COVID-19
EMS Patient Care and Operations

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JACKSON HOLE
FIRE "EMS"
GLOBAL GLIMPSE
RUSTIC PATHWAYS
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My Office

No Conflicts or Disclosures
Jackson Hole Fire/EMS

Combined Fire/EMS Department
Mixed Paid / Volunteer
All-Hazard Response
  • 2 Staffed Stations
  • 4 Volunteer Stations
1800 CFS / 70% EMS
800 EMS Transports / year

Grand Teton National Park

3 Ambulances
Rangers with mixed LE / EMS duties
Summer Seasonal Paramedics
350 EMS CFS/year
55% Transported
COVID-19 - How do we prepare?

BEES PREPARING FOR THE MURDER HORNETS
COVID-19 - How do we prepare?

**Partners**

- Public Health
- ICS - Unified Command
- Dispatch (PSAPs)
- Law Enforcement
- First Responders
- Hospital
- Others…

*Practice, Practice, Practice*
COVID-19 - How do we prepare?

Resources

- These ECHO Calls
- Sharing Best Practices
- Lessons Learned
- ‘Scout’
- ‘SST’ (Single Source of Truth)
- PPE

https://www.resuscitationacademy.org/covid19/
Telehealth and EMS

Equipment/Technology (iPads)
Accounts / Connectivity
Privacy concerns
Language barriers
Advanced medical decision making
Cleaning devices
Patient selection / satisfaction
Limited # EMS cases / Clinic use
Adjusting to Current Guidelines
EMS reimbursement without transport
Other future uses!!!
Questions?

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