

**Keynote 8:15 – 9:30 am**  
**Stop Sweating It! 15 Action Steps to Reduce Stress from Living the EMS Lifestyle**  
**Wirth**  
**Ballroom ABC**  
**Prep**

Room	9:45–10:45 am	11:00–Noon	1:30–2:30 pm	3:15–4:15 pm	4:30–5:30 pm
<b>Ballroom AB</b>	School Shootings: Is Your Department Ready?  Bouvier <i>CRO</i>	M.A.R.C.H. Out of the Darkness: The Anatomical Reality of Emergent Care  Bolleter <i>Prep</i>	October 1, 2017: The Las Vegas Shooting  Bledsoe <i>CRO or Trauma</i>	Basic Hazardous Materials for EMS: One Mile Ahead  Bouvier <i>CRO</i>	Breaking Bad News: Field Termination of Cardiac Arrest  Kupas <i>Prep</i>
<b>Ballroom C</b>	<b>No class/room changeover</b>	What's an Ache Like You Doing in a Joint Like This? Hands-On Orthopedic Assessment  Grayson <i>Medical</i>	Sugar, Salt and Sex: What's That Thing on Your Kidney?  Beeson <i>Medical</i>	Things Just Got Real: Violent Encounters and Team Safety  Farnsworth <i>Prep</i>	Nitroglycerine: A New Look for an Old Friend  Patrick Anderson <i>Medical</i>
<b>200</b>	Texas Emergency Management 101  Jones <i>Prep or AOR</i>	Basic Capnography for BLS Providers  Saffer <i>Medical</i>	A Wyoming Rural EMS Success Story  Gienapp <i>Prep</i>	Rural Roundtable  Henington <i>Prep</i>	Army Values: Can They Work in EMS?  Gienapp <i>Prep</i>
<b>201AB</b>	Patient and Provider Safety in EMS: We All Have Room to Improve  Kupas <i>CRO</i>	IT and Data Security in EMS  Brosius <i>AOR</i>	The 7 Biggest Threats to Your EMS Agency  Wirth <i>AOR</i>	Competence Breeds Confidence: Keeping Your Low-Volume EMS Volunteers Engaged  Magee <i>Prep</i>	FirstNet Mobile Broadband: Benefiting Your Patient  Williams Early <i>AOR or CRO</i>
<b>201C</b>	Through the Eyes of the Aged: Geriatric Emergencies  Scadden <i>Spec Cons</i>	The Unhappy Drunk: Toxic Alcohols  Ebright <i>Medical</i>	Alcohol Use Disorder  Bakhtiari <i>Medical</i>	Neurological Emergencies in the Pediatric Patient  Lynn <i>Medical or Pedi</i>	Your Brain Is Lying to You: When Clinical Depression Takes Hold  Valentine <i>Medical or Spec Cons</i>
<b>202AB</b>	Chest Trauma  Bledsoe <i>Trauma</i>	Dirty Dozen: Infection Control in EMS  J Taylor <i>AOR or CRO</i>	CPR Training that Actually Improves Quality and Patient Survival  Kupas <i>Medical</i>	Mechanical Ventilation 101  Anderson Patrick <i>Airway</i>	EMS 2019: What Does the Science Say?  Bledsoe <i>Prep</i>
<b>202CD</b>	Getting Along in Years  Lynn <i>Spec Cons</i>	Is This a STEMI or Not? Case Studies from Williamson County EMS  Jarvis <i>Medical</i>	When Patients Say No: Liability with Patient Refusals  Smith <i>Prep</i>	Tales from the ER: Selected Case Studies  Torrey <i>Prep</i>	Unique – and Not So Unique – Compliance Case Studies  Wirth <i>AOR or CRO</i>

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<b>203AB</b> <b>Medical Director</b>  <i>EMS CE and CME available</i>	2018 EMS LLSA Review  Jarvis Ratcliff <i>CRO</i>	Prehospital Amputation Team  Gamber <i>Trauma</i>	Airway Management: DL vs VL  Manifold Jarvis <i>Airway</i>	Being Cruel to Be Kind? Remote Ischemic Conditioning (RIC) in EMS  Miller <i>Medical</i>	Medical Orders for Scope of Treatment Known as MOST and Its Use for Patients with Advanced Illness  Pickell Callanan <i>CRO</i>
<b>204AB</b> <b>Air Medical</b>  <i>EMS CE and CNE available</i>	Endovascular Stroke Therapy Update  Bhuva <i>Medical</i>	Prone Positioning of the ARDS Patient in Transport  Jones-Fewell Simonson <i>Medical</i>	Fearless Analgesia, Sedation and Induction: Customizing Your Approach in Tough Situations  Winchell <i>Medical</i>	A Case for Low-Titer Group O Whole Blood in EMS  Fisher <i>Medical</i>	Trauma-Induced Coagulopathy and Massive Transfusion in Pediatric Trauma  Vogel <i>Trauma or Pedi</i>
<b>104</b>	Everything I Ever Needed to Know I Learned in EMT School! Patient Assessment in the Real World  Ericson <i>Pt Assess</i>	Hard on the Arteries, Hard on the Body  Hecker <i>Medical</i>	You Know Better: Unhealthy Healthcare Workers  Ericson <i>Prep</i>	Harvey, Irma and Maria: The Unholy Trinity of 2017  Hecker <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Burn Topics: Emergency Treatment of the Burn Patient  Hills <i>Trauma</i>

## Tuesday Lectures

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<b>Ballroom AB</b>	Are You Ready for Tachycardia?  Page <i>Medical</i>	Motor Vehicle Collisions: On the Highway and Back Roads  Bouvier <i>Trauma</i>	Zapped: Understanding ICD and Implantable Pacemakers  Page <i>Medical</i>	Suicide: Our Dirty Little Secret  Mittelman <i>Prep</i>	Veinous to Mars: Vascular Access Interruptus in Emergent Care  Bolleter <i>Prep</i>	When the Windlass Won't Work: Torso Trauma and Junctional Hemorrhage  Miller <i>Trauma</i>
<b>Ballroom C</b>	In an Instant: When a Co-Worker is Your Patient  Ebright <i>Prep</i>	Fairytales, Myths and Lies of Airway Management  Beeson <i>Airway</i>	Are You Ready for an Active Shooter Event?  Kayea <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Yes, We Do Diagnose!  Grayson <i>Pt Assess</i>	Just Another Day at Work: PTSD and Suicide in EMS  Yates Kidd Holland <i>Prep</i>	Heart Alert! Rapid STEMI Recognition  Rahm <i>Medical</i>
<b>200</b>	Trauma Martini on the Rocks: Mining Trauma Made Easy  Farnsworth <i>Trauma</i>	What's Really Going on in Rural EMS?  Gienapp <i>Prep</i>	Person Ill on a Train: The Scourge of Mass Transit Rail  Hines <i>CRO or Med</i>	Rural Rescue: The Enchanted Rock Experience  Kuhlmann <i>Trauma</i>	High-Speed Train Safety  Wiederhold <i>Trauma</i>	Wind, Water, Fire – But Nothing as Lethal as What Floats in the Breeze  Moriber <i>CRO</i>
<b>201AB</b>	EMS Agenda 2050  Jarvis Rodriguez <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Records ... We Aren't Talking About Music! Importance of Records Management Goes Beyond PCR  Hayes <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Texas Targeted Opioid Response  Ramirez <i>Prep or Medical</i>	So You Got a Letter from the State ...  Merchant <i>CRO or AOR</i>	National Registry Overview  Woodyard <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Herding Cats: Lessons from Hurricane Harvey and Ambulance Staging Management  McKnight Holmes <i>CRO</i>
<b>201C</b>	Thoracic and Neck Injuries: Case Study of a Severe Thoracic Impalement  Kelley <i>Trauma</i>	Do I Need a Lawyer?  Ogilvie <i>Prep</i>	OB: Oh, Boy, We're Having a Baby!  Amlin <i>Spec Cons or Medical</i>	EMS and the LGBTQIA+ Community  Contreras <i>Spec Cons</i>	EMS Response to Domestic Violence  J. Martin <i>Spec Cons</i>	Human Trafficking: Developing a Protocol/ Program to Identify and Care for Victims  Richardson Campbell <i>Spec Cons</i>
<b>202AB</b>	Frozen: The Cold Hard Truth about Hypothermia in Trauma Patients  J Taylor <i>Trauma</i>	How Did That Really Happen? Recognizing Child Abuse  Mittelman <i>Pedi</i>	Electronics in EMS  Farnsworth <i>Medical</i>	What the Heck? Interesting Cases in Cardiology  A Taylor <i>Medical</i>	Unmasking CPAP/Bi-Level Pressure: An Innovative Approach to Treating Respiratory Distress  LeCroy <i>Airway</i>	When Medical and Trauma Collide...  J Martin <i>Medical or Trauma</i>

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<b>202CD</b>	A Positive Wave of Change: A Case Study in Pediatric Drowning  Brown Cerami <i>Pedi</i>	I Want a New Drug: What's New in Texas  Yates <i>Medical</i>	WHAT? My Patient Has Four Legs? Emergency Care for Dogs and Cats  Garrison <i>Prep or Spec Cons</i>	My First Deposition... Are You Ready for Yours?  J Martin <i>Prep</i>	Slavery Today? Human Trafficking – What Can EMS Do?  Scadden <i>Spec Cons</i>	Why Isn't My Scene Safe?  Mittelman <i>CRO</i>
<b>203AB</b> <i>Medical Director</i>  <i>EMS CE and CME available</i>	Field Physicians at Amateur Athletic Events  Fairless <i>Trauma</i>	Direct Navigation of Behavioral Health Patients to Psychiatric Hospitals  Miramontes Winckler <i>CRO or Spec Cons</i>	Endotracheal Intubation or Supraglottic Airways in Cardiac Arrest?  Jarvis <i>Airway</i>	Medical Direction for Comm Centers: Implications of Medical Dispatching  Beeson <i>Prep</i>	First Steps Taken as a Baby Medical Director  Abraham <i>CRO or Prep</i>	Making Sim Sexy Again  Fagan <i>AOR or Prep</i>
<b>204AB</b>	Jamming and the Deliberate Denial of Service in EMS  Fuller <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Fluid Resuscitation Without an IV: EMTs Treating Shock  Navarro <i>Medical</i>	But We've Always Done It This Way: EMS Mythbusters 2018  Miller <i>Prep or Med</i>	Poor Prognostic Indicators 2.0 – Medical: A BLS Patient Assessment Review  Rosenhaus <i>Pt Assess or Medical</i>	EMS Vehicle Intersection Safety  Eberly <i>CRO or AOR</i>	Poor Prognostic Indicators 2.0 – Trauma: A BLS Patient Assessment Review  Rosenhaus <i>Pt Assses or Trauma</i>
<b>104</b>	EMS Response to Active Shooter Incidents  Saffer <i>CRO</i>	Ask Joe and Scott! Q&A with State EMS Director: Coffee, Donuts and Continuing Education!  Schmider Merchant <i>Spec Cons</i>	Sympathetically Speaking  Valentine <i>Prep</i>	EMS-DEA Regulations Update  Sullivan <i>Prep</i>	BLS is BS –Life Support is a Spectrum of Care  Winckler Wampler <i>Medical</i>	Are You Prepared? Get Immunized While There's Still Time!  Starkey <i>Prep</i>

**Wednesday Lectures**

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<p align="center"><b>Ballroom AB</b></p>	<p>What Do You Mean, Leave the Dog Behind?</p>    <p>Hines <i>Spec Cons</i></p>	<p>They Put What in the Tea?! Radiation Poison Case Study</p>    <p>Fuller <i>Medical</i></p>	<p>Closing Session: From Johnny &amp; Roy to Nightwatch: Lessons Learned During 39 Years in EMS</p>    <p>Zavadsky <i>Prep</i></p>
<p align="center"><b>Ballroom C</b></p>	<p>Bleeding Control From the Inside Out</p>    <p>Torrey <i>Medical</i></p>	<p>Evaluating the Let Me Aspirate the Airway: What's Good, What's Not, and What Works</p>    <p>LeCroy <i>Airway</i></p>	

## Monday Hands-On Specialty Workshops

room	9:45 – 11:45 am	1 – 3 pm
<b>102</b>	Stethoscopy for Dummies: Lung Sounds ( <i>Bring own stethoscope</i> )  Page <i>Medical</i>	Stethoscopy for Dummies: Heart Tones ( <i>Bring own stethoscope</i> ) ( <i>Prerequisite: Lung Sounds workshop</i> )  Page <i>Medical</i>
<b>103</b>	Responder Safety: Situational Awareness and Personal Defense  Wampler Frader <i>Prep</i>	Responder Safety: Situational Awareness and Personal Defense  Wampler Frader <i>Prep</i>

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102	I Don't Think a Band-Aid Is Going to Fix That!  Langford Pt Assess
103	Pediatric ALS Workshop: All the Things That Scare You, Plus What Actually Works  Grayson Scadden Saffer <i>Pedi</i>

### Category Color Key

Administrator	Green
Air Medical	Red
Case Studies	Light Green
Emergency Mgt/Response	Light Blue
General	Yellow
Legal	Pink
Medical Directors	Brown
Provider Wellbeing/Safety	Grey
Rural	Purple
Special Populations	Light Grey
Trends	Dark Blue
Hands-on Workshops	Orange