

7.a. GETAC Air Medical & Specialty Care Transport Committee

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2024 Committee Priorities Update

Priority Not Implemented

Priority Activities Recorded

Priority Completed and Monitored

Committee Priorities	Current Activities	Status
1. Performance Improvement: <i>Pediatric Airway Management by Air Medical & Specialty Care Providers</i>	<i>The GETAC AMSCTC will perform a 2 year retrospective and real-time (quarterly) Ground Air Medical qUality Transport (GAMUT) data analysis of Air Medical & Specialty Care Pediatric RSI success without hypoxia, and first pass intubation success rate, in Texas throughout 2024, with the intent of comparing Texas providers to peer performance in other states.</i>	In Progress
2. Coordinated Clinical Care: <i>Texas Department of Public Safety – State Troopers</i>	<i>The GETAC AMSCTC will develop an educational program, designed specifically for DPS Troopers, outlining the criteria for requesting an air medical asset and how to achieve that goal.</i>	In Progress

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3. Prevention: <i>HEMS Specific Mental Health Awareness</i>	<i>In an effort to increase mental preparedness and wellness among Air Medical & Specialty Care Transport Providers in Texas, the GETAC AMSCTC will work collaboratively with an EMS focused mental health professional/organization (TBD) and the Regional Advisory Committee Chairs, to provide a HEMS focused mental health awareness program to AMSCT providers, in all EMT-F regions in the state, over the next 2 years.</i>	In Progress

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<p><u>Emergency Preparedness & Response</u></p> <p>Safe & Effective Statewide Ground to Air Communication</p> <p>Finalize/Materialize the Air Medical Strike Team (MIST) Concept & Process</p>	<p>Collaboration with EMT-F & COGs – State Interoperability Plan review</p> <p>Collaboration with FD & Law Enforcement – channel access</p> <p>Create frequency resource document reflecting current regional channels in use</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Will remain a living document, intended to have routine review *Intended as a resource document *Education & distribution via RAC Chairs - June 2024 *Education & distribution with Educational Campaign *Resource on GETAC website *Collaborate with Chief Kidd for EOC distribution <p style="text-align: right;">*presentation to GETAC Aug 2024</p> <p>Continued collaboration with EMT-F leadership, resource document to be presented and utilized within EMT-F structure</p>	<p>Complete</p> <p>Complete</p> <p>Complete</p> <p>Complete</p>

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<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Prevention</u></p> <p>Statewide Educational Campaign to Mitigate Risks for Air Medical Transport</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LZ Presentation revisions complete • LZ presentation has been sent to AMOA for approval <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Waiting for response from AMOA *Loading videos partially complete *Roll out to RAC Chairs – March 7th, 2024 <p style="text-align: center;">*Today requesting to be placed on Q2 Council agenda</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Complete</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Complete</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Complete</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>System Integration</u></p> <p>Real-Time Status Reporting, by all Air Medical Providers, in all 22 Regions of the State</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaboration with Juvare to ensure all TX air providers' CAD systems are "talking" to the nationwide system being created • Approximately 90% of air agencies are complete <p style="text-align: center;">*Anticipated completion date = prior to Q3 GETAC meeting</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">In Progress</p>

GETAC Committee/Stakeholder Action Item Request for Council June 2024

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Action Item Request and Purpose

- The AMSCT Committee is requesting to be placed on the GETAC Council agenda for the Quarter 3, Aug 23, 2024, meeting.
- The purpose of this request is to seek Council approval of the completed Interop Radio Communications presentation, as well as approval to begin education of, and distribution to, the RAC Chairs for end-user access as a resource document.

Benefit and Timeline

- Distribution of the Interop Radio Communications presentation, for use by EMS/FD/Law Enforcement end users, is intended to aid in mitigating the risks of air medical transport for responders, patients, and air medical providers.
- Timeline
 - Presentation to RAC Chairs complete on 6/13/2024
 - Request to be placed on Council Agenda for Q3 – to be completed on 8/23/2024
 - If Council approves, education of RAC Chairs at Q4 meeting
 - RAC chair distribution at their next monthly/quarterly meeting.