

# **Pediatric Emergency Medical Advisory Committee**

September 4, 2024 @ 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM

653 West Pratt Street - Room 212 Baltimore, MD 21201

| EMSC                | 055 West Fratt Street - Room 212 Baitimore, W   | ID 21201           |  |
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| Type of meeting:    | Sale Rius Maryland Coantion Meeting 12.30 - 3.00PM  |                    |  |
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|                     | Option to join remotely for this meeting is the standard <b>PEMAC II</b>  |                    |  |
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| Member &            | Phone In: United States: +1 (872) 240-3311 Access Code: 318-588-853 Cyndy Wright-Johnson RN; Mary Ellen Wilson RN; Laurel Moody RN; Corina Noje MD;     |                    |  |
| Liaison             | Steve White MD; Andrew Robertson NRP; Scott Legore NRP; Bruce Klein MD; Yonnia  |                    |  |
| Attendees           | Waggoner RN; Richard High, Jr. EMT; Sue Catterton; Suzanna Martin   |                    |  |
|                     | Truitt NRP; Lisa Wilson EMT; Richard Lichenstein MD; Jill Dannenfelse   |                    |  |
|                     | Denault RN; Melissa Delgado NRP; Danielle Joy RN; Rupal Udeshi MD   | D; Karen O'Connell |  |
| 0                   | MD; Jennifer Guyther MD.  |                    |  |
| Guests:<br>Regrets: | Meg Stein NRP Rob Carter NRP  |                    |  |
| ivegrets.           | Agenda & Approved Minutes November 6, 2024  |                    |  |
| 9:30 AM             | Welcome & Introductions   | Cynthia Wright     |  |
| 0.00 7              | Member Roll Call and brief introduction of visitors & guest   | Johnson RN         |  |
|                     | 2. List of Documents, Liaison & Committee Reports   |                    |  |
|                     | 3. Volunteer present in Room 212 to monitor the CHAT – Mary Ellen   |                    |  |
|                     | Wilson  |                    |  |
| 9:35 AM             | PEMAC Action Items:   | Rick High EMT      |  |
|                     | July 2024 Minutes were reviewed and approved with one edit.     Motion by Chris Truitt, second by Laurel Moody, unanimously                             | Cyndy Wright       |  |
|                     | approved.   | Johnson RN         |  |
|                     | 2. PEMAC meetings:  |                    |  |
|                     | 2024 Meeting Schedule November 6, 2024, with Research   |                    |  |
|                     | Forum in the afternoon  |                    |  |
|                     | 2025 proposed PEMAC Meeting Schedule – finalized  |                    |  |
|                     | 3. New Membership: recruiting ENA Liaison   |                    |  |
|                     | <ul><li>4. New Vice Chair elections will be held at November meeting.</li><li>5. 2025 Proposed PEMAC Bylaw changes were reviewed with minor</li></ul>   |                    |  |
|                     | edits. To be reviewed at the November meeting and forwarded to  |                    |  |
|                     | the EMS Board for approval.   |                    |  |
| 9:45 AM             | PEMAC May 2024 Consent Agenda:  | EMSC               |  |
|                     | 1. EMSC & Safe Kids Update – handout  | Department Staff   |  |
|                     | 2. Pediatric Readiness Update - handout   | Team               |  |
|                     | 3. 2024- 2025 Educational Conference List – handout   |                    |  |
|                     | 4. CPS Grant Update – handout   |                    |  |
| 10:00 AM            | 5. Injury Prevention updates & links listed within the agenda  Maryland Protocols for EMS Providers –2025   |                    |  |
| 10.00 AIVI          | Wilderness Medicine Protocol (OSP) – specific pediatric   | Jen Anders MD      |  |
|                     | pharmacology reviewed by Jen Anders MD. Additional reviews  | JOH AHAGIS MD      |  |
|                     | welcome, protocol for vote and next week's Protocol Review  |                    |  |
|                     | Committee (PRC)meeting.   |                    |  |
|                     | 2. Alcohol withdrawal protocol (New proposal)- request from PRC is  |                    |  |
|                     | a recommendation on age. Discussion included the use of the   |                    |  |

|          | CIWA-Ar score with youth and children, it does require a patient   |                         |
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|          | that is able to communicate. Based upon current age breaks in  |                         |
|          | the protocols, PEMAC recommended the protocol apply to patient   |                         |
|          | over 13 years of age. <b>3.</b> PEMAC discussion and recommendation is to increase Decadron                                    |                         |
|          | maximum dose to 15 mg.   |                         |
|          | <b>4.</b> PEMAC concurred with the recommendation of a rapid transport   |                         |
|          | of hypothermic cardiac arrest to ECMO center if within 15 minute   |                         |
|          | drive time and insertion of language for aeromedical transports.   |                         |
|          | <b>5.</b> IO Procedure review:   |                         |
|          | a) IO Procedure - reaffirm pediatric insertion sites for pediatrics:   |                         |
|          | Preferred is proximal tibia, secondary distal femur, with  |                         |
|          | humeral site if other sites are unavailable.   |                         |
|          | b) Rob Carter will submit revised language for the protocol  |                         |
|          | procedure pages moving towards reference charts and  |                         |
|          | minimizing instructional material that has been included since   |                         |
|          | the introduction of the procedure in the 1990s.  |                         |
|          | c) Newly born insertion is not utilized by the neonatal transport  |                         |
|          | teams except under rare occasions. The recommended site is   |                         |
|          | proximal tibia and only if lifesaving. Focus on airway and   |                         |
|          | respiration and warmth should remain the priority.   |                         |
|          | 6. PDTree (currently Research Protocol) for destination guidance will  |                         |
|          | be future discussion after the Pediatric Readiness recognition   |                         |
|          | program has hospitals identified.  |                         |
|          | 7. CSpine Algorithm review in context with PECARN recent   |                         |
|          | publications and the Trauma Consensus Guidelines which are in  |                         |
|          | draft form at this time.   |                         |
|          | 8. Video Laryngoscopy – move from OSP to Standing Order  |                         |
|          | Liz Berg will be submitting for discussion three optional     supplemental protocols for interfacility transport consideration |                         |
| 10:30 AM | supplemental protocols for interfacility transport consideration.  Maryland EMSC Department & SP Grant Updates:                | Mary Ellen Wilson       |
| 10.30 AW | PM 1.0 National Pediatric Readiness Project (NPRP)   | RN                      |
|          | 1. Pediatric Nurse Champion Forum: next forum will be October 9 <sup>th</sup>  |                         |
|          | @12 Noon with 30 minutes of focused education and 30 minutes   |                         |
|          | of network sharing and discussions.  | Jen Anders MD           |
|          | 2. Pediatric Physician Champion Forum: next forum will be October  |                         |
|          | 30st @ 12 Noon with focused presentation on Gun Safety and   |                         |
|          | Adolescent Suicide.  | Mam. Ellan 1471         |
|          | 3. CPEN Review Course for national certification will be in  | Mary Ellen Wilson<br>RN |
|          | September @ Tidalhealth before their Trauma Conference (Salisbury). Flyer has been distributed across three states & to all    | ININ                    |
|          | the champions. Nurse Champions and host site receive a   |                         |
|          | discount registration.   |                         |
|          | 4. MD EMSC is able to provide pediatric RN Champions with a  |                         |
|          | scholarship to offset the cost of ENPC Courses. Information has  |                         |
|          | been sent to all champions with courses this fall in Frederick and   |                         |
|          | Baltimore area. We are exploring with MD ENA to host a course in   |                         |
|          | early 2025 for the champions.  |                         |
|          | 5. Pediatric Transfer checklist – for community hospitals. 2024 work   |                         |
|          | group and template for simulations based upon ENA by the Bay   |                         |
|          | preconference and the April 2024 in person forum.  6. Pediatric Readiness for ED & Hospitals: Maryland proposal for            |                         |
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|          | three levels for voluntary recognition process with a three year   |                         |
|          | three levels for voluntary recognition process with a three year cycle   |                         |
|          | three levels for voluntary recognition process with a three year cycle  Pediatric Ready ED                                     |                         |

|           | <ul><li>Pediatric Resource Hospital</li></ul>  |                            |
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|           | Comprehensive Pediatric Hospital   |                            |
|           | Criteria (from NPRP)   |                            |
|           | Coordination   |                            |
|           | Staff Training and Competencies  |                            |
|           | Quality Improvement  |                            |
|           | ☐ Patient Safety   |                            |
|           | Policies and Procedures  |                            |
|           | Equipment & Medication   |                            |
|           | Support Services   |                            |
|           | Disaster Preparedness  |                            |
| 10:45 AM  |  |                            |
| 101107411 | PM 2.0 – Prehospital EMS Pediatric Readiness (NPPRP)   | Danielle Joy RN            |
|           | Pediatric EMS Champions July Forum provided an update on   | NRP                        |
|           | the NPPRP Assessment that was ongoing at that time. By July  |                            |
|           | 28 <sup>th</sup> all of Maryland EMSOP had completed the assessment.   |                            |
|           | 2. October 30 <sup>th</sup> in person meeting will include new module for  |                            |
|           | Burn Assessment, triage, transport and care.   |                            |
|           | <ol><li>PEPP instructor/ coordinator development and medical director<br/>development within courses for fall and spring. Washington</li></ol> |                            |
|           | County Course will be October 18 <sup>th</sup> .   |                            |
|           | Winterfest and Miltenberger pediatric preconference workshops  |                            |
|           | will focus on Pediatric Readiness and the EMSC PM focus on   |                            |
|           | skills and scenarios.  |                            |
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|           | EMSC Educational Updates and Current Projects  |                            |
|           | <ol> <li>BLS Committee update – continue to work on best practices for</li> </ol>  |                            |
|           | evaluation. Recertification requirements are ongoing   |                            |
|           | discussion.  |                            |
|           | 2. ALS Committee continues to work on state content for renewal,   |                            |
|           | some is posted now on the MIEMSS LMS.  |                            |
|           | 3. Pediatric Reference Card 2024 –distribution continues   |                            |
|           | Pediatric Reference Assessment Poster – available  |                            |
|           | 5. Pediatric HPCPR video – for drills and workshops has been   |                            |
|           | updated and is posted on both YouTube and within the MIEMSS  |                            |
|           | LMS. Champions have revised skill and scenarios sheets.  |                            |
|           | MIEMSS EMSC Department updates:  | Come also Marianla 4       |
|           | 1. EMSC State Partnership:   | Cyndy Wright<br>Johnson RN |
|           | <ul> <li>a) Year 2 grant projects to include simulation training for</li> </ul>  | JUHISUH KIN                |
|           | champions  |                            |
|           | b) Joint meeting for EMS & ED Champions will be set up in  |                            |
|           | Regions for early 2025   |                            |
|           | c) Pediatric Disaster Course from TEEX (MGT439) is coming to   |                            |
|           | UMMS Cap Region June 2025. MD EMSC and HCCs are  |                            |
|           | hoping for a second course for eastern shore. Courses are being held in PA close to Region 1 & 2 EMSOP and hospitals.                          |                            |
|           | FEMA has released an updated course designed for   |                            |
|           | community partners – "Community Preparedness: Integrating  |                            |
|           | the Needs of Children".  |                            |
|           | 2. Research and Pediatric DART   | Jen Anders MD              |
|           | a) QI Metrics development is ongoing to include some NESMQA  |                            |
|           | measures, Maryland measures, and look at the NEMSIS  |                            |
|           | Pediatric Dashboard measures.  |                            |
|           | b) PediDose & PediPART update – CNH/ PGF&EMS –   |                            |
|           | discussion deferred to update from CNH.  |                            |

| 11:00 AM | PM 03: Family Centered Care Sub Committee  1. 2024 Steps to Safety – June 2024 @ MSFA Convention a. Ocean City PSAP brought and staffed a new 9-1-1 display which was well received. b. Looking for new adult leads especially for Fire & Burn   | Lisa Wilson EMT                         |
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|          | <ul> <li>c. Medication display needs update on Edibles – will work with MPC and NCPC</li> <li>2. Right Care When It Counts: award criteria update has been rafted by the FAN members based upon input provided by PEMAC, former nominators, and FAN members participation in survey. Recommendation is to limit to 5 criteria with clarifying language. May state recognition will continue with local recognition ongoing during 2025 so the presentations are more timely.</li> <li>3. National FAN (EIIC work) meets next Thursday</li> </ul> | Mary Ellen Wilson<br>RN                 |
| 11:10 AM | PM 04: Disaster Preparedness  1. Regional HCC committees continue to meet  a) Region 3 update has a pediatric subcommittee  b) Region 1 & 2 update  c) Region 4 update  d) Region 5 – Pediatric HCC table top 8/21/2024 with summary to follow   | Cyndy Wright<br>Johnson RN              |
|          | 2. National Pediatric Pandemic Network – Podcasts launched @ <a href="https://pedspandemicnetwork.org/ready-prep-go/">https://pedspandemicnetwork.org/ready-prep-go/</a>   |   |
| 11:20 AM | Maryland Organizations & Committees  AAP Updates www.mdaap.org: Annual conference is 9/14/24 with presentations on gun safety and trauma informed care.  ACEP Updates - www.mdacep.org: Council will meet in October to finalize the responses to national priorities for the Annual ACEP Meeting.  ENA Updates - www.mdena.org: liaison position remains open. Metro Baltimore chapter is hosting conference October 25 <sup>th</sup> and Mid Maryland chapter is hosting a conference November 8 <sup>th</sup> .                               | Bruce Klein MD Suzanna Martin MD Vacant |
|          | SCHOOL HEALTH Updates: Partnership with the MD AAP continues with the series "Ask a Pediatrician"; School Health Guidelines committee is working Diabetic Guidelines update and implementing bronchodilators as stock medication with standing orders.   | Laurel Moody RN                         |
|          | <ul> <li>Maryland Center for School Safety:         <ul> <li><a href="https://schoolsafety.maryland.gov/">https://schoolsafety.maryland.gov/</a></li> </ul> </li> <li>Critical Care Updates: AAP National conference will include a workshop on transport medicine (offered every other year);         <ul> <li>AACN continuing education and upcoming conference list provided by Liz Berg.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  | Liz Berg RN<br>Corina Noje MD           |
|          | Commercial Ambulance Service Advisory Committee – SOCLAR will be hosting a LP 35 overview as EMSOP consider the upgrade. It does include integrated Pediatric AED Mode for the first time. The device cost is just under fifty thousand dollars.   | Jill Dannensfelser<br>RN                |
|          | Jurisdictional Affairs Committee (JAC @ MIEMSS) – see<br>above in LP35 discussion. Please see written summary of submitted reports   | Rick High EMT &<br>Chris Truitt NRP     |

| 11:30 AM                | <ol> <li>Injury Prevention Sub Committee &amp; Updates</li> <li>EMSC: CPS &amp; OP Healthcare Project (Maryland DOT cps@miemss.org: Please see detailed handout. Webinars are posted on both MIEMSS You Tube and CPS project webpage. CPST Courses have been well received and are scheduled through November. 2025 Schedule will come out early next year. CPS week in September will be busy across the state.</li> <li>Safe Kids 2024 Meetings following PEMAC: September 4, 2024 meeting is this afternoon. Safe Sleep Summit is October 18 &amp; 19, 2024 in Baltimore</li> <li>Public Fire &amp; Life Safety Educator Seminar – March 22, 2025 @ MFRI HQ in College Park planning is progress.</li> <li>Mid-Atlantic Life Safety Conference – November 4 2024 new dates and location. Registration and awards nominations are open with awards closing October 1 2024 and registration October 30 2024.</li> <li>Maryland Risk Watch/ MSFA –Full typed report is available</li> <li>Partnership for Safer Maryland www.safermaryland.org – data webinars throughout the spring are free &amp; archives to be posted.</li> <li>American Trauma Society (MD Chapter): September 18, 2024 is the next meeting.</li> <li>TraumaNET –STOP the Bleed training and information. Briefing on Pediatric Readiness provided at August meeting.</li> </ol> | Susanne Ogaitis<br>Jones MSPH<br>Cyndy Wright<br>Johnson RN |
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| 11:45 AM                | Old Business – no old business was on the agenda or raised by the committee   | Committee   |
| 11:50 AM                | <b>New Business</b> - no new business was on the agenda or raised by the committee  | Committee   |
| 12:00 Noon              | Networking Lunch Distribution of Pediatric Readiness Assessment Poster for EMS & ED (2024 revised version)  | Committee   |
| 12:30 PM –<br>3:00 PM   | Safe Kids Maryland State Coalition Meeting<br>12:30 – 3:00 PM<br>All are welcome  | Committee   |
| EMSC<br>Meetings<br>and | CPEN Review Course: 9/18-19/2024 @ Tidalhealth Peninsula in Salisbury MD  | SE CA SECULO  |
| Education               | Please see the Pediatric Readiness Update within the agenda for upcoming Champion Forum dates and times   |   |

**Next Meeting: November 6, 2024** 

9:30 AM - 12:00 Noon PEMAC Business Meeting

12:00 - 12:30 Networking

12:30 - 3:00 PM Annual Research Forum

State PEMAC meetings are held at the MIEMSS Central Office. If you would like to participate through web base meeting, a recurring GoToMeeting link has been created. In-person attendance is required at 50% of meetings annually to meet the EMSC State Partnership Grant metrics.



#### **Emergency Medical Services for Children**

Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services Systems



#### Maryland EMS for Children Department Update: October 2024 Update

#### **Advocacy:**

#### October Prevention Messages:

October if **Safe Sleep Month** – every Pediatric Champion has a Safe Sleep Display to be used & loaned out to companies for their Open Houses. October's NFPA theme is: **Smoke alarms: Make them work for you!** 

- **Bike Safety Grant** (MHSO funded) has concluded after 7 years. Bike Safety remains a priority for both in person and social media education.
- Child Passenger Safety Grant:
  - Webinar: September 16 2024 (12 PM 1PM) "Cots and Crashes" will focus on reducing the risks for patients and clinicians.

#### **Pediatric Education EMS and Emergency Department Professionals:**

- Please see the <u>new</u> Pediatric Readiness Program Update (page 2)
- Pediatric HPCPR 2024 Version (updated with protocols & new science) is posted in the Online Training Center: https://www.emsonlinetraining.org/
- 2025 EMS Conferences dates have been finalized with topics & faculty planning ongoing.
- Pediatric Resuscitation Readiness preconference workshops are being planned for Winterfest & Miltenberger 2025. Eight hours skills and scenarios in teams.

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#### National EMSC Updates: EMSC is 40 Years Young this year!

- 1. EMS Assessment on Pediatric Readiness- closed 7/31/2024 THANK YOU to the Champions!
- **2. EMSC EIIC:** EMSC Reauthorization Act (HR6960) passed in the House of Representatives on May 15, 2024 with a companion Senate Bill (S.3765) in committee.
- 3. EIIC PEAK: Multi System Trauma was posted in August. https://emscimprovement.center/education-and-resources/peak/multisystem-trauma/
- **4. PECARN:** PECARN releases guide on collecting sociodemographic data https://emscimprovement.center/news/pecarn-releases-guide-on-collecting-sociodemographic-data/
- 5. PECARN: A Cervical Spine Injury Prediction Rule for Children After Blunt Trauma released with an infographic. <a href="https://pecarn.org/pecarn">https://pecarn.org/pecarn</a> news/clinical-decision-rule-cervical-spine/



- Pediatric Pandemic Network Disaster Response Collaborative (DRC) is open to children's hospitals with the goal to improve Pediatric Disaster Response- <a href="https://pedspandemicnetwork.org/">https://pedspandemicnetwork.org/</a>
- 2. **Pediatric Disaster Centers for Excellence** have a website that will have products developed by the three ASPR funded regions. <a href="https://www.pediatricdisaster.org/">https://www.pediatricdisaster.org/</a>



#### **Maryland EMSC Updates:**

- 1. **EMSC State Partnership Grant 2023-2027:** focuses on Pediatric Readiness criteria and resources for hospitals and EMS, pediatric specific disasters planning, and family engagement that is representative of Maryland's diversity.
- **2. FAN:** Committee is expanding and welcome new members. Right Care award criteria language is under revision.
- 3. C4 Pediatrics closed on June 18th 2024 with the end of CDC funding.



- CPS Healthcare Project: CPS Technician courses for 2024 have been posted <a href="https://cert.safekids.org/become-tech">https://cert.safekids.org/become-tech</a>. Specific training is available contact <a href="mailto:cps@miemss.org">cps@miemss.org</a>. CPS Webinars are posted on MIEMSS website & YouTube accounts. (MHSO grant funded).



# Pediatric Readiness Program & Education Update September 2024



#### **Pediatric Readiness Program Updates**

#### Pediatric EMS Champion Update

- Pediatric EMS Champion Forum held July 17, 2004
  - 2024 NPPRP Survey discussed 100% of Maryland EMSOP participated. Thank you to the Champions. EMS Champions were encouraged to review their survey results with EMSOP leadership and save the Gap Analysis Report for future survey comparison. General survey findings were reviewed. Global themes and identified opportunities examined and ranked for future development. State and National data will be available in late fall.
  - o Injury prevention projects (Safe Sleep, Bike Safety, etc.) reviewed.
  - o EMS Champions also provided feedback for the Fall forum and 2025 goals established.
    - Next forum will be October 30, 2024 @9:30 AM @ MIEMSS (In person only)

#### Pediatric Nurse Champion Update

- Pediatric Nurse Champion Forum July 10, 2024 with 20 EDs represented.
  - Educational Topic "Recognizing and Responding to Child Abuse" by Cindy Colson (Children's National Hospital).
  - The Pediatric Education and Advocacy Kits Child Abuse PEAK
     <a href="https://emscimprovement.center/education-and-resources/peak/child-abuse/">https://emscimprovement.center/education-and-resources/peak/child-abuse/</a> Make sure you take a look at the LCAST (Lurie Children's Child Injury Plausibility Assessment Support Tool) App that is available for download.
  - Pediatric Readiness application, based on the 7 components of ED Readiness (<a href="https://emscimprovement.center/domains/pediatric-readiness-project/readiness-toolkit/readiness-toolkit-checklist/">https://emscimprovement.center/domains/pediatric-readiness-project/readiness-toolkit/readiness-toolkit-checklist/</a> The goal is to open the application this fall.
    - Next forum scheduled for October 9, 2024 @ 12N Virtual Meeting

#### Pediatric Physician/APP Champion Update

- Pediatric Physician/APP Champion Forum July 31, 2024
  - o 2024 changes for pediatrics in the Maryland EMS Protocols
  - o Research & Guidelines Optimizing Advanced Imaging of Pediatric Patient in ED
  - Physician reference tool for the Emergency Departments
    - Next forum scheduled for October 30, 2024 @ 12N Virtual Meeting

#### **Pediatric Education Updates**

 Pediatric Nursing Process (PNP) poster and Pediatric Reference poster have been distributed to requesting EDs. Pediatric Reference card and poster have been distributed to EMS Champions for jurisdictional distribution.





- Video/Web Training Updates:
  - Pediatric Vehicular Heatstroke Available on MIEMSS Online Learning Center
- Upcoming Pediatric Educational Opportunities:
  - Sept 18 & 19, 2024 CPEN Review Course in Salisbury MD https://eecreg3.wufoo.com/forms/cpen-review-course-september-2024/
  - October 18, 2024 PEPP-4 Hybrid Course at Washington County Public Safety Training Center



# **Maryland EMS For Children**

# 2024 & 2025 EMS, EMSC & Life Safety Educational Conferences





Meritus Pediatric Conference: September 14, 2024

**Robinwood Professional Center in Hagerstown, Maryland** In person and Virtual <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/meritus-pediatric-conference-2024-tickets-943562610167">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/meritus-pediatric-conference-2024-tickets-943562610167</a>



CPEN Review Course: September 18 & 19, 2024

Tidalhealth Education Center in Salisbury, Maryland

Register online at <a href="https://eecreg3.wufoo.com/forms/cpen-review-course-september-2024/">https://eecreg3.wufoo.com/forms/cpen-review-course-september-2024/</a>

Tidalhealth Trauma Conference: September 20, 2024

Tidalhealth Education Center in Salisbury, Maryland

Register online at <a href="https://www.tidalhealth.org/trauma-conference">www.tidalhealth.org/trauma-conference</a>

Metro Baltimore ENA Chapter Seminar: October 25, 2024

More information and registration link coming soon

65<sup>th</sup> MidAtlantic Life Safety Conference: November 3 & 4, 2024

BWI Airport Marriott Hotel in Linthicum Heights, Maryland

For more information, visit https://www.fabscom.org/about-5-6

Mid Maryland ENA Memorial Conference: November 8, 2024

Holy Cross Hospital in Silver Spring, Maryland

35th Annual Mid-MD ENA Memorial Conference Tickets, Fri, Nov 8, 2024 at 8:00 AM | Eventbrite



Meritus Trauma Conference: December 13, 2024

Robinwood Professional Center in Hagerstown, Maryland

Registration link coming in the fall

2025 Winterfest EMS Conference: January 31 – February 2, 2025 Easton High School in Easton, Maryland

Pediatric Readiness Preconference to be held at Chesapeake College More information and registration link coming in the Fall



Public Fire and Life Safety Educator Seminar: March 22, 2025

MFRI HQ in College Park, Maryland

More information and registration link coming in the Fall

2025 Miltenberger Emergency Services Seminar: March 7 & 8, 2025 Rocky Gap Casino & Resort in Flintstone, Maryland

Pediatric Readiness Preconference to be held at Rocky Gap More information and registration link coming in the Fall



This star indicates a new conference posting. More conferences & seminars will be added as dates are finalized

Please email educational event dates to the EMSC office at <a href="mailto:pep@miemss.org">pep@miemss.org</a>.

To reach the Maryland EMSC office, please call 410-706-1758.

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# **CPS & OP Healthcare Project EMS for Children Program @ MIEMSS**

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# PEMAC UPDATE – Sept 4, 2024 The CPS & OP Healthcare Project

- Conducted exhibits on CPS and proper restraint use at the Maryland Emergency Nurses Association (5/10) and the MD Highway Safety Summit (5/13).
- Helped conduct the Safe Kids/Risk Watch family activity room at the Maryland State Firemen's Convention, June 16-18, with activities on CPS, boosters, and pedestrian safety.
- Presented on child passenger safety at the Nursing Pediatric Champions training on 7/10 and at the EMS Pediatric Champion training on 7/17.
- Helped teach three CPS Technician certification courses: La Plata (May), Cumberland (June) and Forest Hill (late June).
- Provided the MIEMSS heatstroke prevention display to 10 agencies for 11 events including a press event at FoxNews45 on 6/24.
- Held the webinar: "Fake, Foreign or Fine? How to spot a knock-off car seat..." on 7/16. 106 people attended; an additional 10 have listened to the archived version.
- Gave Cherish Harding Lukas the 2024 MIEMSS' EMS Clinician Award for Exemplary CPS Service on 8/6/24.
- Added Talbot County EMS and St Mary's County EMS to our Supervisors CPS Program for non-emergency transport, with 4 Slimfit car seats distributed in total.
- Helped with the Safe Transport of All Children Course (adaptive car seats) on July 25-26.
- Conducted trainings on CPS for healthcare staff at Medstar St Mary's Hospital, Medstar Good Samaritan Hospital, UM Capital Region, and for Valley Lee VFD.
- Helped MD KISS teach two CEU sessions on swivel and stroller car seats.
- Assisted at 9 seat checks or distribution events.
- Had the new 2 page handout on booster seats and 11 x 17" poster translated into Spanish, and the handout into Haitian-Creole; began to distribute both widely, along with related promotion through MD EMS News, AAP-MD, and ENA-MD.
- Gave 45 car seats to 13 agencies since May 1, 2024 for distributing to needy families.
   These agencies are primarily mother-baby units in hospitals, but also EDs, NICUs and Safe Kids-Maryland partners.
- Continued the Mile One Cares car seat distribution project along with MD Kids in Safety Seats. Four hospitals were recruited and are participating, and three distribution events were held, providing more than 200 car seats to needy families contacted through these agencies and other agencies.
- Access the promotional flyers for regional car seat checks: <u>www.miemss.org/home/emsc/cps</u>. Make appointments for checks: www.MdKISS.org
- CPS Technician certification courses for 2024. Go to <a href="https://www.cert.safekids.org">www.cert.safekids.org</a> to see the schedules or to sign up.
- This grant can pay registration fees for healthcare clinicians who apply & are approved.

For information, contact Susanne Ogaitis-Jones, MSPH, CHES, CPST/I <a href="mailto:cps@miemss.org">cps@miemss.org</a> or <a href="mailto:sogaitisjones@miemss.org">sogaitisjones@miemss.org</a>, Phone: 410-706-8647



#### **Safe Kids Maryland State Coalition Meeting**

Date: September 4, 2024 (Wednesday)

Time: 12:30 PM -3:00 PM

VIRTUAL Meeting through GoToMeeting
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Maryland 21201 Room 212

GoToMeeting Option: Available & listed below



#### **Meeting Agenda**

12:00 Please RSVP for Networking Luncheon & Sign In with EMSC – PEMAC members

#### 12:30 PM Orientation to GoTo Meeting platform

Please join my meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone.

https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/318588853

You can also dial in using your phone.

United States: +1 (872) 240-3311 Access Code: 318-588-853

#### 12:35 Welcome & Introductions in the room & on the GoToMeeting /conference call

#### 2024 Fall Focus Risk Area Updates

**Updates on Injury Risk Areas:** 

Please submit brief written summary's to safekidsmd@miemss.org

#### 12:45 Pediatric Trauma & Burn Prevention @ Johns Hopkins Children's Center

Comprehensive, Inclusive and Ever Green programming to reach children and families.

#### 13:00 Fire & Burn Safety updates

- 1. Fire Incidence / Fatalities: Office of the State Fire Marshal, Teresa Ann Crisman
- 2. Fire Prevention Week: October 6-12, 2024: **Smoke alarms: Make them work for you**NFPA Fire Prevention Week (FPW)

#### 13:10 2024 Update from the Maryland Poison Center, Emily Patterson

- 1. Publications: Poison Prevention Press & Tox Tidbits
- 2. Current trend and new resources

https://www.mdpoison.com/factsandreports/annual.html (Maryland)

https://www.poison.org/about-poison-control (National Capital)

#### 13:20 Water Safety Update

- 1. Tidalhealth Trauma Center/ American Trauma Society, Maryland Division: Water safety interactive games for "Steps to Safety"
- 2. Safe Kids Worldwide focus on Drowning Water Safety at Home | Safe Kids Worldwide
- 3. National Drowning Prevention Alliance <u>NDPA National Drowning Prevention Alliance</u> (<u>https://ndpa.org</u>)
- 4. Maryland DNR summer experiences and fall messaging

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#### 13:30 Maryland Highway Safety Office:

- MHSO update (P-BEAT) Cynthia Spriggs
   https://zerodeathsmd.gov/road-safety/pedestrian-bicyclist-safety/
- 2. MHSO update: OP / CPS & DD (EAT) Mark Walls https://zerodeathsmd.gov/road-safety/child-passenger-safety/

#### 13:40 CPS & Occupant Protection updates

- 1. CPS & OP Healthcare Project Susanne Ogaitis-Jones (<a href="mailto:cps@miemss.org">cps@miemss.org</a>)
- 2. KISS Update Tracy Whitman and Claire Meyer dhmh.kiss@maryland.gov
- 3. Kidz In Motion Conference highlights
- 4. 2024 CPST courses are posted https://cert.safekids.org/become-tech

#### 13:50 Safe Sleep Project Update: Cyndy Wright Johnson

- Safe Kids Safe Sleep Summit October 18 & 19, 2024 in Baltimore Safe Sleep Summit (regfox.com)
- 2. AAP Policy Statement & Technical Report (2022)

### 14:00 Local Safe Kids Coalitions & Community Partner Updates

Please submit written summary's to safekidsmd@miemss.org

- Allegany /Garrett VFRA County Community Partner
- Anne Arundel County Community Partner
- Baltimore City Coalition
- Carroll County Coalition
- Cecil County Community Partner
- Charles County Community Partner
- Frederick County Coalition
- Garrett County Community Partner
- Howard County Coalition
- Montgomery County Coalition
- Ocean City Community Partner

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- Queen Anne's County / United Communities VFD
- Southern Maryland LAMSFA Community Partner
- Talbot County DES Community Partner
- Tidalhealth PRMC Community Partner
- Washington County Coalition
- Trauma Centers / TraumaNET

#### 14:45: Safe Kids Worldwide Updates and Dates for Future Planning

#### SKWW Updates from Kaleidoscope & Website

- August 26-30, 2024 SMART Week Everytown for Gun Safety
- September is Baby Safety Month
  - ★ With Grandparents Day on September 8<sup>th</sup>
- September 15-21, 2024 Child Passenger Safety Week
  - ★ Seat Check Saturday 9/21/24
- October is Safe Sleep Awareness Month Homepage | Safe to Sleep (nih.gov)
- October 6-12, 2024 Fire Prevention Week
- October 9, 2024 Walk & Roll to School Day
- October 31, 2024 Halloween Safety (often a week long with Trunk N Treats)

Submit Your Abstracts for PrevCon 2025 - <u>Call for Abstracts</u> for PrevCon 2025 (October 15-18, 2025, at the Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center in National Harbor, MD) closes on October 18, 2024.

65<sup>th</sup> MidAtlantic Life Safety Conference: November 3 & 4, 2024 BWI Airport Marriott Hotel in Linthicum Heights, Maryland For more information, visit https://www.fabscom.org/about-5-6

Public Fire and Life Safety Educator Seminar: March 22, 2025

MFRI HQ in College Park, Maryland

More information to come in the fall www.mfri.org under Seminars

14:55: "Good of the Order"

15:00 Adjournment & Safe Travels

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# Pediatric Emergency Medical Advisory Committee (PEMAC)

**PROPOSED: 2025 Meeting Schedule** 

State PEMAC meetings are held at the MIEMSS Central Office. In person attendance is required at 50% (3) meetings annually. If you would like to participate through web base meeting, a recurring GoToMeeting link has been created and emailed to all committee members.

# Wednesday in January

Note: January 1<sup>st</sup> is a Wednesday and NAEMSP is January 8<sup>th</sup>
Wednesday January 29<sup>th</sup> –PEMAC @ 12:30 PM – 3:00 PM

## Wednesday March 5, 2025

9:30 - 12:00 Noon PEMAC Business Meeting 12:30 - 3:00 PM Safe Kids State Maryland Meeting

## Wednesday May 7, 2025

### **In Person Meeting**

9:30 - 12:00 Noon PEMAC Business Meeting 12:30 - 3:00 PM Family Advisory Network Meeting

### Wednesday July 2, 2025

PEMAC Business Meeting
Afternoon Forum focused on Protocol Writing

# Wednesday September 3, 2025

9:30 - 12:00 Noon PEMAC Business Meeting 12:30 - 3:00 PM Safe Kids Maryland State Meeting

# Wednesday November 5, 2025

Proposed In Person Meeting

9:30 – 12:00 Noon PEMAC Business Meeting
12:30 – 3:00 PM 17<sup>th</sup> Annual EMS for Children Research Forum

Note: PEMAC subcommittees will select meetings schedules as workloads & projects are identified. Updates on meetings are posted on the website & on PEMAC agendas – www.miemss.org, click on EMSC and click on PEMAC