

20251009- Community-Paramedicine-Minutes

Thursday, October 9, 2025

09:30 AM



Meeting Subject: CP Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: 10/9/2025 at 9:30 am

Location: Zoom

<https://mainestate.zoom.us/j/86737150819?pwd=055VbywCMWd5zANoYXXdYC77cjH2fZ.1>

“The mission of Maine EMS is to promote and provide for a comprehensive and effective Emergency Medical Services system to ensure optimum patient care with standards for all clinicians. All members of this committee should strive to promote the core values of excellence, support, collaboration, and integrity. In serving on this committee, we commit to serve the respective clinicians, communities, and residents of the jurisdictions that we represent.”

- 1) Call To Order
 - a) Dr. Lowry called the meeting to order at 9:35am
- 2) Mission Statement
 - a) Dr. Lowry read the mission statement.
- 3) Attendance
- 4) Modifications to the agenda.
- 5) Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - a) September minutes - November
- 6) Office update – Soliana
 - a) Conditional License
 - i) Applications will be going live soon with the board waiver this should expand eligibility for providers that started after the rule was in place.
 - b) HIN
 - i) The board approved the office updating the HIN agreement to include the Community Health Module. This will enable ordering physicians to view patient records through HIN.

- c) Chapter 19 Waiver
 - i) The board approved a waiver at the most recent board meeting. This removes the July 1 date for conditional licenses.
- 7) Old Business
 - a) October 8, 2025 – Community Paramedicine Maine: Innovation Sessions
 - i) Committee briefly discussed feedback on the conference and potential for hosting another event
 - i. The committee is in support of spear heading one event a year and supporting an additional event with having a CP track at other points in the year.
 - ii) Committee discussed potentially supporting Sean Hall with Downeast versus doing our own conference
 - i. Dennis will reach out to see if committee could support with a CP track
 - b) Education – standing item
 - c) Open Positions
 - i) Committee discussed the two open positions and looking at having interviews in November
 - ii) If no one applies for the Medical Director position the committee may re-assess positions at the November meeting
 - d) Board Directive
 - i) MIH/Service Area- Standing Item
- 8) New Business
- 9) Action Items for Next Meeting
- 10) Next Meeting
 - a) November 13, 2025 at 9:30
 - b) Motion to adjourn at

Attendance

Member	Position	Present Y/N
Bruce Lowry, MD	Medical Direction and Practices Board Member	Y
Vacant	Community Paramedicine Program Medical Director	N/A
Bridget Rauscher	Municipal EMS Community Paramedicine Program	N
Joshua Pobrislo	Non-Municipal Community Paramedicine Program	N
Dennis Russell	EMS Training Center	Y

Cory Morse	Hospital-Based EMS Community Paramedicine Program	N
Rebecca Stearns	College / University	Y
Charlie Mock	At-large Community Paramedicine Clinician	N
Walter Reed	At-large Community Paramedicine Clinician	Y
Vacant	At-large	N/A
Daniel Svenson	At-large	Y
Nicole Burke	Home Health	Y
Shauna McElrath, DO	Hospice/ Palliative Care	N
Jonnathan Busko, MD	Hospital	Y