INITIAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

Committee Minutes	Initial Education Committee				
Date	Tuesday, June 20, 2023				
Time	1:00 pm CST				
Location	Iris Room 665 Mainstream Drive Nashville, Tennessee				
Participants	Members Present: Chairman David Blevins; Aaron Carl; Brian Williams; Curt Auckerman; Danny Sheckles; DJ				
	Oliver; Erik Jesse; Greg Johnson; Jason Tunstall; Jonathan Wood; Kenneth Oxford; Mike Terrill; (26 members;				
	Quorum is 14)				
	Central Office: Brandon Ward, State EMS Director; Ray Cook, Assistant State EMS Director; Russell Gupton				
	Members Absent: Baker McCool; Chris Massengale; Chris McLain; David Bryant, DeVette; Jeff Young; John				
	Reeves; Lisa Dixson; Merry Mattix; Randy White; Lee Anne Boeringer; Brian Tompkins				

Overall Lead	Торіс	Summary/Decisions	Assignments / Next Steps	Responsible Person	Time Frame
	Roll Call/Introduction	Meeting was called to order at 1:02 pm CST. Roll Call (results are listed above): a quorum was deemed present.	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Minute Approval	Motion by Jonathan Wood and second by Erik Jesse to accept March 21, 2023, minutes.	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Sub-Committee Reports	 Continuing Education Committee Report: Jon Wood delivered the report. Lee Blair gave a CECA report. April 2024 Annual Pediatric Update Conference at the Farm Bureau Expo Center TEMSEA Conference will be July 19th, 20th, & 21st at Embassy Suites in Murfreesboro – 19th Leadership, 20th I/C & I/A, 21st – Pediatrics and Critical Care Update on the state website; any suggestions for improvement should go to Chip Cook 			

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	• Gave an update on CE Broker and
	asked that all instructors please
	encourage the use of CE Broker
	Discussed free mental health training
	courses that are being offered.
	• Discussed the sunset of the Continuing
	Education Committee on 6/30/23.
	• Motion was made to send the old EMS
	Board and New EMS Board a letter
	thanking them for the opportunity to
	serve on the committee and asking for
	the Continuing Education Committee
	to be reinstated.
	Clinical Issues:
	No Report
	EMT to Paramedic Report:
	No Report
	Updated information in Old Business
	EMS Education Evaluation:
	• No Report
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	No Report
	Director's Report:
	Last board meeting for the current
	State EMS Board will be on June 21,
	2023.
	The Initial Education Committee will
	be sunset with the current board on
	6/30/23.
	/National Scope of Practice:
	No Report
	National Registry:
	• No Report
	New Schools/Programs:

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No new applications	
Old Business	
Chairman Blevins gave an update on	
five items that were sent to the Board	
during the March Meeting. Two of the	
five were discussed and passed by the	
State Board. Those two are Education	
modules developed with Clinical	
Issues and Vanderbilt's Critical Care	
Program. The three items that will be	
presented on 6/21/23 will be EMT to	
Paramedic, Letters of Good Moral	
Character, and Out-of-State Clinical	
Practice.	
• There was extensive discussion	
concerning live patient contacts for the	
AEMT Scope of Practice update and	
the reporting of patient contacts.	
New Business	
second by Jason Tunstall to send a	
letter to the current State EMS Board	
and the New EMS Board thanking	
them for the opportunity to serve on	
the Initial Education Committee and	
request the committee to be reinstated.	
Adjournment The meeting was completed @ 1:50 pm CST,	
Motion by Jonathan Wood and a second by	
Eric Jesse to adjourn.	