

# **Advisory Board Meeting**

Wednesday, May 7, 2025 1 PM – 3 PM (MT)

#### 1:00 Welcome

**NHTSA Office of EMS Updates** 

- Shift in responsibilities in NHTSA, Jeremy and Clary to work with NEMSIS project
- TAC funded through March 2026
- If Vendors would like to pitch in to keep the TAC running Angel Track volunteers to help support

#### 1:05 Executive Order (EO) Critical Patch for gender/sex

- Executive Order 14148 (DEI) and Executive Order 14168 removed data / references to "Gender", removed data / references to "Climate," and re-evaluated research related to "DEI"
- Some of the data / materials have been restored in accordance with the Executive Orders
- Vendors and States have been given more than 3 months to make changes to the critical patch
- If not completed within the specified timelines, data will fail at the National level
- Quick turnaround on modifications to the data
- Differences in opinions and has received pushbacks regarding the critical patch
- Having a not value is key, the data element is required but option to record as not value

#### 1:25 Transportation Incident Visualization (TIV)

- TIV visualization catering to state leadership, access controlled by state administrators
- Provided an overview of TIV dashboard and parameters around the product
- Lives on NEMSIS premise, and implemented and maintained by ImageTrend
- Phase 2 of Dev. Process, need to update visuals. Met with SME, NHTSA, and others
- Three proposed dashboards for development, Prehospital Blood Transfusion, Pedestrian struck Report,
  Traumatic Brain Injury Report
- Currently 4 states are involved
- No additional comments from AB members

## 1:45 Mobile Integrated Healthcare—Community Paramedicine (MIH-CP)

- Presented at 6-7 conferences on MIH-CP, gathered 28 states, agencies, and others
- Worked on wording and values, made improvements from September / October
- Goal: Identify elements by August 2025, nothing will be released (33 elements are currently identified)
- Do we expect MIH-CP submission process for data elements to resemble current ePCR data process?
  Will states submit data to NEMSIS on behalf of agencies or will agencies be allowed to submit data to NEMSIS?
- NEMSIS only accepts data from states, agencies are not allowed to send data to NEMSIS



- Decisions have not been made regarding data submission and MIH-CP is larger than NEMSIS
- Core elements MIH -CP is different from 911 calls
- Core elements = new national custom elements that need to be created to accommodate NEMSIS standards so data elements can be available for documentation
- Maybe a data dictionary in the future for MIH-CP? There is a spreadsheet list of over 200 existing NEMSIS elements

#### 2:05 Violence

- Added values to eOther.06, tracked and added to NEMSIS standard
- Everything else is in a separate data set, has 29 elements
- In addition, 29 elements specifically for law enforcement
- Violence Dataset does not live within NEMSIS data standard, built with same structure and NEMSIS assisted with development
- Next step? Where does the data live? Pending decision.

#### 2:25 Prehospital Blood documentation guidance and custom elements

- Reviewed challenges faced and possible solutions for data collection
- May 2024 discussed in NASEMSO national meeting
- October 2024 NEMSIS Annual Meeting discussion on the topic
- 20 possible data elements, reduced to a dozen but will be minimized even more
- Blood source discussed, blood facility ID does not cross reference with blood product unit number
- Data Managers Council (DMC) meeting discussed transfusion and date time

#### 2:45 2024 dataset release

- Closed on Valentines Day, Friday, February 14<sup>th</sup>
- Available in June 2025
- Will not include sex
- Zip code elements with four-digit extension corrected

# Open Forum: Items to discuss for future meetings

- Process to move from National custom elements to national elements that may be required at a faster pace (get more consistency and buy in)
- When a new NEMSIS version is pushed out, it's difficult to be embraced by those receiving it
- How many times do people present with OD before they die? Tracks with patient tracking for MIH-CP

### 3:00 Adjourn



# Attendees:

| Names            | Attendance  | Additional notes |
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| Amber Viitanen   | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Brian Tegtmeyer  | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Bengie Alexandre | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Clay Mann        | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Dave Millstein   |             |                  |
| Jennifer Correa  | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Jeremy Kinsman   |             |                  |
| Josh Legler      |             |                  |
| Kaitlyn Hanka    | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Kevin Nicholes   | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Kurt Freeman     | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Marty Link       |             |                  |
| Matthew Burgan   |             |                  |
| Randall Eimerman | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Rebecca Cash     | $\boxtimes$ |                  |
| Steven Johnson   | $\boxtimes$ |                  |