



Pediatric Emergency Medical Services Workshops

WHAT: Regional workshops to present the new concept of the Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator, or PECC, designed to be a position included in every EMS agency in the country. The PECC would be the go-to person for all things pediatric at a particular EMS agency, including such tasks as protocol development, quality improvement, continuing education and skill verification, injury prevention, and liaison with the PECC at receiving hospital emergency departments. In addition, the workshops will include a breakout session on pediatric skill assessment.

WHY: The Federal EMS for Children Program introduced new performance measures for all recipients of the EMS for Children Partnership Grant in 2017. This workshop is an effort to introduce the new pre-hospital performance measures to the Ohio EMS community.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: All those in a leadership role in EMS in their agencies are encouraged to attend.

COST: No cost to attend

WHERE/WHEN: (current dates & locations):

Columbus: Ohio EMS Conference, Greater Columbus Convention Center, Monday, May 21 (register at <http://ohiohealthems.com/classes/conferences/ohio-ems-conference>)

Dayton, Toledo & Cleveland: workshop details are still being determined.

CONTINUING EDUCATION: Continuing education hours will be provided.

SPONSORED BY: Ohio Emergency Medical Services, the State Board of Emergency Medical, Fire, & Transportation Services (EMFTS), and the EMFTS EMS for Children Committee.

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