



FICEMS

Federal Interagency Committee on EMS

Meeting Agenda

December 19, 2011 - 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm EDT

Department of Homeland Security, Office of Health Affairs

1120 Vermont Ave., NW, Washington DC

4th Floor Conference Room

1. **Welcome, Introductions, Opening Remarks – Alexander Garza, Chairman**
2. **Review and Approval of Minutes of July 12, 2011 Meeting**
3. **Culture of Safety Project Update**
4. **National EMS Advisory Council (NEMSAC) Report**
5. **National EMS Assessment**
6. **Technical Working Group (TWG) Committee Reports, Work Plan Updates**
 - a. Overview (Drew Dawson)
 - b. Assessment (Rick Patrick)
 - c. Medical Oversight (Rick Hunt, M.D.)
 - d. Data/Research (Susan McHenry and Tasmeen Weik)
 - e. Preparedness (Robert Bass, M.D.)
 - f. Safety Committee (Rick Patrick)
 - g. Education and Workforce (Mike Stern)
7. **National Transportation Safety Board Recommendations**
 - a. Mexican Hat Bus Crash – Adoption of Final Report to NTSB
 - b. Helicopter EMS – Adoption of Progress Report to NTSB
8. **2011 CDC Guidelines for Field Triage of Injured Patients**
9. **Preparedness Committee Options Paper on MCI Triage Uniformity**
10. **FICEMS Strategic Planning**
11. **Emerging Issues in EMS from Federal Agencies**
12. **Election of FICEMS Chair and Vice-Chair**
13. **Agency Updates and Other Business**
 - a. Discussion of Next Generation 9-1-1 (David Furth)
14. **Public Comment**
15. **Adjournment**