



You're invited to:

***EMS – State Offices of Rural Health
Learning Session***

Coordinated in partnership with
***Kansas Office of Local & Rural Health and
North Central EMS Institute***

WHEN: April 25-26th, 2007

WHERE: Kansas City, Missouri

WHO: *State EMS Director's & staff with
State Office of Rural Health Directors & staff*

WHY: *Promote understanding and partnerships for rural health and EMS
issues*

By the end of this interactive session participants will be able to:

- Understand EMS and rural health issues.
- Strategize partnerships to address rural EMS issues.
- Identify barriers and solutions for financing rural EMS
- Utilize model programs resources to implement EMS technology solutions.

See attached draft agenda.

This program has been approved by the NOSORH Mentoring Committee to provide SORH travel expense reimbursement. Please submit registration form by April 17, 2007.

Limited funding is also provided by the North Central EMS Institute to support EMS staff travel

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**SORH and EMS Learning Session
April 25-26, 2007**

Draft Agenda

Day One

Time	SORH Track	EMS Track
11:30am – 12:30 pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lunch ▪ Welcome and Introductions ▪ Concept of Learning Session Jim Detienne, NASEMSO 	
12:45 – 1:45 pm	Why EMS/Trauma is critical to rural America Nels Sanddal, CIT	The role of State Offices of Rural Health in rural America Alison Hughes
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Challenges in rural EMS (recruitment, reimbursement & resources) Gary Wingrove, Gold Cross	Challenges in rural health (recruitment, reimbursement & resources) Chris Tilden
3:00 – 3:30	BREAK	
3:30 – 4:30 pm	EMS & Info Technology Clay Mann, NEMSIS	Support of EMS through the FLEX program Gary Wingrove Lou Ann Wilroy Chris Tilden
4:45 – 5:30 pm	NASEMSO Fergus Laughridge	NOSORH Alison Hughes
6:30 – 8:30 pm	Dinner & Networking	

Day Two

Time	Topic
8:00 – 9:00 am	Breakfast The IOM “Future of Emergency Care” Nels Sanddal
9:00 – 9:30 am	Overview of NOSORH EMS Task Force and 2006-07 Priorities Chris Tilden
9:45 – 10:15 am	Overview of Rural Committee of NASEMSO Jim DeTienne
10:15 – 12:00 noon	Discussion of opportunities for collaboration Nels Sanddal, facilitator
12:00 noon	ADJOURNMENT

REGISTRATION FORM

This form may be submitted by email dpanosorh@comcast.net or fax (586)336-4629.

Please submit registration by April 17, 2007. Thank you!

Name: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip _____

Phone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Special meal requests: _____

Vegetarian

Other (please specify) _____

Other special needs we should accommodate: _____

NO REGISTRATION FEE FOR any state office of rural health staff.

Airport Location: Kansas City, Missouri

Lodging: Courtyard by Marriot Country Club Plaza (816)285-9755 4600 JC Nichols Parkway, Kansas City, Missouri 64112. Ask for National Organization of State Offices of Rural Health \$96 + taxes. **Make reservations no later than 3/25/07.**

Transportation: Shuttle Service KCI Shuttle Service \$17 one way, \$29 round trip.
No rental car rental expenses will be reimbursed by NOSORH.

Per Diem Rates: \$ 44 Meals & Incidentals

Breakfast \$8 Lunch \$12 Dinner \$21 Incidentals \$3

Only meals not provided during meeting are reimbursed.

Receipts are required for all expenses except Per Diem. See attached NOSORH Travel Reimbursement form.

Will also attend the EMS outcomes National Consensus Meeting (please register for this meeting at: <http://emsoutcomes.ncemsi.org>)

I am an EMS Director or staff and request reimbursement for travel.

Approximate requested amount: \$ _____

TRAVEL/MEETING REIMBURSEMENT EXPENSE REPORT

Meeting/Workshop: _____

Location: _____ **Date(s):** _____

Name: _____

Affiliation: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: (_____) _____

Email: _____

Itinerary: Below, please indicate departure from residence and return.

Name & address to whom reimbursement needs to be paid/sent if different from information to the left.

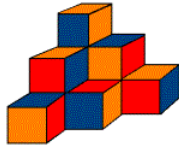
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Ground Transportation: Mileage: _____ miles @ X \$____ (Current Federal rate – www.gsa.gov) = \$____ Taxi: \$ _____ Parking: \$ _____ Other: \$ _____						\$	
Lodging: _____ night(s) @ x \$ _____ + taxes per night						\$	
Per Diem: _____ days X \$____ (See www.gsa.gov for current federal per diem rates)						\$	
Minus meals provided at event. _____ x \$____/breakfast + _____ x \$____/lunch + _____ x \$____/dinner (See table on the next page)						\$-	
TOTAL						\$	

COMPLETED FORMS AND RECEIPTS FOR ALL EXPENSES EXCEPT PER DIEM ARE REQUIRED. FAILURE TO INCLUDE ORIGINAL RECEIPTS WILL DELAY YOUR REIMBURSEMENT.

I certify that this statement is accurate as to actual and necessary business expenses incurred. I am not being reimbursed by any other source for the above expenses.

_____ TRAVELER'S SIGNATURE _____ Social Security/Tax ID Number _____ DATE _____

Please mail this form to: Teryl Eisinger, Program Director 44648 Mound Rd. #114 Sterling Heights, MI 48314



**North Central
EMS Institute**



2007 EMS Outcomes National Consensus Meeting April 26-27, 2007

Draft Agenda

Day One – Thursday, April 26, 2007

Time	Topic
1:00pm – 1:15 pm	Welcome and Introductions – NCEMSI
1:15 – 1:45 pm	Review of the 2005 Meeting - NCEMSI
1:45 – 2:15 pm	National Activities Since 2005 – NHTSA
2:30 – 2:45	BREAK
2:45 – 3:30 pm	Results of the 2006 Pilot Project - NCEMSI
3:30 – 4:30 pm	Small Group Session: Are Modifications to the Measures Necessary?
4:30 – 5:00 pm	Small Group Reports

Day Two – Friday, April 27, 2007

Time	Topic
8:00 – 8:30 am	Review Consensus Measures From Day 1
8:30 – 12:00 pm	Discussion/development of “System Outcome Measures”
12:00 noon	ADJOURNMENT

REGISTRATION

Please register on line at <http://emsoutcomes.ncemsi.org>. Registration is limited to invited organizations only. Registration (including Thursday lunch and Friday breakfast) is FREE, but travel and lodging are not reimbursed.