

WNY EMERGENCY NURSES CHAPTER: MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Date: December 9th, 2015

Location: Buffalo General Medical Center, Cummings Conference Room.

Item	Discussion	Comments and follow up
Attendance	28	
Future meetings and classes	Next meeting February 10th	Topic: Active shooter Location: possibly Salvatore's sponsored by McGuire Group. To be confirmed.
Past minutes review	Accepted as is.	
Presidents report	Accepted President: Roseann Mohney (second term) Secretary: Renee Sylvies (second term) Treasurer: Cheryl Marcel (second term) Representatives: Primary: Cheryl Marcel, Roseann Mohney. Alternates: Kathy Manning and Debbie Deibel.	Recruitment needs: membership total now back over 100 current members. Several new members from ECMC and several renewals Call for Officers and Officer elect positions, call for representatives. Debbie Deibel was nominated and selected as alternate representative. Reminder about free CE availability
Treasurers report	Accepted as is	Cheryl Marcel following
Current topic	Ultrasound guided venous access	Dr Penelope Lema will present and facilitate Ultrasound guided venous access, lecture and hands on skill stations. Amazing experience with several different ultrasound machines. Each participant had one on one support for skills re-demonstration. Dr. Lema was an amazing speaker providing conceptual image and analogy that will help front line nurses use of ultrasound technology for venous access.
Current sponsor	UBMD	Dr's. Penelope Lema, David Ellis, and Rob McCormack supported this meeting through a scholarship for training nurses on use of ultrasound guided venous access. Additionally, there were 5 of our current EM Resident's and Dr. Lema's ultrasound fellows assisting with skill stations.
Future meeting suggestions	Diverse topic requests	Pediatric topics, transfer.
Sponsor suggestions	McGuire Group	
Recruitment	Membership drive	Members reminded to gather 5 new members for group discount.
Officer development	January NYSENA	Officer orientation to be held at the January NYS meeting.

Submitted respectfully, Renee Sylvies, 12-31-15