

SEQIP HDSP Taskforce Subcommittee Meeting Minutes

May 26, 2021

1:00-2:30 Eastern Time

I. 2021 SEQIP Legislative Report

The 2021 Legislative Report has been submitted for review and should be through the approval process and available for the Governor's and LRC review by June.

II. Kentucky Coverdell Grant Application

UK Regional Extension Center – Brent McCune, Executive Director along with Dr. Goldstein (UK Department of Neurology/CSC) and Dr. Remmel/ Kari Moore as Co-Pls (UofL Department of Neurology/CSC), in collaboration with HDSP, SEQIP, and other stakeholders have submitted an application for the CDC Coverdell Award. Applicants who receive the award will be notified by May 30, 2021. Bonita Bobo, Lisa Bellamy, and Kari Moore all commented that the application was very well written and believe that Kentucky's chance of being one of the states awarded is high. Membership will be updated once further information is available to share.

III. KRS 216B.0425 and KRS 211.575 Legislation

Wording of these 2 pieces of legislation regarding level of stroke center designation and which levels of designation are required to submit data to HDSP is confusing. The SEQIP steering committee recommends we request a change in the wording to state "all certified stroke centers" instead of each level of designation to help clarify current language and allow for growth in the levels of certification. Current legislation wording was discussed and reviewed by members present. All were in favor of proceeding to change the language to "all certified stroke centers." Kari Moore will f/u with AHA Advocacy Chair, Shannon Smith, to begin the process for requesting the change.

IV. SEQIP Website

The SEQIP website is completed and now available as a resource for SEQIP member. Please submit any best practice tools you would like to make available to your colleagues. A media group will be taking over management of the website in Q3 2021.

V. Subcommittee Chair Reports

a. **EMS Outreach & Education** – Lacy Keith Shumway

-KHDSP has allocated funding to create two to three EMS education modules available for first responders throughout the state. Kari Moore, Lacy Shumway, Lunn Hundley, Cassy Couey, Todd Early, and Kyle Williams are working on discussing and creating the content. We plan to have EMS personnel give the lectures. The goal is to create 2 modules to start; One discussing current guidelines for EMS assessment, treatment, and triage in the field and the second to focus on LVO and severity screening tools in the field.

-KBEMS has updated and presented their 2020 stroke report and it is available for review.

- b. **Disease Specific Care Certification** Abby Loechler, Lisa Bellamy, Rachel Jenkins, Betty McGee, Polly Hunt, Amy Porter
 - Release Notes have been placed on the SEQIP website and sent to SEQIP Membership
 - The Joint Commission standards update for July will soon be available
 - Recent site visit information was shared by members present
 - We are currently seeking a new chair for the Primary Stroke Center Designation

c. **Data Analysis and Performance Improvement** – Sasha Fae Maschenik

No report. New GWTG-S Release Notes have been sent to membership

- d. Navigating the Stroke Continuum of Care Carrie Crocket
 - The updated support group list for 2021 is available on the SEQIP website
 - The group is working on creating educational handouts for stroke patients discussing pseudobulbar effect, driving after a stroke, and importance of PCP follow up
- e. **Door In Door Out (DiDo)** Bill Singletary
 - GWTG-S DiDo Data were shared by Bill and members were encouraged to look at their data and identify opportunities to improve times
 - The updated DiDo best practice tool was shared with membership and is available on the SEQIP website for review and download.
- f. **Community and Public Health Education and Outreach** Bonita Bobo
 - The group has reconvened to do the annual review of standardized messaging materials.
 - All tools are available on the HDSP or SEQIP webpage.
- g. **Door to Device** Lindsey Siewert

No Report

h. **Inpatient Code Stroke** – Chauncey Evers

No Report – Newly established group seeking additional committee members

VI. Other Business

Our next face to face meeting will be in October during SEQIP's Annual meeting: Date TBD HDSP Task Force meeting scheduled for October still being finalized

All members were encouraged to sign up for a subcommittee if they are interested