Mobile Integrated Health Committee  
Meeting Minutes  
April 28, 2022

Attendance:  
Chris Truitt, Harvey Booth, Kevin Turner, Jessica Thomas, Pam Gantt, Wayne Tiemersma,  
Carole Hoof, Jen Mott, David Besseck, Sean Sullivan, Christina Castro, Robert Yerkie, Avital  
Graves, Greg Fries, James Matz

Meeting called to order at 0902 hours

Motion to approve the previous minutes by Greg, second by Kevin. Motion passed.

Beta Testing 10 questions need to be sent to Greg, ASAP. Any names that need to be submitted  
to Zach for Beta testing.

Guest presentation from Martha Peribonio-Executive director of the National Association of MIH  
providers

- 26 different states to include Maryland, below is the active members
  - Tidal Health
  - AACo FD and county health department
  - Queen Annes - currently in discussion

- 4 committees to include:
  - Education membership/education
  - Legislative and regulatory
  - Professional standards
  - Bylaws

There are agency and individual memberships. All members meet quarterly. They encourage all  
members to become part of a committee. The committee’s meet every 3-4 weeks.  
NAMIHP.org - Legislation by state on their website of MIH legislation that they know of.

Senate Bill 295
This has been voted on by the House and Senate, currently awaiting the Governor’s signature.  
Medicaid billable services, alternative care models to include Mobile Integrated Healthcare.  
Circle back with MIEMSS for any guidance for this Bill and definitions for the payers.

Symposium/Conference
Fall MD MIH Symposium - Talbot volunteered to host the symposium. Montgomery, Frederick,  
AACO, Salisbury, etc. will form a sub-committee. Facility provided in-kind, hotel rates will be  
looked at. Greg will check with the venue about dates.
Emeds/Elite Change Committee
Changes will be coming. Adding additional selection to the primary impressions -Community Health visit, immunization and Substance use support. All went through unopposed. May 1st the changes go into effect. Data codes for billing will be discussed at the end of May. Next meeting is in July. IF you have any thoughts on changes let Matt know so that he can present it. Montgomery is working with Image Trend and spoke with Matt about the patient contact information for referral. Montgomery has come up with a worksheet to go into the module which then data could be pulled.

Review of Programs
Queen Annes - Started building out a special needs tracker for pediatrics.
Talbot - Transition period, Greg has been promoted and they are looking for his replacement. Greg will still be involved with managing the program.
AA- Leadership summit, Case management software went live. They are adding a PM/RN/SW team.
Montgomery - ESPP money funded 2 full time paramedics, duty officer, chase car, EMS supervisor. Adult protective services presentation at EMS World this year. CIT conference in Pittsburg. Still working on getting patients to the crisis center. Working to revise the EMT refresher with an MIH segment.
Salisbury- SWIFT follow up visits on-going, MDCN running 3 days a week based on staffing ability. Budget was destroyed but 2.0 is still unknown.
Charles - Normal operations, no update
Baltimore City - Expansion of Pop Health, from the ESPP funding. Vaccinations, home visits and MDCN normal operations.
Worcester - Year 2 from Hearst grant. Working on additional referrals and addiction in the county.
Howard - Dan is taking over, Chirstina has been promoted. Dan has been working with Christina so he is currently looking over the current programs (Leave Behind Narcan, AD) for improvements.
Carole - Sitting in on the rounds for the program, seeked approval for additional interventions for Paramedics should have an answer from Fees: Starting cost $200, plus Mileage and interventions per hour.
SEMSAC - Good time to have an update on the educational roll out or anything else that is going on to include funding issues for the June 2nd SEMSAC meeting.

Good of the order - None

Motion to adjourn by Greg Fries, second by Kevin Turner. Motion Pass.

Respectfully submitted by Jessica Thomas Paramedic BCFD