

Colorado Trauma Network Inc.

Legislative Sub- Committee

Date & Time: Monday September 9, 2019 1400-1500



Skype/Lync Meeting & Call - In

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- Call In:
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Agenda

- Introductions
- CTN Website Updates/CTN Legislative Resources
- Outside Organizational Alignment
 - Emergency Nurses Association
 - Colorado Nurses Association
 - Regional Emergency Medical and Trauma Services Advisory Council
- Meetings/Conversations with Legislators or their Staff
 - Other meetings with legislative partners
- Top CTN Legislative Priority 2020 - Stop the Bleed



Introductions

- Chair
 - Jennifer Kraatz Landis, BSN, RN, TCRN, EMT-P
 - Clinical Quality Specialist, UCHealth - Medical Center of the Rockies
- Co-Chair
 - Regina Krell MS, RN, CEN, TCRN
 - Trauma Program Manager, UCHealth - University of Colorado
- New Members
 - Name
 - Facility & Job role
 - What interest in and/or experience do you have in legislation?



CTN Website & Resources

- Met with Angela to update CTN site, links & resource documents sent
 - Lobbying 101
 - How a Bill Becomes a Law in Colorado
 - Letter to Legislators: Introduction to Trauma Care
 - Letter to Legislators: Inviting for Trauma Center Visit
- Board meeting this week to hopefully approval Survey Monkey & “Calls to Action” links on CTN site
 - Will develop CTN Calls to Action process once survey complete
 - Survey Monkey updated to address HB 1174
- Suggested Resources:
 - Develop Stop the Bleed Toolkit for legislation
 - Develop CTN Position Statements



Meet with Legislators & Partners

- Make contact NOW, build relationships before legislative session starts
- Identify through meetings and organizations who supports healthcare/trauma legislation
 - Approved by Dr. Lisa Ferrigno for ACSCOT - Colorado Chapter for support of Stop the Bleed Legislation in collaboration with CTN
 - Gathered support from Dr. Julie Dunn & Eric Campion for STB legislation, have both been working on this over the past few years
 - Reg to report on ENA updates
 - Robyn Wolverson (CTN Injury Prevention) agreed to share cost analysis for STB
- Establish Trauma, EMS and Critical Care Annual “Day at the Capitol”
 - Need key legislator to support & propose



#1 CTN Legislative Priority 2020

- Stop the Bleed required in all public schools
- #1 Need NOW for 2020 year - Legislator to support STB and trauma-specific legislation
 - Senator Gardner - Colorado Springs?
 - Senator Garcia?
- Action Items
 - Cost analysis complete by CTN Injury Prevention Sub - Committee
 - Bills already drafted from other states - Need Colorado author(s)
 - [ACS Stop the Bleed toolkit](#)
 - Develop CTN STB Toolkit
 - Work with University of Colorado for potential state-wide study on the impact of trauma care funding in rural settings
 - [Rising Closures of Hospital Trauma Centers Disproportionately Burden Vulnerable Populations](#)
 - Dr. Renee Yuen-Jan Hsia & Yu-Chu Shen
 - [Understanding the Relationship Between Medicaid Expansions and Hospital Closures](#)
 - Dr. Richard Lindrooth lead study at UC Denver
- Stop the Bleed Day in Colorado
 - [Georgia SR 689](#)
 - [Georgia HR 986](#)
 - [Texas HB 496](#) - Relating to traumatic injury response protocol and the use of bleeding control stations in public schools
 - [California AB 909](#) - Tactical Response to Traumatic Injuries Act



Additional CTN Legislative Priorities 2020

- **NEXT Colorado legislative session begins January 8, 2020**
- Establish state-wide trauma care funding - Prepare for Legislative year 2021
- Mental Health & Gun Violence
- Workplace Violence
- Chapter 2 revision? - Amber Burkhardt at CDPHE

Any additional topics?

