



Celebrating 49 Years of EMS Collaboration and Cooperation

Functional Group Meeting

March 20 - Wednesday

10:00 am - 12:00 pm

ZOOM

You Must Register to Participate

Upon registering you will receive access link information in an email directly from Zoom.

You may join the meeting via computer, smart phone, or phone

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I. EDUCATION

10:00 am - Topical Focus

Non-Lethal Strangulation: Signs and Symptoms

Jennifer Slominski RN, CEN, SANE-A

Forensic Program RN Manager - Banner Casa Grande, Ironwood, and Goldfield Medical Centers

11:00 am - Central Region Profile

Fountain Hills Fire Department

John Krajnak

Training Officer

April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month

II. ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

11:15 am

A. General Report - Ryan Southworth, DO

1. Approval of Meeting Minutes
2. AEMS Announcements
 - a. OBLS Initiative - <https://aems.org/obls>
 - b. Rural Paramedic Education Funding Status
 - c. Pediatric Mini Grant Process
 - d. EMCT & Trauma Award Nominations - March 31, 2024
3. Old Business
4. New Business
5. State Report

B. Planning & Outreach Report - Sandy Nygaard

1. Education
 - a. EMS Odyssey Conference - June 13, 2024
NOW Virtual - <https://aems.org/odyssey>
 - b. EMS CE Fall Forum - December 5, 2024
2. Outreach
 - a. Agency/Hospital/Fire Contacts – Update
 - b. Rural Summit – October 24, 2024

C. Patient Management Report - Ryan Southworth, DO, Chair

1. Categorization - Cindy Roberts **STATUS**
2. RED Book - Garth Gemar, MD
 - a. Central AZ Regional EMS Guidelines - Franco Castro-Marin, MD
3. Phx Stroke Center Coalition - Garth Gemar, MD/ Robert Londeree, MD
4. Pediatric - Mickey Kovach, RN
5. Other Reports

Next AEMS Functional Group Meeting:

May 15, 2024 - 10:00 am - Zoom

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Next AEMS Board of Governors Meeting:

April 17, 2024 - Noon - Zoom

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Functional Group
2024
Voting Members

Planning & Patient Management

Kevin Bailey	Kim Reger
Shari Brand, MD	Barb Schaffer, RN
Kaya Cole	Ryan Southworth, MD
Garth Gemar, MD	Billy Warren
Sandy Nygaard	Valerie Weaver, RN

Planning Only

Nicola Crim

Patient Management Only

Tracy Moroney, RN
Roy Ryals