

1st Annual Hartford HealthCare EMS Symposium Planned Schedule of Events

8:00am - 9:00am: Registration

Virtual attendees will be signed into all case studies and in person attendees will be assigned into two groups for appropriate social distancing.

Case Studies

9:00am - 9:10am: Welcome Address

Gary Havican, HHC Senior Vice President Charles Johndro, DO, HHC EMS Medical Director Kevin Ferrarotti, HHC EMS Director

9:10am - 9:55am: ACLS vs ATLS - Management of widespread tachycardia in a trauma patient

David Russo, NRP, FP-C, CCEMT-P – Life Star Sean Trainor, RN, BSN, CCRN, CFRN, NRP – Life Star

10:00am - 10:45am: STEMI vs N-STEMI

Andre Ghantous, MD – Chief of Cardiology – Hartford HealthCare Central Region

11:00am – 11:45am: Neurologic field assessment and the latest innovative care for stroke

Mark Alberts, MD – Co-Physician-In-Chief – Hartford HealthCare Ayer Neuroscience Institute

12:00pm – 12:30pm: Substance Abuse – The effect on provider wellness and patient care

Hartford HealthCare Behavioral Health Network – Rushford Clinical Directors

12:30pm – 1:30pm: Lunch break

In-person groups switch between case study and simulation

1:30pm - 2:00pm: Ultrasound in the pre-hospital environment

Judith Oriental – Pierre, MD – Hartford Hospital Emergency Medicine

2:15pm – 3:00pm: Cardiogenic Shock – Advanced treatment modalities starting with EMS

Hartford HealthCare Heart and Vascular Institute Heart Failure Team

3:15pm - 4:00pm: Critical thinking skills in effective trauma management

Sharon Weintraub, MD – Chief of Trauma and Critical Care – The Hospital of Central Connecticut

4:15pm – 5:00pm: Pre-hospital provider wellness and resiliency

Patricia Rehmer – Senior Vice President – Hartford HealthCare Behavioral Health Network



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Hands – On Simulation & small group lectures

Groups will be split between morning and afternoon sessions

Three, 40 - minute sessions

- "Problem solving the complicated airway"
 LIFE STAR clinical providers
- "Pediatric airway management and concerns"
 Charlotte Hungerford Hospital Emergency Department Critical Care Paramedics
- "Ultrasound use for emergency care"
 Hartford Hospital Emergency Department Residents and Clinical Team

One, 50 – minute simulation experience (simulation topics will differ from group to group)

- "Neurologic care and management vascular occlusions and hemorrhage"
 Hartford HealthCare Ayer Neuroscience Institute Clinical Team
- "Management of LVADs"
 Hartford HealthCare Heart and Vascular Clinical Team

One, 50 – minute simulation experience

"Problem solving the critical patient – when everything goes wrong"
 Charlotte Hungerford Hospital Emergency Department Critical Care Paramedics
 Windham Hospital Critical Care Paramedic Team

Simulation and Small Group Case Study Faculty

Ryan Antonowicz, CCP-C, NRP — Charlotte Hungerford Hospital David Bailey, NREMT-P, EMS Coordinator — Hartford Hospital Brendon Colt, NRP, FP-C — Life Star Kyle Irzyk, RT, NRP — Life Star Rory Leslie, RN, BSN, NREMT-P, FP-C, CCP-C — Life Star Thomas Latosek, MS, CCP-C, NRP — Charlotte Hungerford Hospital

Arne Meis, FP-C, NRP – Charlotte Hungerford Hospital Kyle Rindenour, NREMT-P, CCP-C – Windham Hospital Rebecca Robinson, MS, APRN, CCRN, CFRN, NRP – Life Star William Schnepp, BS, NREMT-P – Windham Hospital Eric Tuvell, RN, CFRN, NREMT-P – Life Star David White, NRP – Charlotte Hungerford Hospital