Northwest Community EMS System

Education Committee Meeting

MINUTES

October 7, 2008

Topic	Discussion/Conclusions
Call to Order	• Meeting called to order at 09:05
Review of Minutes	• September minutes approved with grammar corrections
Review of Agenda	• No additions
Introduction of new members:	• None
Education Committee Meeting	• **Entry Guidelines** – Advisory Board approved draft language with the understanding that changes will continue as each area is developed. The Chiefs also approved the changes to the policy. • G. Fabsists distributed the seminar survey. The Committee agreed that the top *three (Providing feedback and mentoring techniques; How educators can use motivational theory to spark learning; Adult learning styles, teaching techniques for each style)* would be selected and as time permitted the other topics could be addressed. • **System Entry Guidelines** – D. Neubecker stated that the new 12 lead pre-class material had very positive feedback. She would like to incorporate the concept to other topics. CE credit was allotted for both the pre-class and the practical. • A sub-committee to address and further define the Department Educator was established. Representatives are: Karin Buchanan, Jennifer Dyer, John Schneider, Curt Hanselman, Jan Makowski and Pete Dyer. The sub-committee would address issues such as: *How do we utilize this individual? What would be the baseline or minimum department participation? How would the Department Educator assume more of the role to present System Education in place of the Nurse Educator?* • *Qualifications & Responsibilities for EMS Provider Educator,* an excerpt from the C-2 Policy, was distributed for committee review. A separate meeting for the Provider Educator would need to be established and not in conjunction with the System Educator Meeting. It was recommended that the Sub-committee meet over the next several months to have a "generic" guideline in place for possibly January 2009.
System and State Updates	• K. Knop reported that Jan Sullivan has left the staff at Good Shepard.
Next Committee Meeting	• November 4, 2008 • Room LC 7 & 8
Adjournment	• With no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10:20