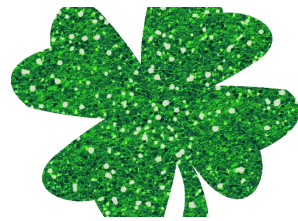


# 2017 Spring Conference

Preconference Sessions  
March 17th

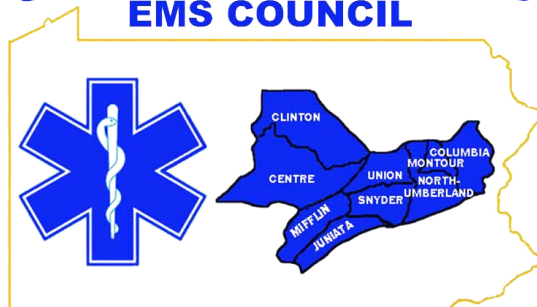


Spring Conference  
March 18th & 19th

Susquehanna University  
Fowler Hall  
514 University Avenue  
Selinsgrove, PA 17870

Presented by:

SEVEN MOUNTAINS  
EMS COUNCIL





March 17th, 2017  
8:00am - 4:30pm  
Lunch will be provided

# 2017 PreConference Sessions

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## Leadership Track

EMS Updates: Current & Trending Topics

EMS Billing-PCR Documentation and Compliance

Situational Leadership

## EMS Safety Track

National Traffic Incident Management System  
(TIMS)

PENN DOT: High Tension Guide Wire Safety

Scene Safety Scene Size Up: Are we doing it  
Right?



# Leadership Day Schedule



Leadership Day  
March 17th, 2017

Time	Topic	CE Credits	Presenter
0700-0745	REGISTRATION/CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST		
0800-0830	OPENING REMARKS		Tim Nilson
0830-1000	EMS System Update: Current and Trending Topics	1.5 Other	EMS Staff
1000-1015	<b>BREAK</b>		
1015-1115	Tips for Training and Maintaining Effective PCR Documentation for EMS Billing and Compliance	1.5 Other	Charles Humphrey
1115-1215	10 Most Difficult EMS Staff Members- And How to Effectively Deal w/ Them	1.5 Other	Christie Melloc,PW&W
1215-1315	Luncheon	Degenstein Hall	
1315-1415	Who Hired These Kids ??	1.5 Other	Bradley Dean
1415-1430	<b>BREAK</b>		
1430-1600	Situational Leadership	1.5 Other	Chief M. Touchstone
1600-1630	CLOSING REMARKS		Tim Nilson



# EMS Safety Schedule



EMS Safety Track  
March 17th, 2017

Time	Topic	CE Credits	Presenter
0700-0745	REGISTRATION/CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST		
0800-0830	OPENING REMARKS		Tim Nilson
0830-1000	National Traffic Incident Management (TIM)	2 Other	PSATS
1000-1015	<b>BREAK</b>		
1015-1230	National Traffic Incident Management (TIM) Continued	Cont:	PSATS
1230-1330	Luncheon	Degenstein Hall	
1330-1430	New High Tension Guidewires & Safety Issues for First Responders	1 Other	PA DOT Dist #3
1430-1445	<b>BREAK</b>		
1445-1600	Scene Safety, Scene Size up, are we really doing it right?	1 Other	V. Josh Fremberg
1600-1630	CLOSING REMARKS		Tim Nilson

# 2017 Keynote Speaker

**Bradley Dean, Battalion Chief**

**Rowan County Emergency Services, NC**



Bradley started with the Thomasville Rescue Squad, in the mid 90's he went to work for Davidson County Emergency Services, has authored several articles, and has been a technical reviewer for several EMS Textbooks. From 1994 – 2005 he served in the NC Army National Guard with several assignments on active duty while still working as a field paramedic.

He currently is the Battalion Chief over the Training Division for Rowan County Emergency Services (Rowan County, NC), and the President of Yadkin Group, an Emergency Services Consulting and Education Company providing services to agencies and colleges throughout North Carolina. As a part of his consulting and education business, he also serves as the Paramedic Program Director for Rowan-Cabarrus Community College in Salisbury, NC.

In addition to being involved in multiple state and national initiatives, committees and associations with Emergency Medical Services, he also teaches Martial Arts and is a Lifetime Member of the American Freestyle Karate Association.



# Saturday Schedule



Full Conference Saturday  
March 18th, 2017

TIME	TOPIC	CE Credits	PRESENTER
0700-0745	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST		
0800-0830	OPENING REMARKS		Tim Nilson
0830-1000	Warning: Suicide can Kill You, A silent Epidemic	1.5 Other	Bradley Dean
1000-1015	BREAK		
1015-1145	BREAKOUT SESSION I		
	Professionalism in EMS	1.5 Other	Chief M.T. Touchstone, Philadelphia EMS Chief
	Toxicology for EMS	1.5 PCC	Dr. Kassi Botti
	HIPAA's Dirty Dozen: Snooping and 11 Other Ways your Staff are Putting you at Risk	1.5 Other	Christie Mellot, PW&W
	High-functioning Pit Crew CPR "Hands On"	1.5 PCC	Dr. Douglas Kupas
1145-1245	LUNCH		

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BREAKOUT SESSION II			
1300-1430			
	Principals of Quality and Performance Improvement	1-Other .5 PCC	Chief M. Touchstone, Philadelphia EMS Chief
	Sepsis Shock	1.5 PCC	Mr. Mark Trueman
	You're Never More than 5 Minutes from Hell: Surviving EMS	1.5 Other	Dr. Kassl Botti
	Fits, Faints and Funny Spells	1.5 PCC	Bradley Dean
	High-functioning Pit Crew CPR "Hands On"	1.5 PCC	Dr. Douglas Kupas
1430-1445	BREAK		
1445-1615	"Patient Experience in EMS"		Dr. Kupas
1615-1630	CLOSING REMARKS		TIM & STAFF

1800 - 2100	<b>St. Patrick's Day Themed Annual Banquet</b>  VFW Sellinsgrove
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# Saturday Night St. Patrick's Day Party

After great success last year, we ask that you stick around Saturday Night for the EMS Recognitions, followed by entertainment and dancing with a St. Patrick's Day theme!



The following is the Schedule of Events for Saturday Evening:



1800 - 1830: Buffet Dinner and Cash Bar

1830 - 1900: EMS Recognitions

1900-2100: Cash Bar, food, music and fun!!

If you are planning on attending the St. Patrick's Event, please indicate on your registration form!!!! We hope you will stay and spend time networking with colleagues and friends.

This year's event will be held at the Selinsgrove VFW on Route 522 in Selinsgrove, PA

**\*\*ADMISSION TO THE BANQUET IS FREE TO ALL CONFERENCE ATTENDEES\*\***

**\*YOU MUST INDICATE ON YOUR REGISTRATION FORM IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND!**

**\*COST TO ATTEND THE BANQUET FOR NON-CONFERENCE ATTENDEES IS \$25.00 PER PERSON... ALL NON-CONFERENCE ATTENDEES MUST BE REGISTERED PRIOR TO THE BANQUET!!!!**





# Sunday Schedule



Full Conference Sunday  
March 19th, 2017

TIME	TOPIC	CE Credit	PRESENTER
0700-0800	REGISTRATION & BREAKFAST		
0800-0830	OPENING REMARKS		TIM & STAFF
0830-1000	BREAKOUT SESSION I		
	Street Drugs: Recognition and Treatment	1.5 PCC	Pitm & Paramedic John Miles
	Neonate Care	1.5 PCC	Douglas Fuller, Flight Medic, Life Flight
	Do it for Drew' - Case study of an airway gone wrong	1.5 PCC	Bradley Dean
1000-1015	BREAK		
1015-1145	BREAKOUT SESSION II		
	Normalization of Deviance	1.5 Other	Chief M. Touchstone Philadelphia EMS
	Providing Medical Care for the Amish	.5 PCC Other	1 Paramedic David King
	The New Old Technology: Tourniquets	1.5 PCC	Jason Tartalone, Sergeant Rescue Training
1145-1245	LUNCH		

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	<b>BREAKOUT SESSION III</b>		
1300-1430	Street Drugs: Recognition and Treatment	1.5 PCC	Ptlm & Paramedic John Miller
	Corner Interaction with EMS & Drug Death Investigation	1 PCC .5 Other	Jeremy Reese Columbia County Coroner
	Monday Morning Quarterback, Surviving on the Street	1.5 Other	Chief Jamie Blount, William Cameron Engine Co
1430-1445	<b>BREAK</b>		
1445-1600	<b>BREAKOUT SESSION IV</b>		
	STEMI Patients	1 PCC	Cinde Stout, Giesinger Health System
	The Lost Art of Splinting	1 PCC	Jason Tartalone, Sergeant Rescue Training
1600-1630	<b>CLOSING REMARKS</b>		
			TIM & STAFF



## Local Hotel Information

*Holiday Inn Express - 570-743-9275*

*Comfort Inn - 570-374-8880*

*Hampton Inn - 570-743-2223*

*Due to Multiple events being conducted in the area, we were unable to secure a block of rooms.*

*At the time of this release, we have confirmed there are rooms available at the locations listed above, please don't delay if you are seeking local accommodations for this years conference.*

*Early room reservation is encouraged as these rooms will be going fast*