

Alberta Medical First Response

Program Update

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Common Acronyms

MFR: Medical First Response
AHS: Alberta Health Services - responsible for delivery of health
AH: Alberta Health - responsible for health policy
AFCA: Alberta Fire Chiefs Association
AUMA: Alberta Urban Municipalities Association
AAMDC: Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties
ACP: Alberta College of Paramedics

March 2015

(For the month of February 2015)

Planned Activities for Reporting Period

- Present program overview at EMS TeleHealth Rounds Feb 2nd
- Continue enrolment and implementation with pilot sites
- Continue information sessions with MFR agencies virtually and in-person
- Provide update to remaining EMS operations leadership (Calgary & South Zones)
- Publish updated general FAQ document to web
- Share updated & approved MFR MCP's at SFA/FMR level
- Complete revision and approval of MFR MCP's at the EMT level
- Publish key messages from scope of practice discussion findings
- Review & update public MFR portal content
- Schedule update meeting for MFR Zone Leads
- Publish MFR key messages and program overview document on ahsems.com for frontline EMS awareness
- Test PCR submission process and Quality Assurance workflow on MFR portal

Accomplished Activities for Reporting Period

- Delivered MFR overview presentation at Feb 2nd EMS Rounds Telehealth session
- Continued test enrolments with 29 agencies
- Held information sessions with 28 agencies virtually and in-person across all zones
- Provided updates for EMS operations leadership in Central and Calgary Zones
- MFR MCP's at SFA/FMR/EMR level ready for Medical Director committee approval
- Scheduled MFR Zone Leads meeting for Mar 6th
- Started detailed testing of PCR submission process and QA workflow on MFR portal
- Provided status update to AAMDC

Variations from Planned Activities

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Planned Activities for Next Reporting Period

- Publish updated general FAQ document to web
- Share updated & approved MFR MCP's at SFA/FMR level
- Complete revision and approval of MFR MCP's at the EMT level
- Publish key messages from scope of practice discussion findings
- Review & update public MFR portal content
- Publish MFR key messages and program overview document on ahsems.com for frontline EMS awareness
- Provide update to remaining EMS operations leadership (South Zone)
- Provide update at AFCA Board meeting
- Wrap up enrolment testing of MFR portal with target agencies
- Hold MFR Zone Leads meeting Mar 6th
- Schedule MFR Medical Directors Committee meeting (virtual)
- Schedule MFR Advisory Committee meeting (virtual)
- Prepare rollout communication packages for stakeholder groups
- Form MFR Training Committee and draft Terms of Reference
- Enable patient feedback mechanism on MFR portal
- Continue planning and preparation for April 1st target program rollout