

**PI Subcommittee Meeting - Agenda**  
**March 16, 2021 – 10am EST to 11:00am EST**

*Microsoft Teams*

1. Welcome and Introductions

<b>Meeting Attendees</b>			
Amanda Rardon- <b>D4</b>	Lesley Myers- <b>D8</b>	Wendy St. John- <b>D5</b>	
Andy VanZee- <b>IHA</b>	Lisa Hollister- <b>D3</b>		
Bekah Dillon- <b>D6</b>	Lori Gill- <b>D8</b>		
Brittanie Fell- <b>D7</b>	Maria Thurston- <b>D5</b>		
Christy Claborn- <b>D5</b>	Marie Stewart- <b>D10</b>		
Dara Dilger- <b>D10</b>	Mark Rohlfing- <b>D6</b>		
Dawn Daniels- <b>D5</b>	Mary Schober- <b>D5</b>		
Elizabeth Tenbarge- <b>D10</b>	Melissa Smith- <b>D5</b>		
Jackie Martin- <b>D7</b>	Merry Addison- <b>D7</b>		
Jake Keultjes- <b>D2</b>	Dr. Michael Kaufmann- <b>IDHS</b>		
Jan Howard- <b>D2</b>	Michele Jolly- <b>D10</b>		
Dr. Jay Woodland- <b>D10</b>	Michelle Moore- <b>D6</b>		
Jennifer Homan- <b>D1</b>	Noell Andriessen- <b>D1</b>		
Jill Castor- <b>D5</b>	Olivia Roloff- <b>D7</b>		
Jodi Raymond- <b>D5</b>	(Chair) Dr. Peter Hammer - <b>IUH, D5</b>		
Kelli Vannatter- <b>D6</b>	Dr. Peter Jenkins- <b>D5</b>		
Kelly Blanton- <b>D5</b>	Rachel Stansberry- <b>D10</b>		
Kisha Knight- <b>D1</b>	Regina Nuseibeh- <b>D4</b>		
Kristi Croddy- <b>D5</b>	Rexene Slayton- <b>D8</b>		
Latasha Taylor- <b>D1</b>	Sarah Hoepfner- <b>D3</b>		
LeAnne Young- <b>D2</b>	Tammy Robinson- <b>D7</b>		
<b>ISDH STAFF</b>			
Veronica Daye	Trinh Dinh	Emma Heltzel	Katie Hokanson
Ramzi Nimry			

2. 2021 Goals

- a. Decrease ED LOS for critical patients at non-trauma centers
- b. Increase trauma registry quiz participation

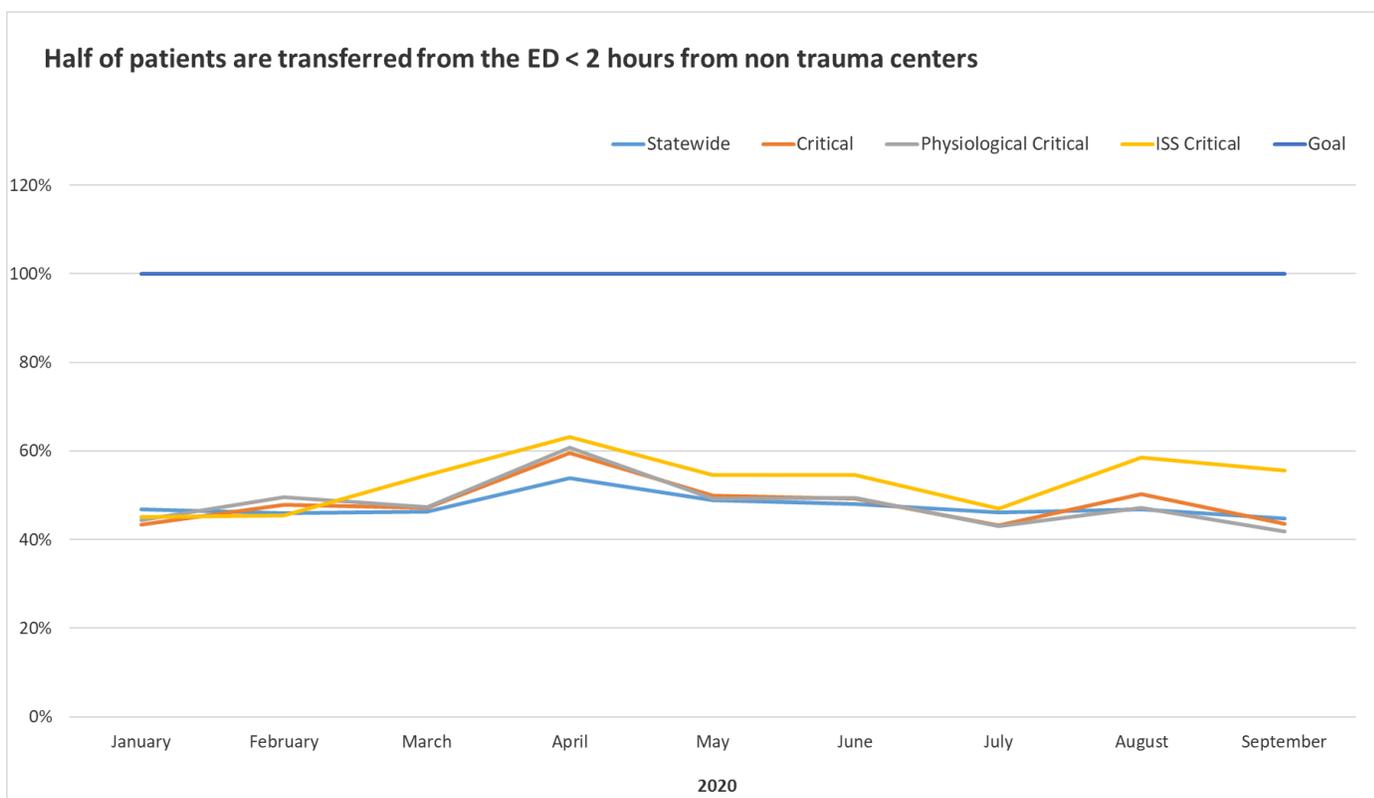
- c. Collect hospital level variables
- d. Continued EMS run sheet collection

**Biggest focus last year was ED LOS at non-trauma centers under 2 hours, for 2021, we will focus more on the critical patients rather than non-critical patients.**

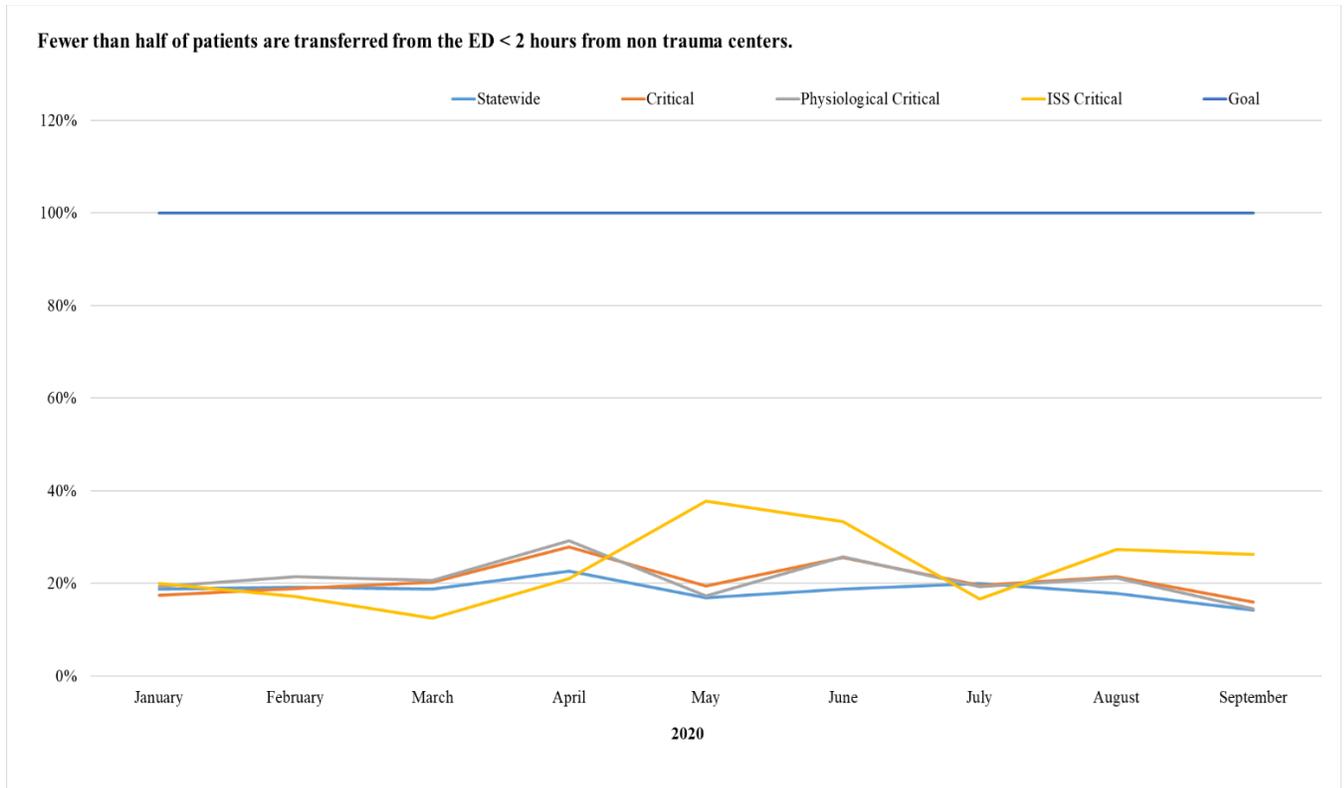
- 3. Decrease ED LOS at non-trauma centers
  - a. Letters to hospitals about ED discharge date/time
    - i. Quarter 3 and Q4 2020 – letters will be sent out before the next PI meeting in May.

**Running around 50% for patients to get out in 2 hours, small improvement at end of the year. We can argue that there is room for improvement. Pandemic has slowed down response.**

- b. ED LOS (Orders Written)



- c. ED LOS (Physical Exit)



**Patients are not getting transferred in time.**

4. Increase trauma registry quiz participation
  - a. January -24 February - 20
    - i. Result (for February 2021 quiz): 73% (was 78% last meeting)

**Stagnant with quiz participation numbers, has not gone up or down. Consistent for a year, could be attributable to the Pandemic. Hopefully, this picks up by next meeting.**

5. Collect hospital level variables
  - a. This request was approved at the February ISTCC meeting
    - i. 93 hospitals as of November 16<sup>th</sup> (December 4<sup>th</sup> deadline)

**Would like to get more hospital level variables for data integrity.**

6. Continued EMS run sheet collection
  - a. Please send Randall Eimerman with Dept. of Homeland Security at [REimerman@dhs.IN.gov](mailto:REimerman@dhs.IN.gov) with a list of EMS providers not leaving run sheets.

**No update on EMS run sheets.**

7. Quarterly updates

**Compared to last meeting, not much progress on more hospitals reporting. Could be due to capped resources due to the pandemic. As covid-19 numbers decline, we need to stress that this is an expectation. Change in staffing has caused problems in reporting.**

**For next meeting, add district numbers after name of hospital and start clustering them by district.**

**There was a discussion on how some hospitals do not see value in reporting from a State perspective and the value of PI. Nothing mandatory from the state or a clear goal.**

**There needs to be a message about why we are doing this, the end goal, to send out to hospitals to encourage further reporting.**

- a. List of hospitals not reporting for Q3 2020
  - i. Adams Memorial Hospital
  - ii. Ascension St. Vincent- Noblesville (Neighborhood Hospital)
  - iii. Ascension St. Vincent - Kokomo
  - iv. Ascension St. Vincent - Randolph
  - v. Deaconess Gibson Hospital
  - vi. Franciscan Health Crawfordsville
  - vii. Franciscan Health Dyer
  - viii. Franciscan Health Hammond
  - ix. Franciscan Health Munster
  - x. Greene County General Hospital
  - xi. Goshen Hospital
  - xii. Harrison County
  - xiii. La Porte Hospital
  - xiv. Margaret Mary Health
  - xv. Portage Hospital
  - xvi. Porter Regional-Valparaiso
  - xvii. St Joseph Hospital (Fort Wayne)
  - xviii. St. Mary Medical Center-Hobart
  - xix. Valparaiso Medical Center
  
- b. Who can reach out to non-reporting hospitals by district? What are the hospital's barriers to reporting?
  
- c. Transfer delay
  - i. Quarter 3 2020 analysis
    - a) Delay = yes (N=490)
    - b) Main categories (**bold is for top 5**)
      - a. Null (N=252)**
      - b. EMS (N=64)**
      - c. Receiving facility issue (N=56)**
      - d. Other (N=40)**
      - e. Referring physician decision making (N=26)**
      - f. Referring facility issue (N=15)
      - g. Delay issue (N=15)
      - h. Transportation issue (N=9)
      - i. Family, legal guardian, or patient issue (N=6)
      - j. Referring Hospital Issue-Radiology (N=5)
      - k. Communication (N=2)

**Second quarter numbers in comparison to third quarter, more delays in third quarter but less null value. Null appears when they selected that there was a transfer delay but it was not filled out, or put as default.**

Approved by PI that all non-trauma centers that run into a delay in transfer have to provide this information.

**2021 Meeting Dates and Location**  
**Microsoft Teams (for the time being)**

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May 11	July 13	September 14
November 16		

Last meeting was cancelled.

**Dr Kaufman: EMS helping in response to COVID-19, administering vaccines to homebound individuals. Data reporting slipped a little bit due to the end results of COVID-19. Still around 92%-95% reporting mark. If there are problems accessing run sheets from certain EMS providers, contact Dr. Kaufman or DHS. Did receive funding from CMS to push EMS data into online data exchange. Care web will have run sheet. Slight delay in access but should minimize people you have to contact to get run sheets.**

**Indiana health information exchange is the data repository. Physicians have access now through care web interace. If you have access you probably know. Hospital should have mechanism to logging in.**

**Lisa Hollister: Go back to state review, see if there is anything we can work on PI wise.**