Welcome to the Joint National EMS Leadership Forum

November 2, 2012
New Orleans, LA
The mission of the Joint National Emergency Medical Services Leadership Forum (JNEMSLF) is to facilitate a shared vision, collaboration, and unity in purpose to improve emergency medical services and conditions that affect emergency medical services throughout the country.

It is the vision of the JNEMSLF that timely, stable and accountable local and regional emergency medical services systems with the capacity and performance to ensure optimal patient outcomes must be available throughout the United States. The JNEMSLF will achieve this vision through:

- **Maintaining contemporary and mutual awareness** of the priorities, challenges, and accomplishments of national associations with a leadership role in emergency medical services systems in the United States
- **Fostering an environment of trust and information exchange** among and between national EMS associations and partners in the executive branch of the federal government
- **Identifying matters of mutual importance and developing consensus-based positions** for emergency medical services stakeholders and partners at the all levels – local through federal
- **Serving as a collective voice** for interactions with federal and national organizations when a multi-association, multidisciplinary educational approach is of benefit to all stakeholders
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• Agenda Review/Additions
• New Business: Correspondence to GSA and NFPA
• Drug shortages: progress and next steps
• NEMSIS: progress and next steps
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Model Rules for Ambulance Vehicle Design
Project 9/12 Meeting Consensus

- JNEMSLF Participants:
  - AAA
  - AAMS
  - IAFC
  - NAEMT
  - NASEMSO
  - NCEMSI
  - NEMSMA

- Other JNEMSLF sign-ons?

- Correspondence to GSA requesting a delay in cancellation of the KKK specifications until 2015

- Submission of 2 Temporary Interim Amendments to NFPA
  - Elimination of speed governor
  - Modification of purchaser certification requirement
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GAO Letter

• Sign ons received from:
  – AAA
  – IAFF
  – NAEMT
  – NASEMSO
  – NEMSMA
  – NVFC

• Go or No Go? One more call for sign ons?
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Burning Platforms 11/12

• NAEMT:
  – Fitness guidelines rolling out @ EMS Today 2013
  – 4th Annual EMS on the Hill Day March 5-6
  – ACO...issue for the Forum, discuss @ next meeting & identify action items

• AAMS
  – Spring Conference 2nd week of April
  – NEMSIS 3.0 Task Force
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• ACEP
  – Prep (position) paper on HEMS, should be published in one of the next two journals
  – Subspecialty board exam materials and educational program, registration opened
  – Fellowship core curriculum approved by ACGME

• ACCT
  – S1407 rewrite in progress, focused on quality and data in paramedical transport and level setting
  – MedPAC, concern about add-ons expiring
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• NEMSMA
  – Core competencies in EMS Leadership due out soon for comment
  – Completing a textbook Managing Ambulance Services
  – Violence initiative work continues
  – Definition of EMS!!!
  – Field training evaluation course
  – Annual meeting August 6-10 in conjunction with Pinnacle

• IAFC
  – Gary Ludwig stepping down as Chair of the EMS Section next year and moving up to the Board. Dave Becker likely new Chair
  – Signed agreement with Penwell (JEMS owner)
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• NASEMSO
  – Specialty Certification Project
  – Community Paramedicine, make an agenda item for winter meeting
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JNEMSLF 2013 Meeting Schedule

• TBD- January 2013 @ FICEMS/NEMSAC and/or teleconference?
• TBD- March 2013 @ EMS Today
• TBD- June 2013 @ FICEMS/NEMSAC
• TBD- 2nd Week of September 2013 @ EMS World Expo
• Gregg Lord made gracious offer of meeting space
Action Items

• Agenda item for March meeting: ACOs (ACEP & NAEMT to lead off discussion)
• Agenda item for March meeting: Community Paramedicine (NEMSMA & NASEMSO to lead off discussion)
• NASEMSO will issue last call for sign ons to GAO letter
• NASEMSO will distribute final draft NFPA TIAs and GSA letters for sign on
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