2022 NAEMT Committee and Council Activities
Advancing the EMS Profession

Candidacy and Elections Committee
- Committee investigates and reports any compliance issues pertaining to candidacy and elections.
- Currently reviewing candidacy materials for 2022 election of NAEMT officers and directors.
- Finalized the candidate questions for the 2022 election cycle.
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- vetting eligibility requirements and candidacy materials.
- reviewing responses to questions and verifying statements, as needed.
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Affiliate Advisory Council
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GO VOTE

Advancing the EMS Profession

Programs and Initiatives to support and advocate for the EMS profession

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Executive Committee

- Bruce Evans, President
- Susan Bailey
- Troy Tuke
- Chris Way
- Matt Zavadsky

The committee has met this year to identify potential candidates for the 2022 election cycle and to review personnel matters with the Executive Director.

The committee has provided guidance to the Executive Director on several operational contracts.

Finance Committee

- Chris Way, Chair
- Susan Bailey
- Brandon Means
- Bryan Nelson
- Jon Washko
- Matt Zavadsky

Chris Way, Chair and NAEMT Treasurer

- Reviewed NAEMT’s investment portfolio.
- Will be reviewing NAEMT’s insurance coverage.
- Reviewed the Q1 and Q2 quarterly year-end forecasts.
- Reviewed the results of the full audit of the 2021 NAEMT financial records with NAEMT’s accounting firm.
- Will review the 2023 proposed budget in Q4.

Membership Committee

Committee Members
- Henry Lewis, Chair
- Danielle Cortez Devallo
- Gustavo Flores
- Brandon Foshee
- Elkin Fuentes Bellostas
- Sandra Hultz
- Melissa McNally
- Andrew Nett
- Josh Pelinio
- Les Powell
- Howard Schwartz
- William Tatum
- Eric Van Queen

Outreach Efforts:
- Works closely with network of Membership Coordinators to support growth within states; focusing on filling vacant positions.
- Membership campaigns - review results of marketing campaigns; recommend modifications to marketing strategies.
- Attended State EMS Association Networking Meeting and promoted combined membership to affiliated associations.

Member Benefits:
- Recently added The Student Loan Help Group benefit to assist members and immediate family with federal student loans.
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EMS Education

- Education Committee
- Regional European Education Committee
- Latin American Education Committee
- Mideast Education Committee
- Advanced Medical Life Support Committee
- Emergency Pediatric Care Committee
- Prehospital Trauma Committee

Education Committee

Committee Members
- Rick Ellis, Chair
- Brett Cross
- Ken Dalessandro
- Karen Larsen
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Education Committee

- Conducting a series of webinars on patient simulations requested by our instructors.
- Conducting a video contest for our training centers suggested by our state education coordinators.
- Working with our state education coordinators to increase access to NAEMT courses in areas that do not have any training centers.
- Developed revised policy on training center medical directors.
- Updated instructor to student ratios for NAEMT courses.
- Conducted a survey of our Affiliate Faculty to gauge interest in continuing education for instructors.
- Developing program for the annual NAEMT Faculty Meeting in Orlando.

Regional European Education Committee

- Patrick Wick (France), Chair
- Riana Constantinou (Cyprus), Vice-Chair

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- Working on expanding NAEMT education to Finland, Hungary, Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia-Herzegovina, and Montenegro.
- Established NAEMT education in Romania. Will also launch NAEMT courses in Slovakia in September. Working to re-establish NAEMT education in Luxembourg.
- Working to support our faculty in Ukraine.
- European partners are working on the translations of the 4th edition of EPC and other courses. Polish partners just completed translating the 9th edition of PHTLS instructor toolkit and course manual.
- Developing the program for the annual meeting of the committee in Vienna, Austria.
- Outreach to struggling training centers to provide advice and guidance.
- Total number of training centers in Europe: 468. New training centers established in 2022 to date: 17.

Latin American Education Committee

- Elkin Fuentes (Colombia), Chair
- Edwin Davila (Ecuador), Vice-Chair

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- Argentina
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Chile
- Colombia
- Costa Rica

- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- Honduras
- Mexico
- Panama
- Peru
Latin American Education Committee
Elkin Fuentes (Colombia), Chair
- Created and distributed Quality Assurance Survey to students.
- Reviewed all training Center activity in the region and contacted inactive centers.
- Increasing pool of Affiliate Faculty.
- Instructor verification project to identify healthcare professionals in each country equivalent to EMTs, paramedics, and other prehospital providers.
- Examined instructor inactivity to understand why they are not teaching and how the committee can assist them.
- To date, there are 213 training centers in LATAM and 28 of those were established since January 2022.

Mideast Education Committee
Ahed Najjar (U.A.E.), Chair
- Assessed the impact of COVID 19 on training centers in the region.
- Established a committee working group to develop a training center quality assurance plan for the region.
- Established NAEMT education in Turkey and Morocco.
- Working on expanding NAEMT education to Tunisia, Iraq, and Mauritania.
- Number of training centers in the Mideast: 49.
  New training centers established to date in 2022: 10.

Advanced Medical Life Support
Jeff Messerole, Chair
- Began the 4th edition AMLS textbook revision.
  Dr. Doug Kupas, Medical Editor
  Dr. Jon Krchmer, Assistant Medical Editor
  Dr. Vince Mosesso, Medical Director
- Committee members reviewing
  The 3rd edition textbook chapters and identifying areas for revision and improvement; and

Emergency Pediatric Care Committee
Committee Members
- Shannon Watson, Chair
- Dr. Kate Remick, Medical Director
- Dr. Mark Cicerone, Associate Medical Director
- Dr. Ann Dietrich, Associate Medical Director
- Dr. Emily Nichols, Associate Medical Director
- Jonathan Willoughty
- Sabine Sagner
- Jeremy Sidlauskas
- Dr. Sylvia Owusu-Ansah, AAP Liaison
Emergency Pediatric Care Committee
Shannon Watson, Chair
• Finalized the 4th Edition EPC Course Manual which was published in Q2.
• Completed a comprehensive comparison of EPC to PALS that will be used to promote adoption of EPC.
• Finalizing the 4th edition EPC Hybrid for release.
• Working with Fisdap on the validation of 4th edition EPC test questions.
• Will work for EMSC EIIC to update the Family-Centered Prehospital Care document.

Prehospital Trauma Committee
Dennis Rowe, Chair
• 10th Edition PHTLS textbook revision is in production!
• Dr. Andrew Pollak, Medical Editor
• Dr. Warren Dorlac, Medical Director
• Dr. Meg Morgan, Assoc. Medical Director
• Dr. Alexander L. Eastman, Tactical Medical Director
• Dr. Andrew Pollak, PHTLS Medical Editor
• Dr. Frank Butler, Military Medical Advisor
• Dr. J.C. Pitteloud
• Joanne Pizzinetti
• Jim McKendry
• Anthony Harbour
• Mark Lienekko
• Brian Simonson

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• 2022 World Trauma Symposium program was developed with another line-up of top speakers.
• Work is progressing on the 10th edition PHTLS Instructor Toolkit and Course Manual.
• All 9th edition PHTLS patient sims are under review and a list of new sims is in development.

Programs and Initiatives to Support and Advocate for the EMS Profession
• Advocacy Committee
• EMS Disaster Preparedness Committee
• EMS Economics Committee
• EMS Lighthouse Leadership Committee
• EMS Workforce Committee
• Military Relations Council

Advocacy Committee
Troy Tuke, Chair
• Troy Tuke, Chair
• Susan Bailey, Vice-Chair
• Tim Demst
• Mark Kennedy
• Allison G. S. Knox
• Steve Koll
• Dennis Nolan
• Brian Schoeffler
• Deborah Von Seggern-Johnson
• Jason White
• Kyle Wolter

Advocacy Committee
Troy Tuke, Chair
• Ongoing advocacy for legislative priorities – SIREN Act grants, EMS Counts Act, Medicare Extenders and funds for EMS workforce development.
• Reviewed 35 new federal bills and made recommendations to the Board on level of support.
• Actively participated in EMS On The Hill Day.
• Developed a new strategy for the NAEMT EMS PAC and making plans for PAC promotion in Orlando.
EMS Disaster Preparedness Committee

Susan Bailey, Chair
• Submitted comment on the need to establish Personal Protective Technology Centers of Excellence to address research and practice gaps (January 2022)
• Submitted comment on the ASPR National Health Security Strategy (NHSS) for 2023-2026 (March 2022)
• Participation in NETEC National Special Pathogen System of Care (NSPS) Care Delivery Network (CDN)
• Working with NAEML Corporate Sponsors to create a National Preparedness Month NAEMT Member Giveaway of Preparedness Products and Kits (September 2022)
• Collaborating with MESH to provide an EMS focused workshop at their National Healthcare Coalition Preparedness Conference (December 2022)

EMS Economics Committee

Matt Zavadsky, Chair
• Created and distributed national survey on EMS utilization of COVID-19 waivers in February.
• Published an executive summary of the survey results in May.
• Conducted NAEMT live webinar on lights, sirens and safety in March.
• Developing a national survey on operational economic models in EMS for distribution Q1-2023.
• Working with Public Consulting Group to analyze GEMT data to utilize for comparison to CMS cost collection data reporting.

EMS Lighthouse Leadership Committee

Dave Edgar, Chair
• Identified inaugural cohort of mentees through a comprehensive application, selection and notification process (May 2022).
• Providing a series of educational leadership workshops for mentees (in process).
• Developing the recruitment, selection and notification process for mentors (anticipated to be released in September 2022).
• Developing journal for mentees (anticipated to be released in Fall 2022).
EMS Workforce Committee

- Maria Beermann-Foat
- Aaron Florin
- Garrett Hedeen
- Julius Jackson
- Lawson Stuart
- Mark Ponder
- Mike Szczysiel
- Mike Thomas

Rob Luckritz, Chair

- Developed and published EMS Recruitment Strategies for EMS Agencies (Jan 2022).
- Created and distributed a national survey on EMS workforce satisfaction and engagement (April 2022).
- Developing a one-pager on how to create a Culture for Engaging the EMS Workforce. (anticipated release date Fall 2022)
- Developing a live webinar on strategies for engaging your EMS workforce. (scheduled for November 9 at 1 pm CT).

Military Relations Council

Committee Members
- Michael Williamson, Chair
- Dr. Frank Butler
- Christina Brown
- Chris Dent
- Chris Garvey
- Michael Griffith
- Craig Hall
- Chris Heppel
- Jeffrey Mather

Liaison Members
- Jeremy Miller
- Wesley Mundy
- Kyle Wolber
- Harold Montgomery
- MSG Mike Remley
- SFC Hunter Black
- MSGt Valarie Lee
- MSGt Ashley Jackson

Mike Williamson, Chair

- Prepared NAEMT Position Statement on Civilian EMS Certification for Military Medics that was approved by the NAEMT Board.
- Drafting civilian certification requirements for military medics by U.S. service branch.
- Providing a standing forum for representatives of all the U.S. Armed Services to exchange information on military medic training, certifications, and transition into civilian EMS.

NAEMT Support for TCCC

- U.S.A.
  - US military installations (domestic) – 154
  - US military installations (international) – 16
  - Non-military training centers – 322
- Europe
  - NATO affiliated military installations – 32
  - Czech Republic, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom.
  - Non-military training centers – 45
- Africa
  - Military installations – 3
  - Ghana, Mozambique, Senegal
  - Other countries where training has taken place or will take place – Djibouti, Kenya, Tanzania, Burkini Faso, Uganda, Ethiopia
- Mid-east
  - Military installations – 1
  - Jordan
  - Non-military training centers – 5
  - Israel, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, UAE
NAEMT Support for TCCC

- Latin America
  - Military installations – 4
    - Chile, Colombia, Mexico
  - Non-military training centers – 19

- Asia
  - Military installations – 4
    - S. Korea, Singapore, Taiwan, Thailand
  - Non-military training centers – 4

- Australia/NZ
  - Military installations - 0
  - Non-military training centers - 6

Thank you!