



Oakland and Macomb MCA Stroke Systems of Care 2022 Workgroup Meeting MINUTES - August 10, 2022, 10A-11A via zoom



Purpose: The intent of this workgroup is to support Oakland and Macomb County stroke systems of care through meetings organized and moderated by Oakland and Macomb MCA's. Visit [OCMCA.org/stroke](https://ocmca.org/stroke) for more details

Previous meeting Minutes

- [Click here to review the minutes from the June 15, 2022 meeting.](#)
- Go to [OCMCA.org/stroke](https://ocmca.org/stroke) to access the minutes for all previous Stroke Systems of Care Workgroup meetings.

Meeting Agenda

1. Introduction

a. Meeting attendees

- Geoff Lassers geoff@ocmca.org
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- John Theut - OCMCA
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- Evan Pile ASJH EMS Coordinator
- Damon Gorelick from The Detroit East Medical Control Authority
- Justin Allen - Michigan Stroke Program (MDHHS) - allenj29@michigan.gov
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2. 2023 Oakland and Macomb MCA Stroke Systems of Care Conference

At our last meeting, it was decided to facilitate live training and education to support our stroke systems of care. As a result, OC and MC MCAs are teaming up to host a one-day conference.

- Date & time:** January 6, 2023, from 9AM-4PM [Click here to view/download the DRAFT SAVE the DATE](#)
- Location:** TBD
 - **Livingston County EMS** is available to host on January 6, 2023, for up to 150 total occupants at no cost.
 - Please send suggestions for other venues to Geoff@ocmca.org
- Goals and objectives**
 - **Fortify our stroke systems of care through continued collaboration:** Bring life support agencies (LSAs) and their EMS providers up to speed on the standard of care for prehospital stroke patients
 - **Increase use of FAST-ED by EMS:** Increase the number of LSAs effectively using FAST-ED.
 - **Increase collaboration:** Connect stroke centers with their local LSAs on behalf of improving stroke patient outcomes.
- Comments, feedback, and suggestions from the meeting participants**
 - Provide standardized education process and operational info that will allow LSAs to implement FAST-ED efficiently.
 - Create and distribute bite sized videos and info about stroke before and after the conference.
 - Create simple resources to help ED physicians and staff understand FAST-ED and the mission of our stroke system of care.
 - Identify and expand our abilities and resources to provide stroke patient outcomes and feedback directly to EMS.
 - Case studies to express objective strengths weaknesses, opportunities, and threats
 - Posters showing patient outcomes due to EMS
 - Invite key State stakeholders to plan and execute the event including, Aaron Brown, Emily Bergquist, Emily Baker, and Eileen Worden.

Contact Geoff@ocmca.org any questions.



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3. Stroke and STEMI Systems of Care Administrative Rules discussion

Stakeholders from the Stroke and STEMI Systems of Care are invited to convene and discuss the most recent drafted Administrative Rules. This is an important step as we move towards finalization and submission. Light Refreshments will be provided. [Click here to view/download the event SAVE the DATE](#)

- a. **When:** Thursday September 22, 2022, 9am-2pm (Additional materials and formal RSVP to follow)
- b. **Where:** LCC West Campus 5708 Cornerstone Dr, Lansing, MI 48917 Cadillac Room M119.
- c. **Contact Aaron Brown** to register or to address questions and details, Systems of Care Coordinator (DHHS-Contractor) (517) 897-1360. BrownA68@michigan.gov
- d. **Virtual? Live? Both?**
Currently, this is scheduled as a live event that will be recorded and made available to all that could not attend. Right now, they do not have approval to offer virtual attendance to the meeting. However, **they're working on it.**

4. ADJOURNMENT

[Next meeting October 19, 2022](#)

Contact Geoff@ocmca.org any questions.

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January 6, 2023
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM

*Presented in
collaboration with*



*Event Location TBD**

*This event will be hosted live at a physical location and will NOT be offered as a virtual interactive conference. However, we will livestream the conference lectures to open-source platforms for anyone that would like to watch and listen to the content without obtaining accreditation or official training of any type. **

Contact Us

Geoff@ocmca.org

Oakland and Macomb MCA Stroke Systems of Care Conference



Intent and purpose: The intent and purpose of this one-day conference is to fortify our stroke systems of care by bringing life support agencies (LSAs) and their EMS providers up to speed on the standard of care for prehospital stroke patients, as well as increasing the number of LSAs utilizing the FAST-ED stroke severity scale on potential stroke patients.

Intended audience: This event is intended for representatives that participate in the stroke patient healthcare continuum, including:

- **LSA representatives:** Chiefs/CEOs, LSA physician medical directors, EMS and Training Coordinators, and instructors.
- **Hospital representatives:** ED physicians, ED Coordinators, as well as stroke team and interventional radiology team members.
- **MCA representatives:** EMS Medical Directors and Deputy Directors, MCA PSRO members, as well as MCA Executive Directors and any applicable staff
- **BETP representatives:** Select State EMS office representatives and Systems of Care Coordinators.

Conference Topics: Below is a draft list of conference topics and the corresponding intended audiences.

- Overview of the OCMCA and MCMCA Stroke Systems of Care Special Study.
- FAST-ED overview and train-the-trainer program.
- Highly effective stroke alerts and the use of e-Bridge.
- Stroke patient documentation criteria.
- EMS stroke patient case studies to convey lessons learned.
- How to engage your LSA, hospital, or MCA about stroke.
- **Send us your feedback and/or suggest a conference topic(s) that will provide synergy or value to our stroke systems of care to Geoff@ocmca.org.**

**EMS and I/C credits
will be awarded to participants**



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We would like to invite the Stakeholders from the Stroke and STEMI Systems of Care to convene and discuss the drafted Administrative Rules. This is an important step as we move towards finalization and submission.

Light Refreshments will be provided.

Recording of the meeting will be available upon request.

Thursday September 22, 2022, 9am-2pm

LCC West Campus

5708 Cornerstone Dr, Lansing, MI 48917

Cadillac Room M119



Good afternoon,

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Additional materials and formal RSVP to follow.

Best regards,

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