

EMSC Program State Reports 2019

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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1997 - Current

Sensory Accommodation
Pilot Project:
Toolbox & Training



Protecting Our Children:
Recognizing Child Abuse
Training



Pediatric Specific Patient
Care Protocols



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Published in:

Journal of Emergency Medicine Forecast: Connecting School Aged Children with EMS Personnel in an EMS Week/EMSC Day Project

Prehospital Pediatric Care: Ready for Children: Assessing Pediatric Care Coordination and Psychomotor Skills Evaluation in the Prehospital Setting

- Produced and presented (3 times) the Increasing Comfort with Sensory Processing Difficulties in Pre-Hospital Setting



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State Partnership
2004 - Current

State Partnership
Regionalization of Care
(SPROC)
2012-Current

Pediatric Readiness
Quality Collaborative
(PRQC)
2017 - Current

EMSC Regulations Toolkit
(assist agencies in
implementation of an
EMSC program)



Annual Education Forum



School First Aid
Guidelines



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- EMSC Regulations, effective July 1, 2019 (working on development of an implementation toolkit)
- Next Annual EMSC Educational Forum is November 8, 2019
- California has a large and very engaged EMSC Technical Advisory Committee



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State Partnership
2003 - Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
2016-2017

Colorado Pediatric
Preparedness for the
Emergency Room
(COPPER)



Simulation-based
Outreach and Education



Colorado Pediatric
Emergency Care
Coordinator Program
(COPECC)
(in development)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Launched a steering committee for our pediatric readiness recognition program, known as COPPER, to help define the categories, criteria, incentives, and review process.
- Dispatched our mobile simulation lab to several regions across the state. As a result, were able to provide high-quality, hands-on pediatric training to a large number of EMS providers.
- Recruited a new FAN representative, Dr. Angelique Ferayorni, who not only has a background in pediatric emergency medicine but is also a board certified patient advocate. We are excited about the passion and expertise she will bring to our program.



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Skills Course for
Delaware EMS Providers



Program Focus Area:
Hospital Recognition
Program



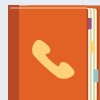
Program Focus Area:
SimLab Training



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- 100% hospital recognition program up-to level IV (free standing ERs) x 7 years with 2 reverts
- Successful and productive Quarterly Advisory and Quality meetings with active chairs and metrics being measured and improved
- We have education within our meetings (case studies), we have simulation started last year in our site visits for educational purposes, and we have two top of the line all day sim lab training for ALS and BLS at our level one pediatric hospital



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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
2004 - Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
2016-2017

Program Focus Area:
Regional Pediatric
Readiness

(assessing current status)



Program Focus Area:
Transfer Agreements and
Guidelines Review/Renew

(strengthening network &
updating language)



Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Disaster
Preparedness

(developing a pediatric surge
plan)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- We hired a new Program Manager (me) this year to grow the program and increase awareness
- We are in the process of developing a brand new EMSC-DC website on our own server which would allow us to post more content on a consistent basis.
- We received a proclamation from the mayor declaring May 22nd EMS for Children Day in Washington, DC



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Program Focus Area:
Collaboration with EMS
and Trauma Councils



Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Equipment



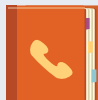
Program Focus Area:
Training & Continuing
Education



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Achieved 100% response for the recent performance measure survey conducted in 2018
- The EMSC Advisory Committee was established and held the first meeting in early 2019
- Received input from EMSC partners for best use of funds



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Children's Hospital
(in collaboration with
Illinois Dept of Public Health,
Division of EMS)

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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1997 - Current

Pediatric Readiness Quality
Collaborative (PRQC)
2018-Current

Pediatric Seizures
Educational Module,
4th Edition



Caring for Children During
Disasters:
Decontamination
Educational Module



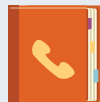
Pediatric Disaster
Preparedness Guidelines
for Hospitals,
3rd Edition



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Over 100 hospitals participate in the Illinois EMSC pediatric facility recognition program; responsible for designating a Pediatric Quality Coordinator who conducts pediatric quality initiatives within their ED.
- Developed a Functional and Access Needs (FAN) annex for our State Medical Disaster Plan, which identifies the needs of vulnerable populations in a disaster (including children, pregnant women, homeless, non-English speaking, etc) and outlines specific strategies for addressing those needs.
- Continues to sponsor a 3-day School Nurse Emergency Care (SNEC) course, which provides hundreds of school nurses each year with education on appropriate assessment, triaging and treatment of the acutely ill or injured student; comprised of lectures, skill stations and interactive discussion, and is well received by school nurses throughout the state.



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State Partnership
1999 - Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
2016-2017

PRQC

(3 affiliate hospitals with Riley Children's Hospital as Trainer)



School Nurse Emergency Course

(completions:
589 nurses online;
194 nurses in person)



Pediatric Surge Annex

(in development &
in collaboration with Dept. of
Health Division of Preparedness)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- "Pilot" Pediatric Facility Recognition Application Launch November 2018
- Identifying Prehospital based PECC-included in proposed state statute, currently under review with fiscal agent
- 97% of EMS agencies are reporting to NEMSIS version 3.4



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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State
Partnership
1997 - Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
(FRC)
2016-2017

Pediatric Readiness
Quality Collaborative
(PRQC)
2017-Current

CT Algorithm for
Mild Head Injury
(resource for emergency
departments)



Weight Conversion
Cards
(resource for ambulances and
emergency departments)



Pediatric Transfer
Guidebook
(resource for emergency
departments)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Developed CT Card resource for EDs
- Developed Transfer Guideline Resource Book
- Developed weight conversion cards. Each ambulance in KS has a card available and each ED has a book of tear-off sheets which are given to parents after their child is treated. These tear-off sheets assist parents in the dosage of medications.



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SOCIAL MEDIA

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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1996 - Current

Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Disaster
Preparedness



Program Focus Area:
Community Awareness &
Prevention Initiatives



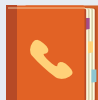
Program Focus Area:
Healthcare Provider
Education & Skill Building



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Louisiana's EMSC Program Manager participates on the Healthcare Committees of the Governor's Taskforce for Human Trafficking Prevention
- EMSC sponsored an Active Shooter in Childcare Centers training. Over 120 childcare providers registered across Louisiana!
- We had 100% response rate in the 2018 hospital survey, setting the bar high for future surveys!



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SOCIAL MEDIA

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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
2006 - Current

Program Focus Area:

Coordinate pediatric hospital
initiatives to improve care
delivery & research



Program Focus Area:

Increase Pediatric Hospital
Usage as an EMS & ED
Resource



Program Focus Area:

Establish EMSC as Integral in
MA Pediatric Care



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- The implementation of 5 EMS simulation and education days in collaboration with each of the pediatric hospitals
- Recruitment of representation for each of pediatric hospitals on the EMSC advisory board
- EMSC participation in ASPR RDHR grant and disaster preparedness



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 MT EMSC Homepage

 Montana PECCs

EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1997 - Current

State Partnership
Regionalization of Care
(SPROC)
2012-Current

Pediatric Emergency
Care Coordinator
Learning Collaborative
(PECCLC)
2016-2017

Pediatric Facility
Recognition Criteria
(New and Renewal)



Pediatric EMS Prehospital
Recognition Program



Pediatric Scenario
Guidebook with
Checklists



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Development and initiation of the MT Prehospital Pediatric Recognition Program
- Development of the Renewal Pediatric Facility Recognition Program
- Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator Learning Collaborative (PECCLC) Grant and the increase of 82 PECCs within MT EMS Agencies



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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1997 - Current

Program Focus:
Child Passenger Safety in
Rural EMS Areas



ImPACTS
(community ED outreach and
training to improve statewide
pediatric emergency care)



Program Focus:
PECCs in EDs



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- CPS for rural EMS equipment giveaway to ensure kids across the state are transported as safely as possible. Equipment distribution and training happening at NH EMSC's 1st annual North Country Injury Prevention Event in August '19
- Our ImPACTS-Dartmouth family continues to grow: our new bundle of SimBaby joy arrived in late March. The program continues to do outreach simulation training in New Hampshire and Vermont
- Went from having 0% of its Emergency Departments with an assigned PECC to 70%



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State Partnership
1999 - Current

State Partnership
Regionalization of Care
(SPROC)
2012-Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
(FRC)
2016 -2017

Safe Transport of Children
(documents & PPT)



EMSC Patient & Family-Centered Care Module



Child Ready Web Talks



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Participating in the PECCLC was a great opportunity to hone in on our prehospital providers and develop a grassroots process for NM Pediatric Champions and EMS recognition levels
- NM EMSC Child Ready programs finally completed a tiered recognition system for both hospital and EMS systems that is online and adaptable to the specific needs of the providers and communities engaging in pediatric preparedness
- We have engaged a core group of EMS providers from a variety of services and levels from across NM to become our Pediatric "Super" Champions who are spearheading the further development of PECCs in New Mexico and disseminating resources to their communities



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State
Partnership
1997 - Current

Facility
Recognition
Collaborative
(FRC)
2016-2017

Pediatric
Readiness Quality
Collaborative
(PRQC)
2017-Current

Pediatric Emergency
Care Coordinator
Learning Collaborative
(PECCLC)
2018-2019

New York PECC
and
Pediatric Prepared
Program



Pediatric Assessment
Card



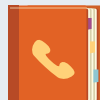
White Paper on Evidence
and Improvement
Opportunities in New York



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Development of EMS Agency Pediatric Prepared and Standards of Excellence Recognition Program
- NY has participated in all the EICC QI Collaboratives



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State Partnership
2006 - Current

Program Focus Area:
Safe Sleep



Program Focus Area:
PECARN
Pediatric Head
Injury/Trauma Algorithm



Program Focus Area:
Distance Learning &
Training Opportunities



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Provided pediatric CT scan education to providers and hospitals in North Dakota. Education was done two different times via video conference.
- In April of 2018, ND EMSC presented on car seat safety at the statewide EMS conference. This education reached approximately 50-60 people.
- Provided support and assistance to the pediatric symposium that our HECC region held in Sioux City, IA. Approximately 50 EMT's, RN's, and EMR's attended.



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Pediatric Readiness Quality
Collaborative (PRQC)
2018-Current

Pediatric Assessment

(laminated 1-page resource
for ambulances)



Program Focus Area: Establish EMSC Permanence

(inclusion of EMSC priorities in
OR Administrative Rules)



Communication Cards

(durable for both
prehospital & hospital)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- We have 18 Oregon and 2 Southwest Washington hospitals participating in a training and/or affiliate role for the Pediatric Readiness Quality Collaborative project.
- We have partnered with the Oregon Office of Rural Health to expand the provision of Simulation Resource Team trainings to rural and frontier critical access hospitals. These trainings support hospitals in the development of sustainable hospital-based simulation teams.



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State Partnership (SP)
1997 - Current

SP Regionalization
of Care (SPROC)
1998 - Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
(FRC)
2016-2017

Pediatric Emergency Care
Coordinator Learning
Collaborative (PECCLC)
2018-2019

PECC Website
and
Resources



Pediatric Voluntary
Recognition Program



Safe Transport of Children
Algorithm



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Addition of PECC requirement to the Pediatric Voluntary Recognition Program
- Expanded available education for Child Passenger Safety Technician Courses for EMS



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Program Focus Area:
PALS & PEPP Courses



Program Focus Area:
PECC Pilot Project



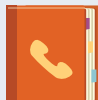
Program Focus Area:
Injury Prevention
Campaigns



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- The PR EMSC program has identified potential PECC volunteers. A PECC subcommittee has been formed with a pilot project in Arecibo
- Continuing education and training for EMS providers through Simulation workshops



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Pediatric Emergency Care
Coordinator Learning
Collaborative
2018-2019

Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Simulation



PECC Toolkit



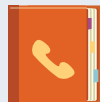
Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Education
Series



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Participated in the PECC Learning Collaborative; now have 51 out of 55 transporting agencies with a PECC and 62 out of our 88 agencies (transporting and non-transporting) with a PECC
- 25 PECCs completed 50 hours of pediatric training over 3 months
- The state of Rhode Island is now a Targeted Issues grantee and a PECARN node site grantee



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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1997 - Current

Facility Recognition
Collaborative
2016-2017

Pediatric Ready
Hospital
Recognition



Program Focus Area:
Pediatric Disaster
Preparedness &
Pediatric Trauma and
Transport



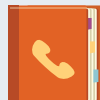
State Pediatric Trauma
and Injury Prevention
Symposium



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Implemented a Pediatric Trauma Transport Protocol
- Establishing a working group for EMS Pediatric Ready



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Communication Aids

(Apgar, abuse and reporting, suicide/behavioral health, normal vitals, GCS, burns)



Robust Safety & Injury Prevention Programs



Pediatric Emergency Care Champions

(47 agencies currently have designated a PECC)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Colors and Kids: length based tape with scenarios and skills training in ED's; distributed over \$350,000 in equipment and provided training to 4,500+ healthcare providers
- Sustainability: Started a 501(c)(3) Alliance Benefiting Children of SD (abc-SD)
- Continue collaborative partnership efforts with DOH (State Trauma, Office of EMS, Regional Healthcare Coalitions), Sanford Poison, SD ENA, SD School Nurses Association, HECC, EMS agencies, critical access hospitals, and rural/frontier urgent care clinics.



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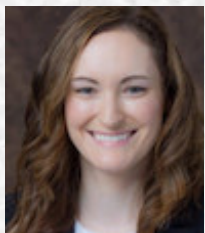
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Pediatric Readiness
Quality Collaborative
(PRQC)
2017-Current

State EMS Destination
Guidelines
(Annotated Rules Document)



High Fidelity Simulators
for CRPC Coordinators



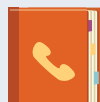
Medication Dosing Tool
for Pediatrics



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Star of Life Award Ceremony: Annual recognition ceremony of a positive outcome EMS run that unites the EMS personnel with the patient they treated
- Conference on Pediatric Updates:
Annual Update in Acute & Emergency Care Pediatrics Conference



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Pediatric Readiness
Quality Collaborative
(PRQC)
2017-Current

Program Focus Area:
Hospital Pediatric
Readiness



Program Focus Area:
Prehospital Pediatric
Readiness



Program Focus Area:
Establish
Permanence of EMSC



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- We were able to fully re-staff the program and revive all programmatic activities.
- We were able to reignite interest in our EMS Recognition Program and recognized 2 major EMS agencies through the program. Additional applications from 3 agencies are currently underway.
- We kicked off our statewide PECC campaign by making contact our current PECCs on file and by presenting at 3 meetings with large attendances.



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1997 - Current

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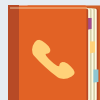
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PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Conducted annual EMSC County Coordinator workshop
- Conducted monthly PETOS On line pediatric education
- Development of Utah Pediatric Trauma Network



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State Partnership
1999 - Current

Safe Transport of Children



DARE to Prepare
(emergency preparedness video for those dependent upon powered medical equipment facing loss of electricity)



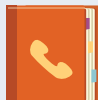
Pediatric Disaster Preparedness



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Solidified a permanent pediatric track at the annual Virginia EMS Symposium (6 days of continuing education with over 1,800 EMS providers and world-class instructors)
- Integrated EMSC input into newly reorganized state trauma system committees; designated an additional Level I Pediatric Trauma Center (we now have 3)
- Continue to purchase and distribute child restraint systems to EMS agencies needing help in pursuing more appropriate methods of restraint for children being transported



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1999 - Current

Program Focus:
Pediatric Disaster
Preparedness



Program Focus:
School Emergency
Preparedness



Program Focus:
Hospital Pediatric
Readiness



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Visits to Schools throughout the territory
- Deployment of our Social Media Accounts
- Creation of our EMSC VI Logo



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Training Development
for SimMom



Pediatric Ambulance
Safe Transport



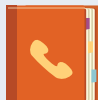
Pediatric EMS
CQI Program



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- 100% of emergency departments in Vermont have a designated Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator
- Holding a PECC Orientation at the 2019 Vermont EMS Conference
- New Advisory Committee Members: Second FAN Representative and Hospital Association Representative



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EMSC Projects & Collaborative Participation

State Partnership
1997 - Current

Treating Kids vs Adults
(YouTube video)



Program Focus Area:
Reducing Instances of
Pediatric Suicide



Pediatric Training
Modules
(collaboration with
Harborview Medical Center)



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Further expanded pediatric technical advisory committee membership
- Deep dive into 2013 Pediatric Readiness data and presented to Washington State EMS and Trauma steering committee
- Statewide data analysis and resolution towards reducing pediatric suicide



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State Partnership
1997 - Current

Pediatric Readiness
Quality Collaborative
(PRQC)
2017 - Current

Prehospital Emergency
Care Coordinator Learning
Collaborative (PECCLC)
2018 - 2019

Pediatric Comfort Kits



Emergency Reference Cards



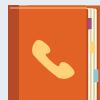
Pediatric Weight Conversion Cards



PROGRAM HOORAYS

2018-2019

- Participated in the PECC Learning Collaborative and recruited 37 new PECCs.
- Established a PRQC team of trainers, 11 community emergency departments.
- Recruited a 2nd Family Representative who is very engaged and excited to advocate for children with special health care needs.



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