

**AEMS Functional Group
Meeting Minutes
May 15, 2019**

Voting Members in Attendance: Barb Bovee, RN; Geoff Ballentine; Gail Bradley, MD; Sheila Bryant, RN; Joyce Dominski; John Gallagher, MD; Garth Gemar, MD; Ryan Herold; Andrew Johnston; Mickey Kovach, RN; Robert Londeree, MD; Kathleen Moore, RN; Sandy Nygaard; Chris Riddle; Roy Ryals; Kendal Shannon-Dold; Ryan Southworth, DO; Laurie Wood, RN

Distinguished Members in Attendance: Nicola Crim; Kayla Cole; Kendal Dold, RN; Gabe Gabriel; Mike Naehrbass; Jesus Rivera; Mark Hermann; Mark Manor; Kim Brooks, RN; Eric Keppler; Rebekah Warren; Tracy Brooks, RN; Steve Wolf; and Kris Ramos.

- I. Call to Order and Introductions
- II. Lunch and Learn Presentation
 - A. Stress, Grief and Suicide in First Responders Dara N. Rampersad, Ph.D., LPC, NCC Blue Paz, LLC-First Responder Psychologist
- III. Dessert Sponsor BBVA Compass Bank-Everyday Heroes Program Michele Valenzuela Vice President-Workplace Solutions Officer
- IV. Central Region Profile Abrazo Mesa Hospital Christina Matlock, RN Martin Murphy, RN ACTION: Motion made to approve sending to Board of Governors for their approval.

Steward Family Hospital-Florence A Campus of Mountain Vista Medical Center Nathan Windatt, RN
- V. Functional Group Administrative Business
 - A. General Report-Sandy Nygaard
 - a. Approval of Meeting Minutes---ACTION: Minutes Approved
 - b. Old Business—Steward and abrazo waiting for AZDHS to approve openings. Steward Florence will have lock down unit for Corrections, Medical direction for Florence Fire will be from Mt Vista.
 - c. New Business—none
 - d. State Report--none-
 - B. Planning & Outreach Report-Sandy Nygaard, Chair
 - C. 2019 EMS Odyssey Conference June 13-14, 2019 Pre-Conference June 12, 2019. Desert Willow Conference Center, Phoenix, Az. All speakers have been confirmed. Reception will be held after Thursday night at Doubletree area. Registration available on the website. Vendors always welcome.
 - D. 2019 Aces of Hearts Awards---Nominations open till the end of March. 3 nominations have been received for Heart Saver Award.
 - E. Agency/Fire Contact Updates
- VI. F. Patient Management Report- John Gallagher, MD, Chair
 1. Categorization-Garth Gemar: meeting will be held immediately after AEMS
 2. Arizona Stroke Initiative-Dr Londeree. Last meeting cancelled
 3. RED Book—met last week. PMD/TTG’s with state to get out to Medical Directors for feedback before the next Redbook meeting.
 4. Pediatric—nothing new
 5. Trauma—nothing new
 6. Behavioral Health---Increase in numbers noted recently.
- VII. Adjournment/Working Groups