



PEMAC Education Subcommittee Update May 2020



1. BLS Subcommittee:

Discussion of equipment and technology challenges. Beta testing EMT portfolio and evaluator meetings. Next meeting is May 17th.

2. ALS Subcommittee:

Continues to work on state content for ALS renewals. Includes content on Pediatric Seizures. Next meeting is May 20th.

3. Continuing Education Updates:

a) APLS Courses

- 2020 Course Offerings – November 16th @ MIEMSS
- Additional courses being considered in lieu of May course cancellation
- 2020 courses will also include the PALS Heartcode option

b) PEPP Courses

- PEPP curriculum was to be rolled out May 2020 at Accredicon conference. Conference was cancelled due to pandemic. Summer rollout for Maryland remains planned with first course offering in October 2020.

c) Additional Course Offerings

4. Pediatric Courses – Planning & Updates:

- a) **National PEPP Steering Committee:** New content to be rolled out – TBD when and how
- b) **Maryland PEPP Steering Committee:** No update

5. Video/Web Training

Completed Webinars available on MIEMSS LMS

- a) ALTE – Karen O’Connell MD – Available on LMS
- b) Carbon Monoxide Hazards and Response – Major Dennis Wood, MS, NRP – Available on LMS
- c) The Silent Killer – CO & Children – Karen O’Connell, MD – Available on LMS
- d) Safe Transport of Children in Ambulances – Available on LMS
- e) Neonatal Resuscitation – Webra Price-Douglas, PhD, CRNP – Available on LMS
- f) Pediatric Tracheostomy Care – Available on LMS
- g) Pediatric Burn Injuries – Sent to MIEMSS L&C to be uploaded onto LMS

Webinars in process/planning

- a) Pediatric Stroke by Ryan Felling, MD, PhD in development
- b) OB & Newborn Emergencies – Current workshop to be modified for LMS
 - OB Emergencies LMS to be presented by Jen Fahey, CNM, MPH
- c) Pediatric Vascular Access – current workshop has 4 lectures, planning to convert core Hydration Assessment lecture by Jessica Strohm-Farber DNP, CPNP-AC

Educational Products – Available from the Maryland EMSC Program Office
1. IO DVD – 2010
2. BLS TRIPP – 2007 updated version
4. MOULAGE – Slides and instructional handouts on CD
5. Child Victimization – CD with cases in slides for interactive discussion
6. MIEMSS BLS Lower Extremity Immobilization instructor resource DVD (from E&C)

Please see EMS & Prevention Educational Conferences 2020 handout

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