

**Minutes – SCCM Pediatric ICU Residents Education Committee
February, 2004 – Orlando, Florida**

(minutes are combined from the two meetings held)

Attendees: M. Mysore, K. Tegtmeyer, M. Lieh-Lai (Chairs); S. Hagen, A. Hardin, M. Kelly, S. Kecskes, J. Kaplan, A. Theodorou, H. Appel, ME Akron, D. Begany, S. Hagem, N. Thomas, S. Mateer.

1. M. Mysore gave a PowerPoint presentation for an update regarding moving the picucourse to the SCCM website. He noted that all sites have to register with SCCM.

ADDENDUM: In response to functionality questions, Mohan is providing the following clarification: Use your new Administrator name and password provided by SCCM after clicking on the "sign in to take the test" tab (same screen for users and administrators). The system will recognize the fact that you are an Administrator and take you to a screen with names of all the institutions (yours might be different since I might get the "master screen"). Highlight yours and then click on the Display Info tab (other tabs are Modify/Add a new Inst/Delete) - it will take you to a screen with all the residents you have currently signed up (or blank if first time) and there is a tab for add a new student. Voila ! You are now set to sign up anew.

2. There was some discussion regarding the quality of some of the current "lectures". Uniform high quality of talks should be ensured. A suggestion was made to put together a small group of people who would review all the talks and make improvements or changes as necessary.

3. Two NEW talks that are definitely needed at this time:
 - a. Acute Respiratory Failure
 - b. Pediatric trauma

Any volunteers?

4. There was a significant amount of discussion regarding the new ACGME duty hours requirements and the negative impact on residency education. This raises the need of making the picucourse more of a self-study tool rather than its current format. We will begin by selecting 4-5 of the current talks and convert them to a self-study format, with case-based questions at the end of each talk. We had volunteers to revise the following for now:

- a. Ventilators
- b. Fluids/electrolytes
- c. Post-op cardiac care talk
- d. Transport Medicine
- e. ECMO

5. David Martin has informed the group that lectures could be recorded and converted into streaming video to be placed on the picucourse website. We

might try doing this at the next SCCM meeting in Phoenix. This will assist in taking the content toward the self-study goal. We will more than likely also retain the current Power Point/html format since some users (including some from overseas) might not have broadband connectivity.

6. We also discussed the second set of questions that we will need for the July 2004 academic year. When the assignment was sent out last fall, only 4 people sent in their assignments. We will re-send the assignments out again soon.

Respectfully Submitted:
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