUDE NAME, LEVEL OF CERTIFICATION, CERTIFICATION NUMBER, AND BIRTHDATE (*necessary to avoid duplication in recording hours*). At check-in, the day of the conference, you will receive a nametag with a barcode. In order to be awarded Contact Hours/CEHs, **each attendee must have their nametag barcode scanned after each presentation attended.**

### > AFTER THE CONFERENCE | WATCH YOUR EMAIL

After the conference, you will receive your "Certificate of Attendance" which will indicate all the CEH/Nursing Contact Hour detailed information, including **Iowa EMS sponsor number as designation of formal education (FE) or optional education (OE).**

**Before you can access your certificate**--the link will require you to take a quick post-conference survey. After the survey is complete--you will see a link to your certificate in the top left corner of your screen. Click that link--to show your certificate. You can then download, save, and/or print it.

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# WHY SHOULD MY SERVICE BELONG? AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP

BY LINDA FREDERIKSEN  
SE REGION IEMSA BOARD MEMBER

For me, membership is a sense of pride and a sense of belonging for a great group of EMS professionals and a way to give back to make EMS stronger and better in Iowa. Membership is valuable and critical for any organization. In this economy it is often hard to justify spending money on professional organization fees with shrinking budgets. Yet, that membership can provide great value to you, your employer, and IEMSA.

IEMSA was established in 1987 and has been advocating for EMS on the Hill passionately ever since. No matter your level of service, type of department, **IEMSA has served Iowa EMS resulting in:**

- > **increased revenues** for your service with increases in the Medicaid Reimbursement rates.
- > **doubling the tax credit for volunteer** providers by increasing the tax credit to \$100.
- > **an education event program that brings national level speakers to Iowa.** Offering an affordable education and a great way to network and improve the level of care by sharing ideas between providers and services.
- > **very deep discounts on equipment and supplies for our Affiliate Members** through our Group Purchasing program.

**We have identified the need to address and educate the public about EMS and its role in public safety across our state.** The public needs to know who we are and how they can help us better serve them. We believe if Iowans know the struggles of our dedicated EMS providers, they will stand with us to move EMS to "Essential Service" status in Iowa. This status would secure, protect and improve EMS in ways we can only dream of right now. We will be working on this issue in the coming years. Your support will help make this happen.

There are plenty of other associations, such as NAEMT, IAFF, AAA, NAEMSP, NAEMSE, and many more, but **only IEMSA is geared towards focusing on EMS issues in Iowa that affect all of us personally and professionally. Join the 188 Affiliate Organization Members today—a full list of those members is on page 10.**

**JOIN TODAY**--Complete the Affiliate Membership Application on Page 11, or Contact Lisa Arndt, Office Manager at 515-225-8079 | [administration@iemsa.net](mailto:administration@iemsa.net) | Go to [http://iemsa.net/member\\_account.htm](http://iemsa.net/member_account.htm) For step-by-step details --follow the instructions

## WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

- > **Job Openings** at your service can be posted on our Job Posting Area of our Website—just complete the application at this link— <http://www.iemsa.net/employment.htm> when you have an opening—and we will post it for you. Your service must be an active member to post. There is no limit on the number of postings or how long the opening is posted. We understand our Job Board is, more effective, and less expensive than other job sites, like monster.com and other job sites.
- > **(1-3) FREE IEMSA Individual Membership(s)** for a provider from your organization--(\$30-\$90 Value based on membership level)
- > **25% off an Exhibit Booth** at the IEMSA Conference & Trade Show
- > **(1) FREE Seat in the Pre-Conference Leadership/Management Workshop** at the Annual IEMSA Conference & Trade Show--held in Des Moines every November-- (\$120 Value)
- > **Deep Discounts on Equipment and Products** --Your service/organization will be automatically enrolled in the Group Purchasing Program-- once you're an affiliate member of IEMSA, within 5-7 days from purchase of your IEMSA membership Boundtree Medical will activate your account to apply IEMSA discount levels to your account.

This benefit alone will more than re-pay your membership dues with the discounts you see, beginning with your first order. You will enjoy FREE Shipping as well.

- > **Ground Emergency Medical Transportation (GEMT) Program On-Boarding Services with PCG (Public Consulting Group) at a Deep Discounted Contingency Fee**

Your service or organization will automatically be allowed the deep discounted contingency fee % with PCG (Public Consulting Group) negotiated at 9% for Affiliate Level 1 + 2 and 11% for Affiliate Level 3 + 4 Members. There are no up-front fees. The PCG Contingency fee will begin once all on-boarding tasks are completed and enhanced GEMT revenues are received by your service. The contingency fee will be applied to the GEMT Federal Share portion of the provider's reimbursement only. IEMSA negotiated the fee rate only. All other terms of the contract are negotiated and contracted by your service with PCG.

This is not a billing service, PCG is a specialize GEMT consultant, your contracted billing service (if you have one) or in-house billing service will still file the claims. PCG's goal is to assist IEMSA members in maximizing supplemental reimbursement while reducing audit risk and maintaining compliance with ever-changing state and federal policies.

## IEMSA MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

MEMBERSHIP TOTALS  
AS OF AUGUST 2019:



1491

+



194

+



26

= 1711



# A HUGE THANK-YOU TO OUR AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIP

THESE IEMSA **AFFILIATE MEMBER** ORGANIZATIONS ARE MAKING A DIFFERENCE.  
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Ankeny Fire Department  
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Atkins First Responders  
Atlantic Fire & Rescue  
Beaman Conrad Emerg Response Team (BCERT)  
Bellevue Ambulance Service  
Belmond Ambulance Service  
Bernard Rescue Unit, Inc.  
Bettendorf Fire Department  
Blairstown Ambulance  
Boone County Hospital  
Boone Fire Department  
Breda Area Ambulance  
Buffalo Center Vol Amb Service  
Burlington Fire Ambulance  
BVRMC Ambulance  
Calhoun County EMS  
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Carlisle Fire Rescue  
Carroll Co Ambulance Service  
Cedar Rapids Fire Department  
Center Point Regional Ambulance  
Centerville Fire & Rescue  
Cherokee County EMS Association  
Chickasaw Ambulance Service, Inc.  
Clarinda Regional Health Center  
Clay County EMS Association  
Clay Township Fire Rescue  
Clinton Fire Department  
Clive Fire Department  
Clutier 1st Responders  
Colfax Fire Department  
Community Ambulance Service of Preston  
Council Bluffs Fire Department  
Crescent Rescue  
Dallas Co EMS  
Davenport Fire Department  
Davis County Hospital  
Defiance Fire & Rescue  
Delaware Township Fire Dept  
Denver Ambulance Service  
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Eastern Iowa Community College  
Eldora Emergency Med Service  
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Emerson Volunteer Rescue  
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Forest City Ambulance Service  
Fort Dodge Fire Rescue  
Garner Vol Ambulance Service  
Granger Community Ambulance  
Granville Fire & EMS  
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Key West Fire and EMS  
Kingsley Ambulance Service  
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Newhall First Responders  
Newton Fire Department  
Nora Springs Volunteer Ambulance  
North Iowa Area Community College

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North Sioux City Fire and Rescue  
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Norwalk Fire Department  
Norway Fire & Rescue  
Orange City Area Health System  
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Ottumwa Regional Hospital  
Palo Alto County Ambulance  
Paramount EMS  
Pella Community Ambulance  
Pleasant Hill Fire Department  
Pocahontas Ambulance Service  
Rake First Responders  
Regional Medical Center  
Remsen Ambulance Service  
Rock Valley Ambulance  
Saylor Township Fire Department  
Shelby County Emergency Services Association  
Shelby Fire & Rescue  
Sherrill Fire Department  
Sioux Center Ambulance  
Sioux City Fire Rescue  
Slater EMS  
Southern Appanoose County First Responders  
Southwestern Community College  
St. Mary's Fire Department  
State Center EMS  
Story City First Responders  
Strawberry Point Ambulance Service  
Sumner Emerg Medical Services  
Superior Ambulance  
Tama Ambulance Service  
Taylor County Ambulance  
Tipton Ambulance Service  
Titonka Ambulance Service  
Traer Ambulance Service  
Tripoli Ambulance Service  
Tri-State Regional Ambulance Service, Inc.  
UnityPoint Health - Marshalltown Area  
Paramedic Service  
University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics  
Urbandale Fire Department  
Van Buren Ambulance Service  
Van Horne First Responders  
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Villisca Ambulance Service  
Virginia Township Fire and Rescue  
Wapello Community Ambulance  
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( < 50 Calls/Year )



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**\$100/YEAR**

( 51-500 Calls/Year )



**AFFILIATE LEVEL 3**  
( 501-2499 CALLS/YEAR )

**\$250/YEAR**

( 501-2,499 Calls/Year )



**AFFILIATE LEVEL 4**  
( 2500+ CALLS/YEAR )

**\$350/YEAR**

( > 2,500 Calls/Year )

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**Don't have an IEMSA Account? click on the "Guest Registration" Link** to create an account:

Once Logged-in--go to the "Online Store" tab at the top of your screen, click on the "Individual Membership" icon, add to your cart, process payment and you're now registered. You will receive a receipt and confirmation immediately by email. The payment options include: credit/debit card or select "Mail my Check". Memberships are not activated until payment is received. **Mail Checks to:** IEMSA, 5550 Wild Rose Lane #400, West Des Moines, IA 50266.

**TO REGISTER BY MAIL OR FAX:** Complete this page and return with your check to: IEMSA, 5550 Wild Rose Lane #400, West Des Moines, IA 50266 -- or FAX with Credit Card Info this form to: 877-478-0926. You will receive a confirmation email once your payment is received and/or processed. If you do not receive an email--please contact the office to confirm your membership was received.

### Credit Card or FAX/EMAIL AFFILIATE Membership Application:

- LEVEL 1- \$50/YEAR    
  LEVEL 2- \$100/YEAR    
  LEVEL 3- \$250/YEAR    
  LEVEL 4- \$350/YEAR

Organization/Service Provider Name

Primary Contact Name

(Home) Address

City

State

Zip

1st FREE Individual Membership -- Email Address (mandatory)

IA EMS Certification #

All Affiliate Levels Complete --Affiliate Level 1 & 2 receive -(1) FREE Membership--Designate Here

2nd FREE Individual Membership -- Email Address (mandatory)

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# IEMSA INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP UPDATE



## WHY JOIN IEMSA?

BY AMY GEHRKE, NC REGION DIRECTOR & INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE CHAIR

IEMSA was established in 1987 and has been actively involved in EMS in many facets. No matter your level of service, type of department, or patch on your sleeve, IEMSA is here to serve you and help be your VOICE be heard in Iowa. Some join for the professional recognition and networking opportunities, while some join for the member benefits and discounted educational opportunities that are held throughout the year across Iowa. Others join for the resources, group purchasing, quarterly VOICE publication, our strong advocacy efforts, and timely member alerts through eNews. There are plenty of other associations, such as NAEMT, IAFF, AAA, NAEMSP, NAEMSE, and many more, but only IEMSA is geared towards focusing on EMS issues in Iowa that affect all of us personally and professionally.

### > WHY SHOULD YOU SPREAD THE WORD ABOUT IEMSA MEMBERSHIP?

There are so many benefits with this low cost membership. The most important for any EMS provider is the \$10,000 accidental death/dismemberment policy offered to each member. In our high risk line of duty this could be a huge asset to your family. If you are a member, have you filled out your beneficiary designation? We want to make sure all families receive this benefit if needed so fill out this form ASAP. You can find the form at this link: [http://www.iemsa.net/pdfs/beneficiary\\_form.pdf](http://www.iemsa.net/pdfs/beneficiary_form.pdf)

### > EDUCATION IS ANOTHER IMPORTANT BENEFIT FOR ALL MEMBERS.

You will receive a substantial discount on all IEMSA sponsored events, including our annual conference --an amazing event that is a lot of fun, offers top quality certified CE education, featuring well-known local and national speakers. In addition, you can pick up 1.0 Optional CE from our continuing education with each of two VOICE newsletters. And finally, with your IEMSA Membership you receive a 25% off (\$10 off) NAEMT dues with proof of current membership.

### > IEMSA IS YOUR ADVOCATE AT THE STATE LEVEL AND LOCAL LEVEL.

Each region has representatives that you can reach out to. We have made great strides in Iowa with the legislators. Your involvement in your professional association is important to EMS. We need your voice to make important improvements in the state and national level. We can't do it without you!

There are also numerous benefits for affiliate organizations, students, retired-active individuals, corporate, and training centers memberships! To see all the great benefits please go to the IEMSA site at: <http://iemsa.net/membership.htm>

**JOIN ONLINE TODAY AT:** [http://iemsa.net/member\\_account.htm](http://iemsa.net/member_account.htm) For step-by-step details --follow the [instructions on the screen. NEW MEMBERS SET-UP AN ONLINE ACCOUNT CLICK HERE](#)

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# IEMSA BILLING & DOCUMENTATION CONFERENCE

BY LINDA FREDERIKSEN



A total of ninety-seven people attended the 15th Iowa EMS Association Billing and Documentation conference on April 8 & 9, 2019 at the Hilton Garden Inn in West Des Moines. Once again,

Doug Wolfberg, founding partner of Page, Wolfberg & Wirth, and one of the best known EMS attorneys and consultants in the United States, captivated those attending with all 12 required hours of comprehensive education helpful for not only billers, but EMS Providers. Many who attended this presentation possess a Certified Ambulance Coder (CAC) certification from the National Academy of Ambulance Coding; these individuals must renew this certification annually with twelve hours of continuing education, and appreciated the fact that all their mandatory and elective continuing education hours were included in this one seminar.

We added a day to our program this year-- offering Iowa EMS Services that are NOT

Billing to attend a 1/2 day of education that assisted attendees in accessing the opportunity to capture some of the funds available that billing for service brings. Doug and a team of experts covered, an Overview of the Non-Billers DATA to identify the amount of funds not captured across the state. They learned about the new federally funded GEMT program that promises to bring millions of dollars to our state. They learned the ins and outs of eligibility or this program. Closing the day Michelle Smith of PCC and Tim Furtado of AMBUpro, walked attendees through how to identify if "Billing for EMS Services" is for their Service, including the ABC's of setting up an EMS Billing System in Iowa, and how to access the benefits and pitfalls.

Wolfberg's depth of knowledge was appreciated by those attending, as well as his engaging presentation style, which kept everyone interested. Plans are already being made for next year's session in April, 2020, back in West Des Moines. Mark your calendars for April 20 & 21, 2020 this great event...you won't want to miss it!

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# PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019

FORMAL & OPTIONAL CEs APPLIED FOR

7:15 AM REGISTRATION OPENS

8:00 AM - 4:30 AM

## FULL DAY PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

- ★ **CRITICAL CARE PARAMEDIC (CCP) REFRESHER**
- ★ **ACLS-EXPERIENCED PROVIDER -CCP DIDACTIC AND HANDS-ON COURSE (LIMIT 24 STUDENTS)**
- ★ **NAEMT SAFETY COURSE:** (A minimum of 15 students needed to present this workshop-full refunds will be issued if this course does not meet the minimum)
  - DAN MILLER, CHERYL BLAZEK + BRIAN KOSTER
- ★ **DISASTER MANAGEMENT EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS** --UNITYPOINT DSM IMMC

8:00 AM - 11:15AM --1/2 DAY MORNING WORKSHOPS

- ★ \* **SERVICE DIRECTOR/MEDICAL DIRECTOR WORKSHOP**
  - BRAD VANDELUNE/STEVE VANNATTA
  - (LEADERSHIP/MANAGEMENT TRACK-AM SESSION)

12:15 PM - 4:30 PM 1/2 DAY AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS:

- ★ \* **CLINICAL GUIDELINES AND SCOPE OF PRACTICE**
  - STEVE MERCER AND DR. DAVID STILLEY
  - (LEADERSHIP/MANAGEMENT TRACK-PM SESSION)
- 🕒 \* **"WHERE'S WALDO?" MISSING MANAGERS. MISSING EMPLOYEES. MISSING LEADERS.**
  - BRUCE EVANS, MPA, CFO, NRP, SPO, Fire Chief at the Upper Pine River Fire Protection District, NAEMT President-Elect
  - This program will discuss the recruitment and retention of EMS providers. The responsibility and action of management and/or leadership in shaping the workforce will be discussed. Facilitating a "just culture" and creating a positive work environment with consistency and creating a WOW environment.
  - (LEADERSHIP/MANAGEMENT TRACK-PM SESSION)

\*IEMSA Affiliate Members: 1-Person may attend the Leadership/Management Pre-Conference AM and PM sessions at no charge--Membership status will be verified. Indicate "FREE" or Online apply Promo Code AFF-Leader19

## LUNCH AND SPECIAL EVENTS

THURSDAY 11/7 -- NEW! EXHIBIT HALL HOURS 11:15 - 6 PM

NEW THIS YEAR! LUNCH IN THE EXHIBIT HALL (11:15-12:15)

--HYVEE HALL BBQ, MEXICAN FOOD VENDORS AND SEATING WILL BE AVAILABLE

--Bring your raffle tickets to the IEMSA Booth # 65 in the exhibit hall -- drawings begin at 4:30pm

### > VENDOR HALL /WELCOMING RECEPTION

4:30 - 6:00 PM - WELCOMING RECEPTION

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- **VENDOR RAFFLE GIVEAWAY DRAWINGS BEGIN**

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- **Supporting Heroes Non-Profit Organization**

DURING LUNCH SATURDAY --

- **The Annual IEMSA Awards Ceremony**

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**DRAWINGS WILL BE HELD:**

- THURSDAY NIGHT -- 4:30PM - 6:00PM
- FRIDAY AM BREAK -- 9AM - 9:45AM
- FRIDAY PM BREAK -- 3:15PM - 3:45 PM
- SATURDAY AM BREAK 9:15AM - 9:45AM

**IMPORTANT NOTE:**

**NO RAFFLE DRAWINGS DURING LUNCH**

7:30PM - 11PM

> **"GATHERING PLACE EVENT" -- "BEER CAN ALLEY" ON COURT AVE DETAILS BELOW.**

## THURSDAY NIGHT FUN

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LOCATION: BEER CAN ALLEY - NOV. 7TH (NO COVER FOR CONFERENCE ATTENDEES)

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# PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2019

## WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS/SPEAKERS

★ = FORMAL EMS CEH + NURSING Contact Hours  
Ⓜ = OPTIONAL EMS hours

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### 1/2 DAY WORKSHOP: EMS SERVICE/MEDICAL DIRECTOR WORKSHOP ★

\$60 MEMBER / \$90 NON-MEMBER

8:00AM - 11:15AM -- **THURSDAY MORNING WORKSHOP**

MERRILL MEESE, STEVE VANNATTA, BRAD VANDELUNE  
IDPH : BUREAU OF EMERGENCY TRAUMA SERVICES

Purpose: To supply information to all workshop participants in an interactive format to assist the medical director and service director in providing administrative oversight to maintain authorization as an Iowa EMS program.

#### Objectives:

- Describe the roles and responsibilities of the Iowa Department of Public Health regarding EMS
- Review the roles, responsibilities and duties of the Medical Director and Service Director of an Iowa authorized EMS program as defined in Iowa Code Chapter 147A and Iowa Administrative Code (IAC) Section 641 Chapters 132 & 144
- List the resources available to assist the EMS physician Medical Director and Service Director with managing/oversight of their respective system to maintain authorization
- Review the AMANDA Registry System
- Apply knowledge information to given scenarios



**10:45AM-11:15AM—(GROUND EMERGENCY MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM)**

### GEMT UPDATE + ON-BOARDING 101

Don't miss this opportunity to get up to date on this NEW Federally Funded EMS Funding Source for government EMS entities that bill Medicaid. *(Final pending-expected soon!)*

### 1/2 DAY WORKSHOP: EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES AND SCOPE OF PRACTICE ★

\$60 MEMBER / \$90 NON-MEMBER

12:15 PM - 4:30 PM -- **THURSDAY AFTERNOON WORKSHOP**

STEVE MERCER, DR. DAVID STILLEY  
IDPH : BUREAU OF EMERGENCY TRAUMA SERVICES

Purpose: To provide a detailed review of the National EMS Clinical Guidelines (2.2) and how the guidelines can be utilized by EMS programs and providers. To review the development and implementation of the National EMS Scope of Practice.

#### At the conclusion of the program participants shall be able to:

- discuss the development of the National EMS Clinical Guidelines
- discuss how the guidelines can be utilized in the development of local protocols
- discuss the development of the National EMS Scope of Practice and how it influences Iowa's Scope of Practice

### 1/2 DAY WORKSHOP:

### “WHERE’S WALDO? MISSING MANAGERS, MISSING EMPLOYEES, MISSING LEADERS. ★

**MODERN MANAGEMENT-BECOME A LEARNING ORGANIZATION (RECRUITMENT + RETENTION)**

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12:15 PM - 4:30 PM -- **THURSDAY AFTERNOON WORKSHOP**

**BRUCE EVANS, MPA, CFO, NRP, SPO** is the Fire Chief at the Upper Pine River Fire Protection District. Chief Evans arrived in La Plata County after serving as the EMS Chief and as an Assistant Chief at the North Las Vegas Fire Department in Southern Nevada. Chief Evans had served at the Henderson (NV) Fire Department for 18 years as a fire and EMS captain. Mr. Evans is an NFPA Fire Instructor III and served as a college faculty member at the College of Southern Nevada's Fire Technology program teaching various fire and EMS topics for 21 years. Bruce has over 35 years' experience in a variety of EMS settings and is the 2010 recipient of the International Association of Fire Chiefs James O Page award for Leadership in EMS. He is currently on the Board of Directors for the National Association of EMT's and was awarded the 2014 Presidential Leadership Award. He holds a Masters degree in Public Administration, Bachelors degree in Education, and Associates in Fire Management. Bruce is a certified faculty for the International Public Safety Leadership and Ethics training program and instructor at the National Emergency Training Center authoring several courses in emergency response and incident management. Chief Evans has participated in exercise evaluation at the Nevada Test Site and participated in the REAC/TS courses in conjunction with the DOE. Bruce co-authored several textbooks, Crew Resource Management with Jones and Bartlett, Management of EMS and EMS Research and Quality Management with Prentice Hall, IFSTA's Structural Series High-Rise Firefighting. He is one of the authors of the National Association of EMT's Safety Course and the Personal Ethics and Leadership Course.

This program will discuss the recruitment and retention of EMS providers. The responsibility and action of management and/or leadership in shaping the workforce will be discussed. Facilitating a “just culture” and creating a positive work environment with consistency and creating a WOW environment.

The EMS workforce today presents many challenges to EMS managers and leaders. Everyone wants a trophy and may need a safe space to process, yet EMS lends itself to a need to process the agony of defeat in meeting the next challenge. Building and maintaining a high-performance team is a challenge with today's workforce. This session will look at motivational techniques of generations entering EMS. In small groups the participants will engage in team building exercises and discuss key development issues in the workforce specific to EMS. Dealing with employee discipline using Just Culture and the Seven Windows Counseling process to keep staff on track with professional development and staying aligned with your EMS organization's mission and values.

#### Objectives:

- The participant will in a simulation counsel a poorly performing employee
- In a group exercise the participant will solve a complex problem and evaluate the motivation and engagement
- The participant will recognize the techniques to advance an employee through a due process and just culture progressive discipline system.



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### FULL DAY : PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

#### CRITICAL CARE PARAMEDIC (CCP) REFRESHER

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#### COMPLICATIONS OF THE ACUTE CORONARY SYNDROME ★

NEAL J. WEERS, B.S., CEPS

- Review the signs and symptoms of an Acute Coronary Syndrome
- Recognize the right ventricular MI
- Discuss the management of the Acute Coronary Syndrome patient in shock

#### IT'S ALL ABOUT THE HEART: CASE STUDIES IN THE COMPLEX CARDIAC PATIENT ★

NEAL J. WEERS, B.S., CEPS

- Discuss abnormalities of the cardiac conduction system
- Explain the function of implanted cardiac devices
- Describe the management approach of implanted cardiac devices

#### OBSTETRICS ( CASE STUDY ) ★

MICHAEL A. KADUCE

#### TOXICOLOGY ( CASE STUDY ) ★

CHRISTOPHER LEE WISTROM DO

Lecture to include overview of toxidromes and specific presentations of common toxicology encounters in case based format. Including but not limited to acid base disturbances, antidotes, and a "lethal-not lethal" lightning round.

**Objectives:**

- Define toxicology and toxicity.
- Discuss different types of toxic responses.
- Explain how toxicants are classified.
- Describe the phases of toxicosis.
- Explain how concomitant exposure influences toxicity

#### LIGHTENING STRIKE ( CASE STUDY ) ★

MICHAEL A. KADUCE

#### TRAUMA/TXA ( CAST STUDY TRAUMA-EMS ) ★

JOSHUA A PRUITT, MD, FAAEM

**Objectives:**

- Describe scene assessment, initial evaluation, and patient triage
- Discuss BLS and ACLS modifications for cardiac arrest associated with trauma
- Discuss life-threatening complications associated with trauma arrest
- State interventions for trauma
- List cardiopulmonary complications of chest trauma
- List differential diagnoses of life-threatening chest trauma
- Discuss interventions for tension pneumothorax

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- Cardiovascular Emergencies
- Cerebrovascular Emergencies
- Clinical Pharmacology and Toxicology Emergencies
- Effective communication within a resuscitation team and recognition of the impact of team dynamics on overall team performance
- High-Quality CPR
- Post-Cardiac Arrest Care
- Respiratory and Metabolic Emergencies

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#### TOXICOLOGY ( CASE STUDY ) ★

—CHRISTOPHER LEE WISTROM DO

Lecture to include overview of toxidromes and specific presentations of common toxicology encounters in case based format. Including but not limited to acid base disturbances, antidotes, and a "lethal-not lethal" lightning round.

**Objectives:**

- Define toxicology and toxicity.
- Discuss different types of toxic responses.
- Explain how toxicants are classified.
- Describe the phases of toxicosis.
- Explain how concomitant exposure influences toxicity

#### LIGHTENING STRIKE -(CASE STUDY) ★

MICHAEL A. KADUCE

#### TRAUMA/TXA (CAST STUDY TRAUMA-EMS) ★

JOSHUA A PRUITT, MD, FAAEM

**Objectives:**

- Describe scene assessment, initial evaluation, and patient triage
- Discuss BLS and ACLS modifications for cardiac arrest associated with trauma
- Discuss life-threatening complications associated with trauma arrest
- State interventions for trauma
- List cardiopulmonary complications of chest trauma
- List differential diagnoses of life-threatening chest trauma
- Discuss interventions for tension pneumothorax



**FULL DAY : PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP**

**NAEMT'S EMS SAFETY COURSE** ★

—DAN MILLER, CHERYL BLAZEK AND BRIAN KOSTER

**\$120 MEMBER / \$150 NON-MEMBER**

NAEMT's EMS Safety Course teaches students how to protect themselves and their patients while on the job. It promotes a culture of safety and helps reduce the number of on-the-job fatalities and injuries. EMS Safety is the only national, comprehensive safety course for EMS practitioners. Its interactive format features real-life case studies and compelling discussions on current safety issues, and provides participants with a forum to share their own experiences. Critical thinking stations help build participants' risk assessment and decision-making skills.

**Participants are taught:**

- To identify and manage the hazards that can appear during daily tasks, from offensive drivers to violent encounters to chronic stress.
- Practical strategies that they can apply in the field, from situational awareness to defensive driving to verbal deflection.
- How to strengthen their resiliency skills in order to combat both chronic and critical incident stress.

**Topics covered include:**

- Applying crew resource management in EMS.
- Utilizing situational awareness and defensive driving for safe emergency vehicle operations.
- Employing multi-agency pre-planning, vehicle and practitioner visibility techniques, and defensive staging practices at roadside incidents.
- Utilizing lift assist teams, lifting and moving equipment, and behavioral controls to protect both EMS practitioners and patients from injury.

- Employing situational awareness to continually assess for the potential of violence on the scene and verbal and physical techniques to deescalate potential threats.
- Practicing infection and contagion control to protect both EMS practitioners and patients from emerging threats.
- Strengthening resiliency skills to help EMS practitioners cope with daily and critical incident stress.
- Ensuring personal readiness for the daily challenges and hazards of working in the field through optimal personal health.

EMS Safety is offered as an 8-hour classroom course and is appropriate for all levels of EMS practitioners, other medical professionals providing prehospital patient care, and EMS supervisors and administrators. Students who successfully complete the course receive a certificate of completion and a wallet card good for 4 years. EMS Safety is accredited by CAPCE and recognized by NREMT.

**FULL DAY : PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP**

**DISASTER MANAGEMENT AND EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (DMEP) COURSE** ★

—BRIAN FIEST

**\$120 MEMBER / \$150 NON-MEMBER**

The Disaster Management and Emergency Preparedness (DMEP) course teaches planning methods, preparedness, and medical management of trauma patients in mass casualty disaster situations. Through lecture and interactive scenarios, health care providers learn incident command terminology, principals of disaster triage, injury patterns, and availability of assets for support during the one-day program.

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# FRIDAY : DAY 1 — NOVEMBER 8, 2019

## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS/SPEAKERS

★ = FORMAL EMS CEH + NURSING Contact Hours  
 Ⓜ = OPTIONAL EMS hours

### GENERAL SESSION

7:45 AM - 9:00 AM -

#### ★ **THREE WAYS TO GET THERE**

—BILL JUSTICE, MIKE GRILL, GARY WIEMOKLY

A look at the similarities and differences in EMS and Fire based systems utilizing the well-known "Blue Collar group" concept.

### TRACK 1

9:45 AM - 10:35 AM

#### ★ **NEURO EMERGENCIES** --DR. JOSHUA PRUITT

##### Objectives:

- Discuss current trends in prehospital evaluation and management of common neurologic emergencies
- Evaluate best evidence-based practice in the prehospital setting
- Consider unique challenges fo interfacility transport of neurologic patients

10:45 AM - 11:55 PM

#### ★ **10 WAYS TO RUIN YOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE ORGANIZATION (ESO) OR YOUR LIFE** --DON COX

This program will identify current ESO practices that have a negative impact on their organizational effectiveness and success. The focus is on Leadership Behavior to Avoid; not holding people accountable; lack of effective and up-to-date SOGs; poor financial management and decision-making not based on data driven analysis.

##### Objectives:

- The participant will be able to describe how negative organizational behavior can have an adverse impact on patient care due to reputational perceptions, morale and ineffective decision-making.
- The participant will be able to describe common leadership/management behaviors that contribute to legal and/or financial devastating events.
- The participant will be able to identify emergency service organizational culture that needs to be changed for our organizations to effectively survive and provide high-quality patient care.
- The participant will be able to identify effective leadership/management actions that avoid potentially negative incidents.

1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

#### Ⓜ **HAND RAISING THE NEXT GENERATION EMS MENTORING** --VITO CICCARELLI AND KALEB HECK

The course will outline the necessary steps to an effective mentoring program. From finding the right mentor to finding the right candidate for the training. I will give a complete outline of the program I've developed and the story and relationship I have with our most successful mentee Kaleb. The first half I will present will cover my point of view as mentor and program creator, the second portion will be the presentation from the side of the mentee which Kaleb will present. The objectives I will cover range from successful program start up, training resources we used to further education of the potential up and comers, both teachers and pupils. Time management for a successful program. Also, development for an overall plan of completion i.e will this be used as a recruiting device, employee retention program or generational gap bridging device within your respective department. Kalebs objectives mostly cover his experience in the program, things that could have worked better for him and how beneficial it was to his development and how it fast tracked his career.

2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

#### ★ **TACTICAL HOSPITAL EMS COORDINATION FOR DISASTER (DISASTER FROM ONE SCENE TO ANOTHER)**

—CHRISTOPHER WISTROM

10,000 foot view of how hospitals are very soft targets. Brief insight into current and traditional hospital preparation and further review of reasonable planning that should be considered. .

### TRACK 2

9:45 AM - 10:35 AM

#### ★ **SURVIVING IN THE CROSS HAIRS : RESPONSE TO ACTIVE SHOOTERS** --BILL JUSTICE

Have you read the news lately? One of the fastest growing problems in America is urban terrorism. This presentation will focus on new tactics for both law enforcement and medical providers involved in an active shooter scenario. This program is extremely controversial and overviews the newest most effective way to respond to an active shooter event. Teamwork, good communication, effective triage, proper equipment and a formulated plan "before" the attack are paramount for an integrated response.

10:45 AM - 11:55 PM

#### ★ **THEY'RE JUST SO SWEET! CHILDREN WITH DIABETES**

—GARY WIEMOKLY

The number of children with diabetes seems to be on the rise, which increases the chances EMS will be responding to those pediatric patients. This class reviews pathophysiological factors, diet, activity levels, current medications, interventions and assessment tips. Attendees will gain insight into the importance of a complete assessment of the diabetic child and leave with a better understanding of emergency treatment choices and just what the heck is going on!

##### Objectives:

- Will be able to list current diabetic treatments in the pediatric patient.
- Will participate in an in-depth review of diabetes, what it is, what it is not, compare and contrast elements in onset of the disease and how these all relate to EMS.
- Have an in-depth review of the issues facing children with diabetes.
- Will be able to identify the anatomical and physiological factors in the diabetic child.
- Gain insight into the importance of a complete assessment with the diabetic child.

1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

#### ★ **AIRWAY EMERGENCIES**—DR. JOSHUA PRUITT

##### Objectives:

- Discuss management of routine and difficult airways
- Explore pre-intubation optimization
- Manage post-intubation sedation, pain control, and ventilation
- Evaluate RSI and DSI

2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

#### ★ **OPIOID EPIDEMIC: OVERDOSE SCENE MANAGEMENT**

--LINDSAY SCHRADER

This presentation touches on multiple elements of the Opioid Epidemic and how it relates to first responders. This course will explore how treating overdose scenes as crime scenes will further assist in the prosecution of drug dealers but also helps promote treatment and prevention efforts for victims of an overdose. First responders are the first contact victims have after an overdose and it is important to understand what Substance Use Disorder is and



ways to promote treatment efforts for both the victims and their families. Naloxone (Narcan) is an extremely important tool for first responders and this presentation will touch on how it works during an overdose and some challenges first responders have faced since it has become more readily available to the community.

#### Objectives:

- Define the Opioid Epidemic as it relates to First Responders.
- Understand how treating overdoses at crime scenes are important.
- Define Ways to support treatment efforts and increase prevention efforts for victims of overdoses and their family members.

### TRACK 3

9:45 AM - 10:35 PM

#### ★ PEDIATRIC ABUSE: A CASE STUDY—CATHERINE DEPOOLE

This is a presentation about a local 3-year-old that died at the hands of her father and step mother's abuse and neglect. I was the primary care paramedic for Audryna and will present her case from beginning to end with an emphasis on abuse/neglect reporting for EMS. Also speaking will be Audryna's birth mother, her focus will be to encourage EMS and first responders to report signs of abuse and neglect.

One of the news reports can be seen here:

[https://lacrossetribune.com/news/local/crime-and-courts/father-pleads-in-holmen-toddler-s-death/article\\_7afd1111-ffbd-50d1-ae5-832a18381d4c.html](https://lacrossetribune.com/news/local/crime-and-courts/father-pleads-in-holmen-toddler-s-death/article_7afd1111-ffbd-50d1-ae5-832a18381d4c.html)

#### Objectives:

- Hear Audryna's story/case
- Statistics of child abuse
- Learn hidden signs of child abuse and neglect
- EMS providers role in reporting
- Documentation
- Who to report to in your state (Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota)

10:45 AM - 11:55 PM

#### ★ TOO MUCH. TOO LITTLE. TOO LONG.

#### THE SCIENCE OF CARDIAC ARREST RESUSCITATION --MIKE GRILL

This session will review the impact of Legalization of Marijuana on EMS. The science of cardiac arrest resuscitation has taught us when rescuers 'become the pump' they must 'remain the pump'. Your hands are their heart and by stopping compressions circulation to vital organs comes to a screeching halt. Yet, too often compressions are interrupted for too long a period of time, creating neurologic devastation if the patient survives. This presentation explores the science behind cardiocerebral resuscitation and explains how rescuers can maintain the hemodynamic status of their patients. It will also offer insights into the post-resuscitative phase with a discussion of the importance of induced hypothermia and how it works. TIP: Did you know that in one study the period of time it took to deliver two ventilations by experienced paramedics caused compressions to be stopped for 10 seconds?

1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

#### ★ WHAT'S HAPPENING TO OUR MUSICAL HEROES? CHRONIC DISEASE OR POTENTIAL ACUTE CRITICAL ILLNESS-- ASSESSMENT TO TREATMENT --GARY WIEMOKLY

If you're like me you enjoy music, all kinds of music, it helps us get through some days; makes emotional connections with us and builds memories, makes us smile, and even makes us cry. We all have our favorite musicians, troubadours, singers, and songwriters we often place them on pedestals and look up to them and at times wish we could be "rock stars" too. The reality is they are just like you and me and indeed experience the "human condition." Which means they get sick too and sometimes they don't recover from their illness just like everyday patients in your town! Let's explore some of these illnesses from assessment to treatment with a bit of a musical focus!

**NOTE:** This talk is NOT about Rock Stars dying from ODs or alcohol abuse, but rather the impact of autoimmune, diabetic, cardiac, neurological, and respiratory issues (and others) that impact everyday people who just happen to be Rock Stars!

2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

#### ★ A SHOUT AWAY : RESPONSE TO MASS CASUALTY INCIDENTS --BILL JUSTICE

This session will provide participants with a realistic perspective of the necessary components to choreograph an MCI. How to best utilize the newest SALT triage/treatment program in the pre-hospital and hospital environment. This new program allows for early interventions of specific life-threatening conditions and allow a more effective triage/tagging system. A review of the difference between a multi-patient incident (MPI) and a mass casualty incident (MCI), roles and responsibilities of responders, scene safety, incident management system (IMS) for pre-hospital and in-hospital will be discussed. The end-result is the participants will realize and "get" what works and what doesn't at real incidents and how drills make a difference in preparedness.

### TRACK 4

9:45 AM - 10:35 PM

#### ★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK

#### HEMORRHAGE CONTROL + FLUID RESUSCITATION : --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

- **DON'T BLEED IN MY TRUCK!** We will review tourniquet use and application, wound packing and considerations for the BLS provider in patients with life-threatening hemorrhage.
- **CRYSTALLOIDS IN FLUID RESUSCITATION** We will review the indications for fluid use in trauma and medical patients. We will talk about the latest research regarding crystalloids in trauma and discuss the complications that can arise from excessive fluid administration.

10:45 AM - 11:55 PM

#### ★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK :

#### FIELD TRIAGE REVIEW—REUBEN FARNSWORTH

We will review START Triage, SALT Triage and several other common triage systems. We will practice triaging some cases to see how well you do in an MCI.

1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

#### ★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: PART 1 OF 2: WHAT'S THAT IN MY PATIENT? THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE IMPLANTED--REUBEN FARNSWORTH

This course takes a look at all the gadgets our patients have to aid their medical situation. We will cover common devices that are implanted and attached, while discussing common issues with these devices and the best methods for EMS providers to assist in their operation or malfunction.

2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

#### ★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER -PART 2 OF 2: WHAT'S THAT IN MY PATIENT? THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE IMPLANTED--REUBEN FARNSWORTH

### GENERAL SESSION

3:45 PM - 5:00 PM

#### ★ SEPSIS AND EMS THE SOUTH DENVER EXPERIENCE —MIKE GRILL

In 2009 the South Denver EMS team developed and implemented an EMS Sepsis alert program for fire/EMS agencies in Colorado. The results? If EMS properly identifies and alerts the receiving facility of the pending arrival of a severely septic patient, mortality in that subset of patients can decrease from 26% to 13%. This presentation describes the sepsis alert development process, education, protocol implementation, the role of the receiving hospitals and the research making this program an award winning program as identified by UCLA's Prehospital Research forum.



# SATURDAY : DAY 2 — NOVEMBER 9, 2019

## COURSE DESCRIPTIONS/SPEAKERS

★ = FORMAL EMS CEH + NURSING Contact Hours  
 ⓪ = OPTIONAL EMS hours

### GENERAL SESSION

8:25 AM - 9:15 AM

#### ★ BRINGING BATTLEFIELD MEDICINE TO OUR STREETS -

--BILL JUSTICE

Decisive and split-second care of bleeding, chest injuries and airway problems to include "self-aid" is imperative for a positive outcome of a trauma patient. This program presents the most current effective interventions following the Trauma Casualty Care Course (TCCC) recommendations of immediate life-saving steps and the proper sequence in which to do them. The program is targeted to all audiences both hospital and pre-hospital clinicians, law enforcement, military and special operational units.

### TRACK 1

9:45 AM - 10:35 AM

#### ★ WHAT IS MOBILE INTEGRATED HEALTHCARE-COMMUNITY PARAMEDICINE IN IOWA?

--MIKE VAN NIEWAAL, TERRY EVANS & LINDA FREDERIKSEN

EMS Systems were originally developed in the 1960s to provide care for patients experiencing emergencies. As prehospital health care systems continue to emerge, findings show an increasing number of patients who contact the 9-1-1 system for nonemergency situations, related to a lack of primary health care services. Recognizing that many patients who call 9-1-1 could be cared for more appropriately in other locations, such as a physician's office or clinic, an innovative interest in the development of Mobile Integrated Healthcare Systems utilizing Community Paramedicine to provide safe, effective, and cost-appropriate treatment alternatives.

Join a few of the IDPH Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council MIH-CP Subcommittee Members Terry Evans, Michael Van Niewaal, and Linda Frederiksen, in addition to IDPH BETS Chief Rebecca Curtiss for an engaging overview of the current and future landscape of Mobile Integrated Healthcare-Community Paramedicine in Iowa.

#### What is Mobile Integrated Healthcare-Community Paramedicine in Iowa?

- Gain an overview of the history of and drivers for Mobile Integrated Healthcare-Community Paramedicine (MIH-CP) nationally and in Iowa
- Define MIH-C
- Discuss the importance of conducting a community health needs assessment to determine if healthcare gaps exist.
- Understand the regulatory Aspects of MIH-CP in Iowa
- Introduce the IDPH Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council (EMSAC) Mobile Integrated Health-Community Paramedicine Subcommittee
- Discuss MIH-CP Outcome data

10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

#### ★ AN OVERVIEW OF MOBILE INTEGRATED HEALTH-COMMUNITY PARAMEDICINE (MIH-CP) SERVICE DELIVERY MODELS IN IOWA WITH PANEL DISCUSSION

--MIKE VAN NIEWAAL, TERRY EVANS & LINDA FREDERIKSEN

- Compare and contrast the service delivery models of two MIH-CP programs in Iowa
- Launch the rollout of the EMSAC MIH-CP toolkit
- Perform additional MIH-CP gap analysis utilizing Panel Discussion and Q & A

1:00 PM - 2:15 PM

#### ★ PEDIATRIC AIRWAY EMERGENCY CASE STUDY : HELP MY BABY! --DAN MILLER

Dealing with stress in pediatrics and case studies--

#### Objectives:

- To understand the internal and external causes stress of pediatric calls.
- Building strategies to alleviate some of those stressors.
- To identify a systematic approach to assessment and treatment.
- Case studies and mini codes with audience interaction.

2:25 PM - 3:15 PM

#### ★ ISLAND EMS, NOT ALWAYS SUNSHINE AND PINA COLADAS NATURAL DISASTER DEPLOYMENT ON THE ISLAND OF ST. CROIX, USVI POST HURRICANE IRMA AND MARIA IN 2017--ANDY NEY

Andy Ney shares his experience on a Natural Disaster Deployment on the island of St. Croix, USVI post Hurricane Irma and Maria in 2017. Andy's role during his EMS deployment was 9-1-1 Paramedic for 30 days in November of 2017 and was brought back to the island in February 2018 for a 14 day implementation period of a Mobile Integrated Health (MIH) Program. He is a member of the Pafford EMS Special Response Team; the organization that attained a FEMA contract for this Disaster Deployment from October 26th, 2017 to June 3rd, 2018. The Pafford EMS SRT worked closely with Virgin Island EMS Officials and USVI Department of Health representatives during this time period to find the best health initiatives and emergency medical response for the citizens and visitors on the Island of St. Croix.

### TRACK 2

9:45 AM - 10:35 AM

#### ★ THE TOXIC HOUSE-WHAT CHILDREN FIND--GARY WIEMOKLY

Have you ever been call to a child choking? How about if the dispatch indicates, "child took something?" When you arrive on scene and begin to sort out the possibilities you actually discover that the youngster has ingested something that is not for human consumption or it is...if they were say 68 years of age and 150 pounds! What is it that children so often find, why are they drawn to toxic items, what can EMS do about this? Join Gary in this presentation of discovery and what you can do about making a positive change and taking public health preventative action.

#### Objectives:

Upon completion of this presentation the attendee will:

- Be able to list why children are drawn to toxic items.
- Be able to identify what some of the "hidden" toxic items in the home are.
- Gain insight into assisting families improve the safety of their home by removing or properly storing toxic substances.

10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

#### ★ PHTLS UPDATE : TRAUMA CARE: WHAT'S NEW? --MICHAEL KADUCE

EMS Providers are constantly facing new advancements and treatment protocols in the care of their trauma patients. This class will focus on treatments for all levels of providers which have been demonstrated to improve outcomes of patient survival. This course will not be a rehashing of all the things you learned in your initial training but instead focus on advances in trauma care.

#### Objectives:

- Describe the treatment for a patient suffering from an unstable pelvic fracture.
- Describe the treatment for a patient suffering from traumatic chest injuries.
- Describe the treatment for a patient suffering from a traumatic head injury



1:00 PM - 2:15 PM

**★ CASE STUDIES IN PRE HOSPITAL CARE** --MIKE GRILL

Trauma, pulmonary emboli, and AAA are just a few of the case studies offered in this interactive class. The student will be challenged to use their knowledge, skills, and experience in this workshop with cases from actual calls I have experienced in my EMS career. This class is for the serious EMS provider who really wants to test their patient assessment and treatment skills. If you want a class that you can sit down, relax, and dream about tomorrow, than THIS CLASS IS NOT FOR YOU!

**Objectives:**

- Describe the treatment for a patient suffering from an unstable pelvic fracture.
- Describe the treatment for a patient suffering from traumatic chest injuries.
- Describe the treatment for a patient suffering from a traumatic head injury

2:25 PM - 3:15 PM

**★ EMS AT THE MOVIES : MAKING YOUR EMS PROGRAM AND PROVIDERS STRONGER**--MARTIN HERKER

Did you know Hollywood stars like Sylvester Stallone, Tom Hanks, Anne Hathaway, and Nicholas Cage did movies about EMS? Grab some popcorn and come see how their movies can make your EMS agency better and turn you into a stronger provider.

- Review training goals related to crew needs
- Define strategies to defuse difficult situations
- Review importance of mentoring in building EMS providers
- Developing support between EMS provider groups and families

**TRACK 3**

9:45 AM - 10:35 PM

**★ CAPNOGRAPHY: PREVENTING THE IN + OUT BLUES**--MIKE GRILL

This session will teach you the benefits of quantitative EtCO<sub>2</sub> monitoring and waveform assessment. A review of the A & P of the respiratory system and the role of capnography as an assessment and diagnostic tool will be presented. When this session concludes, you'll understand the difference between capnography and capnometry and how to use the values and waveforms to more accurately assess and treat your patients.

10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

**★ VAPING ASSOCIATED PULMONARY INJURY**--JEFF MESSEROLE

Vaping is becoming increasingly popular especially with our younger generations. It can't be harmful, the flavors are great, and the amount of smoke is enticing. However, lately there have been vaping-related deaths. During the presentation we will address the following:

- Describe inhalation injuries relating to vaping
- Identify the components of a vaping device
- Discuss the additives that may be leading to vaping deaths
- Develop a list differential diagnosis based on a case scenario presentation
- Determine some treatment options when confronted with Vaping Associated Pulmonary Injury – VAPI

1:00 PM - 3:15 PM

**★ CONCUSSION INJURIES: HOW MANY FINGERS AM I HOLDING UP?**--GARY WIEMOKLY

The days of "jog it off, you'll be fine" are gone or are they? Each year a significant number of sandlot to professional athletes are the recipients of head injuries that involve concussions. Just what is a concussion, what affect will this have on the injured player? Are there keys to assessment that will help EMS to rule-in a concussion? What are the treatment choices for head injury and concussion? Join Gary for this informative presentation and hear what the latest is on head injury and concussions, coming to a playground near you!

2:25 PM - 3:15 PM

**★ PUBLIC ACCESS ON NALOXONE**--MICHAEL KADUCE

Can anyone walk in to a pharmacy and receive naloxone? Should naloxone be as readily available as automated external defibrillators? Should law enforcement and first responders administer naloxone? After administering naloxone isn't the patient going to become aggressive and violent? Can EMS sign refusals on patients following naloxone administration? Is public access naloxone a temporary fix for a bigger problem or a real solution to this epidemic? These are just some of the current dilemmas facing EMS providers who are on the front lines in the fight against opioid abuse. By asking controversial questions and diving head first into the data, the impacts of public access naloxone can be evaluated.

**TRACK 4**

9:45 AM - 10:35 PM

**★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: BEDROOMS, BATHTUBS AND BROOMSTICKS (PSYCHIATRIC/BEHAVIORAL)**

—REUBEN P. FARNSWORTH, NREMT-PARAMEDIC, CCP-C (BCCTPC)

The Field... The very term invokes visions of a mythical realm where student sojourn after school. Paramedic school prepares you for many things, but it seems they may have left out a few as well. We will talk about all the things you never knew you would do, from reattaching colostomy bags, to the 400 lb pt. wedged between the toilet and the bathtub in a single wide trailer. This humorous and informative presentation delves into the topics they don't cover in school. The good news is.... You're still in EMS and you wouldn't want it any other way. It's not a job, it's an adventure.

10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

**★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK : VENTILATORY THEORY AND OXYGENATION**

—REUBEN P. FARNSWORTH, NREMT-PARAMEDIC, CCP-C (BCCTPC)

Ventilation is not just moving air in and out of the lungs. If we understand the physiologic mechanisms at play in oxygenation and ventilation, we are far more prepared to treat patients in the best manner possible. Treating adequately is not enough, we need to treat exceptionally and this discussion will help develop those skills.

1:00 PM - 2:15 PM

**★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK:****WHEN AND WHAT TO REPORT (AT-RISK POPULATIONS)**

—REUBEN P. FARNSWORTH, NREMT-PARAMEDIC, CCP-C (BCCTPC)

We will review who constitutes at-risk populations; the elderly, developmentally disabled and children. We will discuss mandatory reporting requirements and the legal statute in Iowa. We will also discuss common signs and scene findings associated with at-risk personnel. We may be the only ones who ever see the problem, we must be able to recognize these patients and intervene.

2:25 PM - 3:15 PM

**★ NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK:****HOW ARE WE DYING? THE LATEST RESEARCH REGARDING EMS DRIVING AND INJURY (EMS RESEARCH)**

—REUBEN P. FARNSWORTH, NREMT-PARAMEDIC, CCP-C (BCCTPC)

There are numerous studies showing how dangerous driving is to EMS professionals. We will review the literature regarding EMS driving incidents and discuss ways to mitigate and lower our risk of fatality on the ambulance. The most likely way that providers will suffer a line of duty death is in a motor vehicle accident. Let's focus on the preventable.

**GENERAL SESSION**

3:25 PM - 4:40 PM

**★ I'VE FALLEN 100 FEET AND CAN'T GET UP**

—BRUCE EVANS, AND VITO CICCARELLI

People are pushing the limits of their abilities in extreme environments sometimes with unfortunate consequences. This session will review four cases of extreme falls with great outcomes. The logistics and care required to remove a victim and maintain a critical trauma patient in an austere environment will be discussed.

- The attendee will identify the therapies to maintain a critical trauma patient in an austere environment. be beneficial to providers of all skill levels and tenure.
- The participant' will identify the need for proper training and tools for removing a victim from and austere environment. be beneficial to providers of all skill levels and tenure.
- The student will prioritize interventions on a critical trauma victim resulting from a fall and airway compromise.



# FRIDAY NOVEMBER 8, 2019 SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE PLANNER

★ = FORMAL EMS CEH + NURSING Contact Hours  
 ○ = OPTIONAL EMS hours  
 (Hours applied for finalized at Conference)

6:45 AM REGISTRATION OPENS

7:45 AM - 9:00 AM --KEYNOTE SPEAKER GENERAL SESSION **BALLROOM**

★ **THREE WAYS TO GET THERE** —BILL JUSTICE, MIKE GRILL, GARY WIEMOKLY

9:00 AM - 9:45 PM

- **BREAK IN THE EXHIBIT HALL--HYVEE HALL C**  
**Give-Away Drawings Continue** and Refreshments and a treat will be served in the exhibit hall for this break.
- **YOUR CHANCE TO DROP OFF YOUR RAFFLE TICKET**  
 \*DROP OFF YOUR RAFFLE ENTRY CARDS IN THE RAFFLE BAG AT THE IEMSA BOOTH #65 IN THE EXHIBIT HALL.

9:45 AM - 10:35 AM

- ★ **NEURO EMERGENCIES** --DR. JOSHUA PRUITT
- ★ **SURVIVING IN THE CROSS HAIRS : RESPONSE TO ACTIVE SHOOTERS** --BILL JUSTICE
- ★ **PEDIATRIC ABUSE: A CASE STUDY** --CATHERINE DEPOOLE
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK HEMORRHAGE CONTROL + FLUID RESUSCITATION** --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

10:45 AM - 11:55 AM

- ★ **10 WAYS TO RUIN YOUR EMERGENCY SERVICE ORGANIZATION (ESO) OR YOUR LIFE** --DON COX
- ★ **THEY'RE JUST SO SWEET! CHILDREN WITH DIABETES** --GARY WIEMOKLY
- ★ **TOO MUCH. TOO LITTLE. TOO LONG. THE SCIENCE OF CARDIAC ARREST RESUSCITATION** --MIKE GRILL
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK : FIELD TRIAGE REVIEW** --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

NOON - 1:00 PM

- **Lunch is also available at the FOOD VENDORS (BBQ, Mexican) IN THE EXHIBIT HALL**
- **SIT-DOWN LUNCH** --Presentation by **Supporting Heroes (EMS, FIRE + POLICE)** -- you must have purchased a ticket with your registration. Lunch is served in the educational area of the event center. Your Badge indicates your lunch purchase on the back--this is your ticket.

1:00 PM - 1:50 PM

- ○ **HAND RAISING THE NEXT GENERATION EMS MENTORING** --VITO CICCARELLI AND KALEB HECK
- ★ **AIRWAY EMERGENCIES** --DR. JOSHUA PRUITT
- ★ **WHAT'S HAPPENING TO OUR MUSICAL HEROES? CHRONIC DISEASE OR POTENTIAL ACUTE CRITICAL ILLNESS--ASSESSMENT TO TREATMENT** --GARY WIEMOKLY
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: PART 1 OF 2: WHAT'S THAT IN MY PATIENT? THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE IMPLANTED** --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

2:00 PM - 3:15 PM

- ★ **TACTICAL HOSPITAL EMS COORDINATION FOR DISASTER (DISASTER FROM ONE SCENE TO ANOTHER)** --CHRISTOPHER WISTROM
- ★ **OPIOID EPIDEMIC: OVERDOSE SCENE MANAGEMENT** --LINDSAY SCHRADER
- ★ **A SHOUT AWAY : RESPONSE TO MASS CASUALTY INCIDENTS** --BILL JUSTICE
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER -PART 2 OF 2: WHAT'S THAT IN MY PATIENT? THE GOOD, THE BAD AND THE IMPLANTED** --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

3:15PM - 3:45PM

- **BREAK IN THE EXHIBIT HALL--HYVEE HALL C**  
**Give-Away Drawings Continue** and Refreshments and a treat will be served in the exhibit hall for this break.
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3:45 PM - 5:00 PM -- KEYNOTE SPEAKER--GENERAL SESSION - BALLROOM

★ **SEPSIS AND EMS THE SOUTH DENVER EXPERIENCE** —MIKE GRILL

8:30 PM - 11:30 PM — ★ **JOHNNY HOLM BAND --IS BACK! IT'S A DANCE PARTY** ★

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# SATURDAY NOVEMBER 9, 2019 SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE PLANNER

★ = FORMAL EMS CEH + NURSING Contact Hours

## 7:00 AM REGISTRATION OPENS

7:30-8:15 AM — **HONORING OUR OWN CEREMONY** : Please join us in honoring those no longer with us at this moving ceremony. Upstairs in the Ballroom--Level 3. This ceremony starts promptly at 7:30am. Doors will be closed once the ceremony starts.

## 8:25 AM - 9:15 AM -- KEYNOTE SPEAKER GENERAL SESSION **BALLROOM**

★ **BRINGING BATTLEFIELD MEDICINE TO OUR STREETS** --BILL JUSTICE

### 9:15 AM - 9:45 PM

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### 9:45 AM - 10:35 AM

- ★ **WHAT IS MOBILE INTEGRATED HEALTHCARE-COMMUNITY PARAMEDICINE IN IOWA?**  
--MIKE VAN NIEWAAL, TERRY EVANS & LINDA FREDERIKSEN
- ★ **THE TOXIC HOUSE-WHAT CHILDREN FIND**  
--GARY WIEMOKLY
- ★ **CAPNOGRAPHY: PREVENTING THE IN AND OUT BLUES**  
--MIKE GRILL
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: BEDROOMS, BATHTUBS AND BROOMSTICKS (PSYCHIATRIC/ BEHAVIORAL)** --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

### 10:45 AM - 12:00 PM

- ★ **AN OVERVIEW OF MIH-CP SERVICE DELIVERY MODELS IN IOWA WITH PANEL DISCUSSION**  
--MIKE VAN NIEWAAL, TERRY EVANS & LINDA FREDERIKSEN
- ★ **PHTLS UPDATE**--MICHAEL KADUCE
- ★ **VAPING ASSOCIATED PULMONARY INJURY**  
--JEFF MESSEROLE
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: VENTILATORY THEORY AND OXYGENATION** --REUBEN FARNSWORTH

## 3:25 PM - 4:40 PM — KEYNOTE SPEAKER--GENERAL SESSION - BALLROOM

★ **I'VE FALLEN 100 FEET AND CAN'T GET UP**— The logistics and care required to remove a victim and maintain a critical trauma patient in an austere environment will be discussed --BRUCE EVANS, AND VITO CICCARELLI

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### 1:00 PM - 2:15 PM

- ★ **PEDIATRIC AIRWAY EMERGENCY CASE STUDY**  
--DAN MILLER
- ★ **CASE STUDIES IN PRE HOSPITAL CARE** --MIKE GRILL
- ★ **CONCUSSION INJURIES: HOW MANY FINGERS AM I HOLDING UP?**--GARY WIEMOKLY
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: WHEN AND WHAT TO REPORT (AT-RISK POPULATIONS)**  
--REUBEN FARNSWORTH

### 2:25 PM - 3:15 PM

- ★ **ISLAND EMS, NOT ALWAYS SUNSHINE AND PINA COLADAS NATURAL DISASTER DEPLOYMENT ON THE ISLAND OF ST. CROIX, USVI POST HURRICANE IRMA AND MARIA IN 2017**--ANDY NEY
- ★ **EMS AT THE MOVIES: MAKING YOUR EMS PROGRAM AND PROVIDERS STRONGER**--MARTIN HERKER
- ★ **PUBLIC ACCESS ON NALOXONE**  
--MICHAEL KADUCE
- ★ **NATIONAL EMS REFRESHER TRACK: HOW ARE WE DYING? THE LATEST RESEARCH REGARDING EMS DRIVING AND INJURY (EMS RESEARCH)**  
--REUBEN FARNSWORTH

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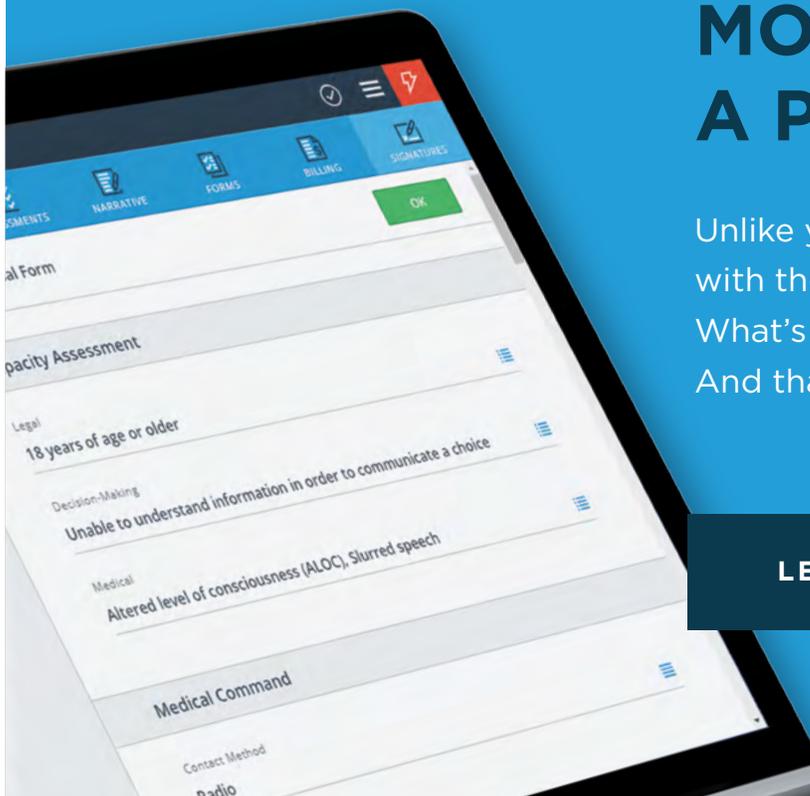


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### > DAY 1 : FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2019

- 09:45 - 10:35**
- Neuro Emergencies
  - Surviving in the Cross Hairs : Response to Active Shooters
  - Pediatric Abuse: A Case Study
  - \*National EMS Refresher Track : Hemorrhage Control + Fluid Resuscitation

- 10:45 - 11:55**
- 10 ways to ruin your ESO or your life
  - They're Just so Sweet! Children with Diabetes.
  - Too Much. Too Little. Too Long. (The Science of Cardiac Arrest Resuscitation)
  - \*National EMS Refresher Track : Field Triage Review

- 1:00 - 1:50**
- Hand Raising the Next Generation EMS Mentoring
  - Airway Emergencies
  - What's Happening to Our Musical Heroes
  - \*National EMS Refresher Track: PART 1 of 2--What's That in my Patient? Implanted Devices (Special Patient Populations)

- 2:00 - 3:15**
- Tactical Hospital EMS Coordination for Disaster from One Scene to Another
  - Opioid Epidemic: Overdose Scene Managements
  - A Shout Away : Response to Mass Casualty Incidents
  - \*National EMS Refresher Track: PART 2 of 2 --What's That in my Patient? Implanted Devices (Special Patient Populations)

### > DAY 2 : SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2019

- 09:45 - 10:35**
- What is Mobile Integrated Healthcare--Community Paramedicine in Iowa?
  - The Toxic House--What Children Find
  - Capnography: Preventing the In and Out Blues
  - National EMS Refresher Track : Bedrooms, Bathtubs, and Broomsticks (Psychiatric/Behavioral)

- 10:45 - 12:00**
- An Overview of MIH-CP Service Delivery Models in Iowa with Panel Discussion
  - PHTLS Update
  - Vaping Associated Pulmonary Injury
  - National EMS Refresher Track : Ventilatory Theory and Oxygenation

- 1:00 - 2:15**
- Pediatric Airway Emergency Case Study
  - Case Studies in Pre Hospital Care
  - Concussion Injuries: How many fingers am I holding up?
  - \*National EMS Refresher Track : When and What to Report (At-Risk Populations)

- 2:25 - 3:15**
- Island EMS, Not Always Sunshine and Pina Coladas
  - EMS at the Movies : Making your EMS Program and Providers Stronger
  - Public Access on Naloxone
  - National EMS Refresher Track: How are we dying? EMS Driving and Injury (EMS Research)

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