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November 2017

Join TETAF at 7:00 am on Nov 19 for our November General Meeting!

Please join us at 7:00 am on Sunday, November 19 for our next general meeting. TETAF will be meeting during the morning in order to accommodate the competing schedules of our stakeholders, GETAC and the Texas EMS Conference.

TETAF General Meeting

Sunday, November 19, 2017

7:00 - 9:00 am

Omni Fort Worth Hotel

Ballroom E

1300 Houston Street

Fort Worth, TX

Each RAC should plan to send their designated voting member to this meeting, as a vote will take place on the proposed bylaw reforms. An agenda and additional information will be provided prior to the meeting.

All TETAF general meetings are open to the public. Coffee and light refreshments will be served.

Contact [Courtney DeBower](#) with any questions.



TETAF Board Retains Services of Attorney Kevin Reed

The TETAF Board of Directors has retained the services of attorney Kevin Reed to assist with the implementation of the TETAF restructuring. Mr. Reed is an experienced healthcare attorney and will be an important asset to TETAF moving forward.

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TETAF Restructuring Timeline

The TETAF Board of Directors continues to move forward with the recommendations made by Integrated Healthcare Strategies.

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Texas Legislature Examining Hurricane Harvey Response

The Texas legislature is currently examining several interim charges related to disaster preparedness and the response to Hurricane Harvey.

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Texas TQIP Collaborative Hiring Part-Time Contractor

The Texas Trauma Quality Improvement Program (Texas TQIP) is hiring a part-time contractor for 2018 to assist the elected leadership in

implementing the goals of the collaborative.

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HHS Seeking Volunteers for First Responder Mental Health

The Texas Health and Human Services Commission seeks volunteers to develop and make recommendations on mental healthcare access for first responders.

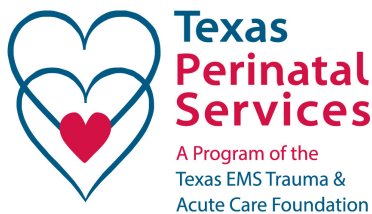
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Hospital Data Management Course Coming to Houston

The next TETAF Hospital Data Management Course will take place Nov 29-30 in Houston.

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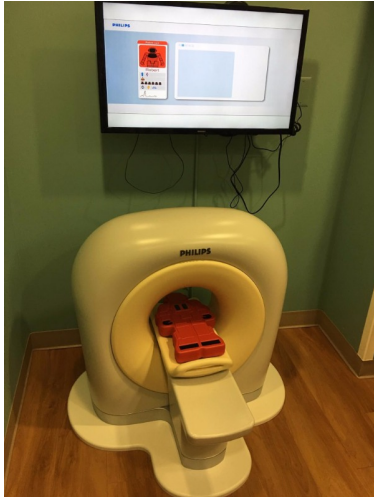
NICU Survey Dates Available

Texas Perinatal Services is currently scheduling NICU surveys for 2017 and beyond. A large team of surveyors is available and will work with your facility to accommodate your preferred dates.

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Photo Spotlight: Driscoll Children's Hospital

Driscoll Children's Hospital utilizes a play scanner for children. Kids are able to play with the toy and scan a robot before their own scan so they will be



more comfortable with the procedure.

Submit your photos to TETAF [here!](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

November 17 Texas Trauma Coordinator's Forum (Fort Worth)

November 18-20 Governor's EMS & Trauma Advisory Council (Fort Worth)

November 19 TETAF General Meeting (Fort Worth)

November 19-22 Texas EMS Conference (Fort Worth)

November 29-30 Hospital Data Management Course (Houston)

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