

April 2020-Ankit Parikh

Special Thanks

Special thanks to everyone that has helped fill shifts and for those that are not riding but have helped in administrative tasks and leading fundraising efforts within their communities. We've raised a decent chunk of money from these fundraising efforts which will help us offset the costs of the COVID-19 spending which was not budgeted for. Thank you for helping with all that. I really appreciate that.

Promotions

Please help Adam, Anuj, and Gaurav with scenarios and patient care drills so they can get working towards their EMT2 and be of more help in terms of filling crews down the road. Also help Michael with his modules which shouldn't take long since he's coming from another Squad but please help him get to riding status as well and once he's riding, help him get to EMT2 status.

Rig Checks (New Jumpkits)

Disinfecting the rigs is part of the rig check so please be diligent about cleaning them so we can protect ourselves and our patients. The pink laminated sheets that Brian created are there for reference near the portable suction.

Rig Status

Equipment/Supplies

We are good on PPE for now so if people want to donate stuff, please ask them to donate disinfecting stuff (Lysol sprays, disinfecting wipes, sanitizer, isopropyl alcohol, etc.).

Training/Certifications Up To Date

Joint Drills

Events

I'm assuming Founders Day is going to be cancelled. So we don't need to prepare for that I guess.

Operations Meeting

I was planning on holding an Operations Meeting this month but with everything going on, it might be hard to do so. If you have any operations type questions or comments, please pass them along my way and if we have a significant amount to discuss, we will find time to host an Operations Meeting.

Radios

Memoriam of Understanding

2nd OIC/2nd EMT

We have stopped doing 2nd Assignments and Dispatch has been made aware of that so if you happen to hear All Call Tones for 2nd Assignments, please advise Dispatch that we are unavailable for it and to send it to mutual aid. Or if the OIC and dispatcher agree that it is a non-emergent call, try to stack it so that you don't tax another town by having them come in and leave their town short handed. Please review the stacking protocols and come talk to me if you have any questions regarding it.

Charts

Please please please complete the charts ASAP. EMSCharts has a tracking feature that we have set parameters to and will notify us of hot spots for COVID-19. As we all know, 5000 Windrows is one already but The Place (Rue Terrace) and maybe 1000 Windrows might be next on the list so it's imperative that you do these charts ASAP and not a day or two or a week later. Also make sure to file a special report for ANY POTENTIAL COVID and ALL WINDROWS AND MERWICK patients and outline who went in and what PPE was worn. And put me down as the supervisor so I get an email.

Miscellaneous

Chief Driver Report (Krishna)

Training Officer Report (Ankit, Akarsh, Harshit)

Scheduling Officer Report (Ankit, Abhilash, Jeffrey)

Thank you for all the help with the scheduling. We do have a lot of holes, especially Thursday night and during the weekends. Please pick up shifts and ease the burden on the Scheduling Officers. It'll help a lot if you can do an extra 12 hours a month.

Radio Officer Report (Ankit, Akarsh, Harshit)

Uniform Officer Report (Ankit, Akarsh, Harshit)

Charting QA Report (Ankit, Akarsh, Harshit)