



Los Angeles County
Board of Supervisors

Gloria Molina
First District

Mark Ridley-Thomas
Second District

Zev Yaroslavsky
Third District

Don Knabe
Fourth District

Michael D. Antonovich
Fifth District

Commissioners

Mr. David Austin

LA County Ambulance Association
Chief Robert E. Barnes
Los Angeles County Police Chiefs Assn.

Mr. Frank Binch

Public Member (4th District)

Erick H. Cheung, M.D.

Southern CA Psychiatric Society

Mr. Gerald B. Clute

Hospital Association of Southern CA

Robert Flashman, M.D.

LA County Medical Association

Clayton Kazan, M.D.

California Chapter-American College of
Emergency Physicians (CAL-ACEP)

Chief Raymond A. Mosack, Chair
CA State Firefighters' Association

Mr. Daryl Parrish

League of Calif. Cities/LA County Division

Lt. Andres Ramirez

Peace Officers Association of LA County

Carole A. Snyder, RN, Vice Chair

Emergency Nurses Association

Chief Jon D. Thompson

LA Chapter-Fire Chiefs Association

Areti Tillou, M.D.

LA Surgical Society

Mr. Gary Washburn

Public Member (5th District)

Mr. Bernard S. Weintraub

Southern California Public Health Assn.

VACANT

American Heart Association

Western States Affiliate

VACANT

Public Member (1st District)

Public Member (2nd District)

Public Member (3rd District)

Executive Director

Cathy Chidester

Director, EMS Agency

(562) 347-1604

cchidester@dhs.lacounty.gov

Commission Liaison

Marilyn Rideaux

(323) 890-7392

mrideaux@dhs.lacounty.gov

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COMMISSION

10100 Pioneer Boulevard, Suite 200, Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

(562) 347-1604 FAX (562) 941-5835

<http://.ems.dhs.lacounty.gov/>

DATE: May 15, 2013

TIME: 1:00 – 3:00 pm

LOCATION: LACOE Conference Room (1st Floor)
(Same bldg. as EMS Agency - main entrance facing
Pioneer Blvd.)
10100 Pioneer Blvd.
Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

The Commission meetings are open to the public. You may address the Commission on any agenda item before or during consideration of that item, and on other items of interest which are not on the agenda, but which are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission.

NOTE: Please SIGN IN if you would like to address the Commission.

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER – Raymond Mosack, Chairman

INTRODUCTIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRESENTATIONS – In recognition of EMS Week, May 19-25, 2013

Paramedics

Richard Houle - LAFD

Gerald Parker – Santa Monica FD

Russell Chidley – Westmed/McCormick

MICNs

Jean Orellana – Methodist Hospital of So Cal

Barbara Garrison - Methodist Hospital of So Cal

Mary Upham - Methodist Hospital of So Cal

EMT

Oscar Romero – Schaefer Ambulance Service

Patrick Mulcahy – American Red Cross

David Roberts – Centinela Hospital (recently retired)

CONSENT CALENDAR (Commissioners/Public may request that an item be held for discussion.)

1 MINUTES

- March 20, 2013

2. CORRESPONDENCE

- 2.1 Letter from Cathy Chidester, Director, EMS Agency, dated April 23, 2013 to Carol Govier, CE Program Director, North Valley Occupational Center regarding approval of the EMS Continuing Education Program
- 2.2 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated April 22, 2013 to Lourdes D. Hernandez, President, Script Medical Transit, Inc., regarding approval of Ambulette Operator's Business License Application
- 2.3 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated April 22, 2013 to Robert Risher, CEO, Associated Ambulance, Inc., dba Mercy Ambulance Service regarding Approval of Application for Corporation Director Change for Associated Ambulance, Inc., dba Mercy Ambulance Service
- 2.4 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated April 16, 2013 to Steve Dargan, Los Angeles County Health Planner, Emergency Management Department regarding participation in the Disaster Healthcare Volunteer countywide disaster exercise on Friday, April 26, 2013 as an observer
- 2.5 Memo from Cathy Chidester dated April 15, 2013 to Distribution regarding Temporary Relocation of Medical Alert Center (MAC) Operations
- 2.6 Letter from William Koenig, MD, Medical Director, EMS Agency, dated April 15, 2013 to Patrick D. Lyden MD, FAAN, Chairman, Department of Neurology, Cedars-Sinai Medical Center regarding Regional Coordinating Center for Stroke Trials
- 2.7 Letter from William Koenig, MD, dated April 15, 2013 to Jeffrey Saver, MD and Gene Sung, MD, Los Angeles Regional Coordinating Center for the NINDS Stroke Clinical Trials Network, UCLA Medical Center regarding L.A. County EMS' support for the proposed Los Angeles Regional Coordinating Center for the NINDS Stroke Clinical Trials Network
- 2.8 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated April 10, 2013 to Gregory Schmidt, Secretary of the Senate, California State Senate, regarding Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Fund Annual Report to the Legislature for FY 2011/2012
- 2.9 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated April 10, 2013 to E. Dotson Wilson, Chief Clerk, California State Assembly regarding Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Fund Annual Report to the Legislature for FY 2011/2012
- 2.10 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated April 8, 2013 to Joseph Chidley, President, Westmed Ambulance, Inc., regarding request for extension of the current Emergency Ambulance Transportation Services Agreements
- 2.11 Letter from Cathy Chidester dated March 27, 2013 to Cathy Casas, Executive Director, Kaiser Foundation Hospital – Woodland Hills regarding purchase of select pediatric equipment/supplies to prepare for possible pediatric surge

3. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- 3.1 Base Hospital Advisory Committee
- 3.2 Data Advisory Committee
- 3.3 Education Advisory Committee
- 3.4 Provider Agency Advisory Committee

4. POLICIES

- 4.1 Reference No. 304, Role of the Base Hospital
- 4.2 Reference No. 308, Base Hospital Medical Director
- 4.3 Reference No. 407, Advanced Life Support (ALS) Unit Alternate Staffing Pilot Program Requirements

- 4.4 Reference No. 411, Provider Agency Medical Director
- 4.5 Reference No. 412, EMT AED Service Provider Program Requirements
 - Reference No. 412.1, EMT AED Service Provider Program Application
- 4.6 Reference No. 413, Public Safety AED Service Provider Program Requirements
 - Reference No. 413.1, Public Safety AED Service Provider Program Application
- 4.7 Reference No. 506, Trauma Triage
 - Reference No. 506.1, Trauma Triage Decision Scheme
- 4.8 Reference No. 816, Physician at the Scene
- 4.9 Reference No. 836, Communicable Disease Exposure and Testing
 - Reference No. 836.1, Communicable Disease (CD) Exposure and Testing Flowchart
 - Reference No. 836.2, Communicable Disease Exposure and Notification Report Form
 - Reference No. 836.3, CD Exposure and Testing Court Petition for Order to Test Accused Blood
- 4.10 Reference No. 838, Application of Patient Restraints
- 4.11 Reference No. 903, Paramedic Intern Clinical Experience and Field Internship Requirements
- 4.12 Reference No. 1011, Mobile Intensive Care Nurse (MICN) Field Operation
- 4.13 Reference No. 1014, Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Certification

5. **BUSINESS**

Old:

- 5.1 Status of Policy Initiatives
 - Physician Services for Indigent Patients (PSIP) (September 16, 2009)
- 5.2 Community Paramedic (July 18, 2012)
- 5.3 1+1 Paramedic Staffing Model (November 21, 2012)

New:

- 5.4 Wall Time

6. **COMMISSIONERS COMMENTS/REQUESTS**

7. **LEGISLATION**

8. **EMS DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

Lobbyist Registration: Any person or entity who seeks support or endorsement from the EMS Commission on official action must certify that they are familiar with the requirements of Ordinance No. 93-0031. Persons not in compliance with the requirements of the Ordinance shall be denied the right to address the Commission for such period of time as the noncompliance exists.