

North Central Healthcare Coalition

Day/Time of Meeting: Wednesday, November 30th, 2016 (10:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Location: St. Joseph Regional Medical Center – Conference Room A/B (415 6th St., Lewiston, ID)

Attendees: Dave Reynolds (Moscow Ambulance), Gaylon Waits (Lewiston Fire), Patty Barnett (Nezperce Ambulance), Kelly Coursey (State Hospital North), Dominic Pomponio (Life Flight), Randy Arnold (Firehouse Medics), Jerry Zumalt (Idaho County), Bryant Wolfe (Nez Perce County), Don Gardner (Clearwater County), Alan Martinson (Latah County), Christine Curtis (Kootenai Health), Michael Meline (Kootenai Health), Jesse Shepherd (Clearwater Valley Hospital), Bill Whitman (Pullman Regional Hospital), Alex Frei (Syringa Hospital), Steve Button (Lewiston School District), Brady Woodbury (Asotin County Public Health), Bill Spencer (Syringa Hospital and Ambulance), Tom Ross (Syringa Surgical Center), Katy Dudley (SJRMC), Susie Bunt (Lewis-Clark State College), Charles Craig (Gritman Medical Center), John Wheaton (Nez Perce Tribe), Blake Richards (Life Flight), Mike Neelon (Latah County), Ed Marugg (PH-INCD), Matt Dudley (PH-INCD), Dean Neufeld (PH-INCD), Casey Schooley (PH-INCD), Ryan Bender (PH-INCD)

| Item/Topic | Meeting Outcomes |
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| <p>Introductions and Updates (10:00 – 10:10)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> NCHC Advisory Committee EMS Taskforce Hospital Taskforce North Central Information Network (NCIN) | <p><u>NCHC Advisory Committee</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed the April full scale exercise and impacts of the new CMS Emergency Preparedness requirements <p><u>EMS Taskforce</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Outlined details for the upcoming Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS) trainings and reviewed the Mass Casualty Incident (MCI) Plan <p><u>Hospital Taskforce</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed possibilities for a regional pediatric trauma training and internal security protocols <p><u>North Central Information Network (NCIN)</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewed the Joint Information System/Joint Information Center (JIS/JIC) Plan |
| <p>Fisher Systems Security (10:10 – 11:10)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fred Fickenwirth, System Sales and Design Fred will discuss security technology that focuses on access control doors and badging, lockdown situations, video surveillance and delayed egress doors | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fred provided an overview on how access control doors and badging have changed over the years Different video surveillance and security lockdown systems were presented to the group Fred Fickenwirth - Fred@fishersystems.com Phone: (208) 746-1071 |
| <p>Break (11:10 – 11:20)</p> | |
| <p>Improvement Planning – District II (11:20 – 11:40)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Casey Schooley, Public Health Training and Exercise Coordinator Improvement areas that were identified during the Cascadia Rising exercise will be discussed | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Casey provided an overview of the Cascadia Rising Exercise and identified areas for improvement for the region The three areas identified included hospital bridge call procedures, WebEOC, and resource requests Corrective actions will be taken in the form of trainings, drills, and continued discussions Public Health can assist with WebEOC trainings and hospital bridge call procedures The resource request process will continue to be discussed at the county, regional, and state level |
| <p>CMS Emergency Preparedness Rule (11:40 – 12:00)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ryan Bender, Public Health Ryan will provide information on the new Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Emergency Preparedness rule that will affect various healthcare providers in our region | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The final rule establishes national emergency preparedness requirements for Medicare and Medicaid participating providers and suppliers to plan adequately for both natural and man-made disasters New CMS Emergency Preparedness rule has an implementation date of November 15, 2017 The ruling effects 17 different provider and supplier types |

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| <p>Regional Updates & Working Lunch (12:00 – 12:40)</p> | <p><u>Nezperce Ambulance</u>: Construction starts this spring on a new Fire/EMS building in Nezperce</p> <p><u>Syringa Hospital and Ambulance</u>: Preparing for Spring Fling 2017 Ambulance Conference; Preparing for remodel of their primary care clinic</p> <p><u>Lewis Clark State College</u>: Nursing students will participate in the April full scale exercise</p> <p><u>Pullman Regional Hospital</u>: Participating in a full scale bus crash exercise on December 3rd</p> <p><u>Idaho County</u>: Hosted an Evacuation and Re-entry course in Grangeville; Continuing fire recovery and reimbursement efforts</p> <p><u>SJRM</u>: Preparing for an infectious disease TTX to focus on internal processes; Applied for funding to improve isolation capacities in their emergency department</p> <p><u>Clearwater County</u>: Continuing fire recovery and reimbursement efforts</p> <p><u>Steve Button</u>: Suicide Prevention Awareness Network (SPAN) is working to provide information to all schools and children in the region; SPAN Region II will host a 1-day suicide prevention and awareness conference on April 20, 2017 at LCSC</p> |
| <p>Healthcare Information Technology Security (12:40 – 1:30)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael Meline, Kootenai Health Director of Data and Security • Michael will provide an outline for an IT Security Program • Discuss emerging ransomware transactions in the healthcare field | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael provided information on cybersecurity, risk assessments, security programs, and business continuity • The fastest growing crime in the US today is healthcare identity theft • Kootenai Health is attacked by the minute from across the world; 60-80% of incoming emails are filtered out due to suspicious activity • Risk assessments are key in identifying how to reduce security threats in your facility • Community Security Coalition is a non-profit organization that hosts quarterly free training sessions to improve cybersecurity in the North Idaho/Spokane region www.communitysecuritycoalition.org |
| <p>NCHC Training and Exercise Update (1:30 – 1:50)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matt Dudley and Dean Neufeld, Public Health • Provide an update on trainings for the region including Prehospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS) and Tactical Casualty Care (TCC) • Overview of the April 1st Hostile Event Full Scale Exercise set in Genesee, ID | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An update on upcoming regional trainings was provided • Training dates are being finalized and will be shared when ready • Casey provided an overview of the April 1st full scale exercise upcoming planning events |
| <p>Closing Items (1:50 – 2:00)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Upcoming NCHC Dates • Regional Med Surge Plan | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next meeting is Tuesday, March 7th from 10:00am – 2:00pm at SJRM (NCIN meeting will follow) • The Regional Medical Surge Plan is going through a review process to update content |
| <p>North Central Information Network (2:00 – 4:00)</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The North Central Information Network reviewed the regional Joint Information Center – Joint Information System (JIC/JIS) Plan |



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