

GMVEMS Council  
Research Committee Meeting  
May 17, 2022

**PRESENT:**

Dr. Nancy Pook, Chair of Clinical Research Committee and attending ER Physician for Kettering Health

David Gerstner, DFD/Regional MMRS Coordinator

Chief Nicholas Judge, EMS Chief for Dayton Fire

Aaron Vance, Monroe Fire/FF/Community Paramedicine Program

Chad Garver, Vandalia Fire

Chief David Klopfenstein, Anna Rescue

Jennifer Mason, EMS Coordinator for Kettering Health

Paula Balcom, Riverside Fire FF/Community Paramedicine Program

Dr. Leslie Dye, ER Physician, Medical Director for 115 Building

Barbara Marsh, Chief Operating Officer for 115 Building

Jason Paoletti, Miami Township Fire, Yellow Springs

Amy Dunkin, Dayton Fire, G.R.O.W. Program

Sue Ann Obrien, President of Business Development for Behavior Health Link

Addison Steinke, Telehub Project Manager for 115 Building

Vincent Sabino, State Director for RI International

Tina Rezash, Director of Strategic Initiatives, ADAHMS

Janell Hill, Supervisor of Crisis Now Call Center

**Call to Order**

The May 17, 2022 research meeting of the Greater Miami Valley EMS Council was called to order at 10:02am by Co-chair Kendra Harris followed by introductions.

**Guest Speakers**

1. Tina Rezash, Director of Strategic Initiatives, ADAMHS
  - a. Dayton Children's will receive 25 million dollars from the State of Ohio to create a building for Mental Health services.

- b. National Suicide Prevention Hotline will change its number from 1-800-273-8255 to 988 for mental health emergencies on July 16, 2022.
  - c. 988 will help connect Ohioans in a mental health or addiction crisis with a crisis response and support system.
  - d. 988 only serves Montgomery County at this time
2. Barbara Marsh, Chief Operating Officer for 115 Building spoke on history of 115 and protocols that are begun to put in place.
- a. Contracted with Samaritan Behavioral and Recovery International (RI)
  - b. Crisis Stabilization
  - c. Inpatient Withdrawal Management
  - d. Residential Treatment
  - e. Ambulatory Withdrawal Management
  - f. Intensive Outpatient Program
  - g. Provides Medication Services (Suboxone, Vivitrol)
  - h. Family waiting area for children
  - i. Telehealth
  - j. Accept patients with psychiatric comorbidities
  - k. Law Enforcement and EMS Algorithm needs updated
3. Amy Dunkin, Dayton Fire, G.R.O.W. Program
- a. See September 2021 meeting minutes

### Adjournment

There was no further business or discussion meeting adjourned at 1142.