

Program Director, KishHealth System

Others Present:

Deb Ernest / Program Coordinator, Kishwaukee College

Steve Ernest / EMS Faculty, Kishwaukee College

Joe Herrmann / Paramedic Sim Lab Technician, Kishwaukee College

Joanne Kantner / Executive Dean of Learning Services, Kishwaukee College

LaCretia Konan / Director of Business and Training Partnerships, Kishwaukee College

Brianna Hooker / Administrative Assistant to Instruction, Kishwaukee College, Recorder

Members Absent:

Christian Conlon / Paramedic Graduate Representative, Kishwaukee College

Trey Conley / Current Student Representative, Kishwaukee College

Cindy Graves / Director of Personal Health Services, DeKalb County Health Department

Kevin Greene / Paramedic Graduate Representative, Kishwaukee College

Vickie Guthrie / Director of ICU and Emergency Department, KishHealth System

Mark Hedrick / EMS Coordinator, Cortland Fire Department

Todd Turner / Assistant Fire Chief/EMS Training, Sycamore Fire Department

Sandy Starkey / Paramedic, Ridge Ambulance

Approval of Minutes

The minutes from the Fall 2016 meeting were reviewed.

Joe Herrmann makes motion to approve minutes as written. Dr. Conrad seconds the motion.

Minutes are unanimously approved.

Graduate Surveys and Employer Surveys³

skills test and all of them passed. Tony requests that in the future, Deb send him the skills sheet report to avoid the issue of students denying having learned certain skills.

ACTION ITEM: Deb will send Tony skills test report in future.

Preceptor Update ³ Deb Ernest

Deb reports having another group that needs to be done.

Clinical and Field Sites Report

Students have been to Mendota and Rochelle. Deb reports things are going well there.

Deb reports complaints from area chiefs who no longer want to send students to us because of the distance to Kishwaukee College. Many are opting to go to Sweds which is associated with Highland college due to the

ACTION ITEM: Tony will investigate this matter further.

Dr. Conrad asks if students are permitted to eat in class now as that was a common complaint that the last meeting.

Deb confirms that students ARE allowed to eat in class.

Deb reports a struggle competing with the new facility in Burlington as now part of our system is closer to other