

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3

3:30pm - 6:00pm

Early Regular Conference Registration

Avoid the Friday morning regular conference check-in rush. Check-in for the conference and pick up your conference packet early on Thursday afternoon or evening.

4:00pm - 7:00pm

Board of Directors & Education Committee Meetings

The SMEMSIC Board of Directors will meet at 4pm for a regular board meeting. The SMEMSIC Education Committee will meet immediately after the board meeting if there is business for the committee to discuss.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

7:30am - 8:30am

Regular Conference Registration

8:30am - 10:00am

The Joy of EMS (Part 2 - ten years later)

Steve Berry

EMS definitely has its ups and downs, and the people who are in EMS are attracted to and stay in it because of the joy we find in doing our work every day. To stay in it for the long haul means we have to find a positive attitude and bring joy to our work. In this lighthearted look at our occupation and EMS education, EMS humorist Steve Berry will help remind us to keep it light, have fun and remember some of the simple joys we all find in our education activities and service to community.

Credits: 1 Instructional Technique, .5 Education Administration

10:00am - 10:30am

Exhibitor Visits - M&E Worksheet Completion

Exhibitor Area

Please follow the instructions on the M&E worksheet in your notebook. Questions will be posted Friday and Saturday. You must complete both sets of questions from Friday and Saturday to receive the offered M&E credit.

Credits: 1 Measurement & Evaluation

10:30am - 12:00pm

Breakout Session I - Select your preference on the registration form

Session A

Steve Berry

Suicide – Shedding the Veil of Silence

It is often described as one of the most painful kind of calls an emergency medical provider will respond to. Whether it is the suicide or attempted suicide of a patient or of someone we know personally, we are often left with only complex and disturbing questions. Why did they do it? What can I say to give comfort to the bereaved? How can I help someone who is contemplating suicide? How can I heal from my own personal loss? What separates fact from fiction about suicide? These and many more such questions will be discussed and answered in an open and honest format so that EMS Instructors will be better able to prepare their students to bring understanding and comfort to those who are in some way touched by suicide.

Credits: 1.5 Instructional Technique, 1 Lecture Preparatory

Session B

Lance Corey

Reaching the “Smart” World in Today’s Education

This session will explore the use of computer and smart device applications in initial and even continuing education. In addition we will explore how to include the use of tablets, iPods, Smart phones and other devices in the classroom for education and evaluation of students by turning the devices into Dirty Rotten Instructor Scoundrel Tricks (thank you Bob Page).

Credits: 1 Instructional Technique & .5 Measurement & Evaluation

Session C

Greg Flynn & SMEMSIC Education Committee

Technology for EMS Education

This session will be the first in a series of sessions presented by the SMEMSIC education committee at this and future conferences. This and future sessions will be designed to introduce EMS educators to technology tools, programs, and solutions that help address education challenges while improving teaching and learning opportunities. Computer applications such as Microsoft Office and others will be examined to explore ways they can assist the EMS instructor in the classroom as well as overall EMS education program support. Participants who preregister for this session will receive additional information on specific content prior to the conference.

Credits: 1 Instructional Technique & .5 Education Administration

12:00pm - 1:00pm

Break for Lunch

Lunch is provided for regular conference attendees. This is also a good time to visit the Exhibitors and complete the M&E worksheet.

1:00pm - 2:30pm

What do the Polls Say?

Bob Page

So you have given your best shot in a class. How did it go over? “Let’s see a show of hands, how many thought it was a great class?” Really? For years, politicians have used polling to determine how the public feels about just about everything. How can we use polls for instant feedback on our classes and to see if the desired message is getting across? How can we use polling to improve ourselves? How are students progressing? How well are our efforts working? So many questions: so many answers. Come see real life examples of how polling can have a positive impact in your classroom and can provide the evaluation feedback you need to improve.

Credits: 1 Instructional Technique, .5 Measurement & Evaluation

2:30pm - 3:00pm

Afternoon Break -Snacks Provided

Exhibitor Area

This is a great time to finish up your Friday portion of the M&E worksheet and visit the Exhibitors.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4 CONT.



3:00pm - 4:30pm

Breakout Session II - Select your preference on the registration form

Session D

Bob Page

“Teacher Say, Student Do”

In the movie Karate Kid, Miyagi told the young Danielson “No such thing bad student, only bad teacher” “Teacher say, student do” Ever wonder what that means? Does it apply to EMS Educators. In this session, we look at things from the students perspective and a critical look at ourselves as a whole. Do we have bad “teaching habits?” Are we teaching a test or educating? The movie offers valuable lessons that can apply directly to all learning domains and to evaluation of student skills. Lets “focus” on improvement so you can smile proudly as Miyagi did at the end of the movie!

Credits: 1 Instructional Technique, .5 Measurement & Evaluation

Session E

MMR Education Services

Preparing for the Exam

The advanced level NREMT psychomotor examinations are standardized examinations administered in a variety of settings. This session will provide EMS instructors with information on how to best help their EMS students prepare for and take the NREMT psychomotor examination.

Credits: 1.5 Measurement & Evaluation

Session F

Terrie Godde

Medical/Legal Update

Medical/legal and ethical issues are a vital element of the everyday life of an EMS provider. It is crucial that all EMS providers have the most up to date information regarding legal issue in emergency medical care. This session will explore and introduce updates to Medical/Legal curriculum for all EMS levels in Michigan. These will be important updates that every instructor will need to bring to the EMS classroom.

Credits: 1.5 Instructional Technique, 1 Lecture Preparatory

4:45pm - 6:00pm

Exhibitor Area

Member/Exhibitor Reception

There will be light snacks and a cash bar along with the major door prize giveaways. The reception is designed to provide an opportunity for attendees to network with exhibitors, board members and other SMEMSIC members. As a reminder, you must be present to win the door prizes!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

7:30am - 8:30am

Regular Conference Registration

8:30am - 10:00am

Bob Page

The Gift of Knowledge, The Curse of Knowledge

When we entered the medical field, we were given the gift of knowledge in order to help those in need. It is indeed a higher calling to be in health care. These gifts of knowledge and how you use them can make a profound impact in the lives of others. But what happens when this gift doesn't always work, or at times where you feel powerless to help, even with your gift. When a loved one is seriously ill, will your knowledge be a gift or a curse. Come hear an incredible account of how the knowledge was both a gift and a curse for Bob. He has spent over 23 years teaching others how to find a heart attack, find out what happens when a heart attack found him. He was given an incredible opportunity to study first hand, that which he has taught others to understand. The lessons Bob learned can be applied to the classroom and education program. This is an unforgettable presentation by the 2012 NAEMSE Legends Award recipient.

Credits: 1 Education Administration, .5 Instructional Technique

10:00am - 10:30am

Exhibitor Area

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Credits: 1 Measurement & Evaluation

10:30am - 12:00pm

Breakout Session III - Select your preference on the registration form

Session G

Steve Berry

If I Could Redesign your EMS System...

This session will explore the issues facing EMS and thus EMS Education today – the decrease in volunteerism, new-generation employee behavior (texting, cell phone cameras, tattoos, and piercings), the aging population, budget cuts that effect training, equipment and readiness, and poor managing and hiring techniques. Yes, it is a humor based lecture, but a deeper message is imparted to motivate and inspire educators to better prepare EMS students who will give so much to the profession of EMS.

Credits: .5 Education Administration, 1 Instructional Technique

Session H

Thomas Worthington

Customer Service, the Lost Value

Emergency medical services providers at all levels are trained to deal with not only injured patients but the general public as well. Many instructors believe that Customer service has become a lost value and could be better addressed during EMS initial and continuing education. This session will focus on how EMS instructors can incorporate customer service training into the EMS education program to better prepare EMS students to meet the needs of patients and families in the field.

Credits: .5 Education Administration, 1 Instructional Technique

Session I

Greg Flynn & SMEMSIC Education Committee

Technology for EMS Education (Repeat of Session C)

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Credits: 1 Instructional Technique & .5 Education Administration

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SATURDAY, OCT 5 CONT.

12:00pm - 1:00pm

Break for Lunch

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1:00pm - 2:30pm

Breakout Session IV - Select your preference on the registration form

Session J (Repeat of session E)

MMR Education Services

Preparing for the Exam

The advanced level NREMT psychomotor examinations are standardized examinations administered in a variety of settings across the United States. Many are coordinated by state EMS offices and others are coordinated by educational institutions under authority of the state. This session will provide EMS instructors with information and strategies on how to best help their EMS students prepare for and take the NREMT psychomotor examination.

Credits: 1.5 Measurement & Evaluation

Session K (Repeat of session B)

Lance Corey

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2:45pm - 3:45pm

SMEMSIC

SMEMSIC Membership Information Meeting

Please attend and let your voice be heard. SMEMSIC is involved in some exciting work on your behalf. Your input is important as we plan organizational education activities. This is not a voting membership meeting. We will go over information presented at the spring conference MDCH session and any new updates from MDCH since that presentation. All are invited to attend.

Credits: 1 Education Administration

3:45pm

Conference Concludes

Safe Travel

SMEMSIC CE RECORDS

The Society of Michigan EMS Instructor Coordinators maintains an online continuing education records retention system where all conference continuing education records are maintained. During SMEMSIC conferences, all attendees have a bar code on their name badge and attendance for continuing education purposes is tracked through the use of this bar code system. Conference attendees will need to have their name badge scanned at the beginning of each session they attend.

All SMEMSIC members will have their conference CE slip posted to their member profile page after the conference. Non-member conference attendees will receive their CE slip by email after the conference. SMEMSIC members have access to all past conference CE slips at anytime by accessing their member profile page. In addition, members can upload other continuing education records for posting to their member profile so that all records are maintained for future reference. More information on our continuing education records retention system can be obtained on our web site at www.smemsic.org. Please contact us if you have any questions about the CEU records retention system.

