

BCFFA EMS COMMITTEE MEETING 12/15

Location: Virtually via Zoom

In attendance: Claire Wiener (Lefthand), Conor Moran (Nederland), Cameron Moran (Sugarloaf), Claudia Kutscher (Lefthand), Leslie Finn (Gold Hill)

Called to order at 1805

1) Claire Wiener presenting on potential new tech/virtual resources:

- Possibility for two free resources to be offered to the BCFFA (access to the 3Hundred Group, a CE platform owned by Dr. Sovndal, and Handtevy, an EMS app for pediatric dosing and care).
- Group agrees that we will produce a survey of interest for the agency EMS officers with short explanation of benefits.

2) Conor Moran presenting on education:

- EMR
 - Per survey sent out to gauge interest in a spring 2024 EMR, approximately 20 people are in need of the class. Discussion of the challenge around location (it looks like about half would prefer a flats location and half would prefer Nederland), platform for distributive section, and a need for more instructors. Instructors will again be hired and paid through Peak to Peak.
- EMT
 - The hunt for a clinical site continues. Discussion of changes at Estes as they work through the UCHealth takeover. Discussion of other possible partnerships or sites.
- BLS
 - Nederland has five new BLS instructors who are available for classes around the county
 - Need for more CPR tokens: will follow up with RETAC about accessing funds.
- ACLS/PALS/EKG
 - Desire to start offering these classes at Nederland in line with their education goals.
 - Recommendations around experienced BLS providers auditing ACLS and PALS to further their education: can't carry the card, but we do think they benefit
 - EKG as continuing education for BLS providers and paramedic prep as more programs are requiring it.

General:

The group agrees that we should have a special meeting in January to set the meeting dates and training calendar for 2024. Any interested parties should send an email to Claire and Conor.