



Mile-High Regional Emergency Medical and Trauma Advisory Council First Quarter Report July 1, 2007 to September 30, 2007

Current Goals and Objectives:

1. Create a solid identity for the MHRETAC
2. Administer the MHRETAC Ambulance Inspection Grant
3. Administer the C-DOT injury prevention grant
4. Apply for 501c3 Status
5. Conduct Hospital Data Collection Project and EMS Data Collection Project as quality improvement projects through the Destination Committee
6. Integrate with other organizations to assist the medical community in its ability to respond to an all-hazards event
7. Actively participate in the Statewide Needs Assessment Project
8. Support Standardization among the Counties in the Multi-County Ambulance Licensing Committee
9. Serve as active members of the Trauma Care Preservation Coalition
10. Chair Radiation Detector Planning Committee
11. Develop a data base for all types of caches and develop a process for accessing these resources

Partners are listed at the end

Goal	EMTS System Component	Description of Accomplishment(s)
Goal 1 Create a solid identity for the MHRETAC	1- Integration of Health Services 3- Legislation and Regulation 4- System Finance 5- Human Resources 12- Public Education	-Coordinator and Council continue to represent the MHRETAC at meetings -SEMTAC, SEMTAC Committees, UASI, NCR, MMRS, State All-Hazard meetings, Trauma Care Preservation Coalition and MHRETAC Committees, EMS Councils, Trauma related meetings, conferences, events and community meetings. -All contract deliverables were submitted per contract. -Council approved deliverables requiring approval. -Council attendance was tracked and reported on a regular basis-good attendance by Council Members. -The Biennial Plan for 2007-2009 was submitted per contract.
Goal 2 Administer the MHRETAC Ambulance Inspection Grant	1- Integration of Health Services 3- Legislation and Regulation 4- System Finance 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care	-Three agencies applied for funding for the MHRETAC Ambulance Inspection Grant and were approved. - All appropriate documents were received.
Goal 3 Administer the C-DOT Injury Prevention Grant	1- Integration of Services 2- EMTS Research 5- Human Resources 12- Public Education 13- Prevention 15- Evaluation	-Grant funding for an additional year was received. -MHRETAC was granted an amendment to hire additional staff to assist with the school campaigns through December 2007. -Dr. Steve Moulton has agreed to sponsor the publication regarding the teen seat belt challenge conducted by MHRETAC.

Goal 4 Apply for 501c3 Status	1- Integration of Services 3- Legislation and Regulation 4- System Finance 12- Public Education	-Coordinator, attorney and bookkeeper completed the application. -MHRETAC approved the changes in the documents necessary for the 501c3 such as the Ambulance Inspection Grant. -Council approved the Conflict of Interest Policy developed for the application.
Goal 5 Conduct Hospital Data Collection Project and EMS Data Collection Project as quality improvement projects through the Destination Committee	1- Integration of Services 3- Legislation and Regulation 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care 15- Evaluation	- All the hospitals within the MHRETAC have downloaded 2006 and are current with 2007 data. North Suburban continues to be the one exception. Swedish Hospital is assisting with the data collection for that hospital. - Clinical Data Management has presented reports utilizing this data with the latest focusing on Transfer Characteristics.
Goal 6 Integrate with other organizations to assist the medical community in its ability to respond to an	1- Integration of Health Services 3- Legislation and Regulation 4- System Finance 8- Communication Systems 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care	-Coordinator serves as a member of the NCR and UASI Grants Committee and planning committees. -Coordinator and various Council Members attend the committees and sub committees of NCR, UASI, MMRS, and NDMS. -Coordinator continues to serve as Chair of the joint NCR/UASI Regional Medical Community Strategic Planning Committee, a member of the UASI Board and an alternate for Dr. Mains on the NCR Board. -Coordinator serves on the Steering Committee with UASI to develop the goals and objectives for the coming year and current grant cycle.

all-hazards event	11- Mass Casualty 12- Public Education 14- Information Systems 15- Evaluation	- The day long combined meeting for the Regional Medical Community Planning Committee has proven to be effective. The latest topics include evacuation planning, EMS Caches, MMRS Compact, Communication Systems for EMS and hospitals. - Total grant awards have been received and the final grants submitted for approval by CDEM for both NCR and UASI. - MMRS submitted the grant for the EMS Caches. - Progress has been made on the development of the EMS Cache Policy and Procedure and MOU.
Goal 7 Actively participate in the Statewide Needs Assessment Project	1- Integration of Health Services 2- EMTS Research 3- Legislation and Regulation 4- System Finance 5- Human Resources 6- Education Systems 7- Public Access 8- Communication Systems 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care 11- Mass Casualty 12- Public Education 13- Prevention 14- Information Systems 15- Evaluation	- Coordinator serves as Chair of the Needs Assessment Committee. - MHRETAC has developed a Needs Assessment Committee to determine what specific criteria would benefit this region.
Goal 8 Support Standardization	1- Integration of Health Services 3- Legislation and	- The Multi-County Licensing Committee continues to meet as issues arise. - The entire MHRETAC now has standardized forms and inspections.

<p>among the Counties in the Multi-County Ambulance Licensing Committee</p>	<p>Regulation 4- System Finance 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care</p>	
<p>Goal 9 Serve as active members of the Trauma Care Preservation Coalition</p>	<p>1- Integration of Health Services 3- Legislation and Regulation 4- System Finance 15- Evaluation</p>	<p>-Coordinator and Council Members continue to participate in this effort. -Dr. Mains has spoken to the legislation regarding the financial issues for hospitals.</p>
<p>Goal 10 Chair Radiation Detector Planning Committee</p>	<p>1- Integration of Health Services 4- System Finance 8- Communication Systems 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care 11- Mass Casualty 12- Public Education 14- Information Systems 15- Evaluation</p>	<p>- Coordinator continues to serve as chair of this committee. -Hospital plans are starting to come in for review. -The grant for this year, when finalized should include the additional purchase of radiation detectors for hospitals.</p>
<p>Goal 11 Develop a data base for all</p>	<p>1- Integration of Health Services 4- System Finance</p>	<p>-Coordinator serves as Chair of the Regional Medical Community Meeting which is a MHRETAC meeting integrating with other entities. -The committee is developing an EMS Policy and Procedure for accessing</p>

types of caches and develop a process for accessing these resources	8- Communication Systems 9- Medical Direction 10- Clinical Care 11- Mass Casualty 12- Public Education 14- Information Systems 15- Evaluation	EMS caches. -All EMS caches will be inventoried and placed in a web based data base for ease of access by appropriate people. -MHRETAC organized a committee of the OEM's to inventory all the medical surge trailers that were provided by HRSA. -This inventory will be web based access.
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Partners

- All members of the MHRETAC and Coordinator
- Members of CDPHE, HRSA, MMRS, UASI, NCR, NDMS
- UASI Public Health and Medical Committee Members, Participating Facilities, hospitals, EMS agencies, public health agencies, environmental health agencies
- Denver Sheriff Credentialing Department, Medical Personnel, Physicians, Nurses
- Attorneys from hospitals and related agencies
- Medical Directors, Medical Staff Officers, Trauma Nurse Coordinators, Quality Improvements Departments
Trauma Registries
- Trauma Care Preservation Coalition Members and Staff
- MHRETAC Stakeholders, CDM, MHRETAC Web Site Design Team
- Level I hospital Injury Prevention Coordinators, C-DOT Staff, MHRETAC C-DOT Advisory Board
- Ambulance Licensing Committee members and county representatives
- Emergency Managers, Fire, EMS Agencies, Mental Health, Animal Health, Community Health Partners
- Radiation Safety Officers, Medical Physicists, CDPHE Radiation Department, Ludlum, representatives
- Attorney for the 501c3 status and IRS