



## Mobile Integrated Healthcare Advisory Committee

A subcommittee of the Indiana EMS Commission

Date: October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Time: 10:00 a.m. EST

Location: MADE Facility

1610 Reeves Rd

Plainfield, IN 46168

As well as via Microsoft Teams online

**Members present:** Director Kraig Kinney, Dr. Eric Yazel, Joe Harding and Dr. Guy Crowder.

**Members present via teams (virtual):** Dr. Jan Kornilow, Chad Owen, Ambre Marr (joined late) Keith Mason, and Jarrod Sights.

**Others Present:** Stan Frank, Corey Wells, Emily Castor and other staff members, as well as EMS Community members.

**Absent Members:** Paul Miller, Shane Hardwick, Dr. Ty Sullivan, Andy VanZee, and Nate Metz.

### Roll Call

Kraig Kinney welcomed everyone, and Emily Castor called roll and quorum was determined.

### Adoption of Minutes

Kraig Kinney asked if there were any corrections to the minutes from June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

**A motion was made by Joe Harding to approve minutes from the June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024, meeting. The motion was seconded by Jarrod Sights. Roll call vote taken:**

**Director Kinney: Yes Dr. Eric Yazel: Yes**

**Dr. Jan Kornilow: Yes Joe Harding: Yes Chad Owen: Yes**

**Keith Mason: Yes Jarrod Sights: Yes**

**The motion passed and the previous minutes were approved.**

## MEMBERSHIP

Dr. Eric Yazel, State EMS  
Medical Director

Kraig Kinney, State EMS  
Director

Dr. Jan Kornilow, EMS Medical  
Director Representative

Chief Paul Miller, MIH-CP  
Program Director

Joe Harding, Municipal MIH-CP  
Program

Chad Owen, Non-municipal  
MIH-CP Program

Laura Schwab-Reese, PhD  
College/University

Shane Hardwick, MIH-CP  
Provider

Dr. Ty Sullivan, FSSA  
Representative

Keith Mason, Insurance  
Industry Representative

Dr. Guy Crowder, Indiana State  
Department of Health  
Representative

Andy VanZee, Indiana Hospital  
Association Representative

Nate Metz, Indiana Emergency  
Medical Services Association

Jarrod Sights, Indiana Fire  
Chiefs Association

Director Kinney welcomed all to the meeting and reported how the MIH Community Paramedic Program Representative role has been filled by Paul Miller with Crawfordsville Fire Department. He explains that as their MIH program has grown there have been some changes and Paul had not been able to attend as frequently due to changing responsibilities. Director Kinney stated that it's the recommendation of the staff that Samantha Mitchell, Crawfordsville Mobile Integrated Health Director, become the permanent representative for this position versus Paul Miller.

**A motion was made by Joe Harding to approve Samantha Swearingen as the MIH-CP Program Director representative. The motion was seconded by Dr. Jan Kornilow. Roll call vote taken:**

**Director Kinney: Yes Dr. Eric Yazel: Yes Dr. Jan Kornilow: Yes Joe Harding: Yes  
Chad Owen: Yes Ambre Marr: Yes Keith Mason: Yes Dr. Guy Crowder: Yes Jarrod Sights: Yes**

**The motion passed.**

### **Reports**

Director Kinney wished everyone Happy MIH Week and recognized MIH providers for all the outstanding and innovative work they've put in to continue the growth of MIH throughout Indiana. He introduced Corey Wells, he is the new EMS Certifications Section Chief, who will be overseeing the certifications section as well as Mobile Integrated Health. Director Kinney then reviewed the recent conferences involving MIH, EMS World Expo held in Las Vegas, NV where he attended the MIH Pre-Conference as well as the full conference and the upcoming MIH Pre-Conference at the Crossroads Conference in French Lick, IN.

Dr. Yazel echoed Director Kinney, wishing all providers a Happy MIH Week. He stated that it's the time to start thinking about where providers are wanting to see MIH further as there will be a new governor coming in 2025. Dr. Yazel reported that Indiana Department of Health has communicated with local health departments regarding MIH and there has been a growing interest among counties to get involved.

Emily Castor reported that the MIH Credentialing Subcommittee's focus has been on narrowing down the areas of specialty as well as education recommendations and hourly requirements for each initiative. Miss Castor states that the subcommittee meets once monthly and will continue to work towards a rough draft of ideas to submit for review. There will be more updates on this coming soon.

### **New Business**

Emily Castor reported that there were five programs for review at this time: Lawrence Fire Department, Muncie Fire Department, Parke County EMS & Transportation Service, Putnam County EMS, and Valparaiso Fire Department.

**A motion was made by Joe Harding approve all programs as presented. The motion was seconded by Nate Metz. Roll call vote taken:**

**Director Kinney: Yes Dr. Eric Yazel: Yes Dr. Jan Kornilow: Yes Samantha Swearingen: Yes  
Joe Harding: Yes Chad Owen: Yes Ambre Marr: Yes Keith Mason: Yes  
Dr. Guy Crowder: Yes Jarrod Sights: Yes**

**The motion passed and all presented programs were approved.**

Emily Castor reviewed the 2025 Mobile Integrated Health Committee meeting dates. The meeting will continue to be held at MADE in Plainfield. Miss Castor states that providers should be expecting the meeting invitations

via email soon and encouraged departments to reach out if someone on their team did not receive the notification.

### **Old Business**

Emily Castor reminded all of the upcoming Crossroads Conference hosted by IEMSA and the ENA. This will be held in French Lick, IN, starting off with the MIH Pre-Conference on November 20, and the main conference on November 21st and 22nd. For more details you can visit the IEMSA or ENA websites.

Emily Castor updated that the MIH Data Collection project is in the final stages of planning and production, stating that the projected start date for data collection Pilot Programs will be the end of November to early December. Miss Castor reviewed some aspects of the form and reminded all the form will be available on ImageTrend. Dr. Yazel stated that this is only the first version of the form and encouraged providers to give recommendations as this form becomes available.

Ambre Marr spoke regarding AARP's recent visit to the Crawfordsville MIH program and shared a video showcasing their program as well as the positive effects it's had and continues to have in their community. You can find this video on the AARP YouTube channel, titled, 'Health Care the Hoosier Way: Crawfordsville'.

Next Mobile Integrated Health Committee meeting will be **December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at 10:00 AM**. Location will be at MADE in Plainfield.

Kraig Kinney adjourned the meeting by consensus.