

# Health Care Coalition of Orange County

# **Advisory Committee**

# Home Health Hospice

Wednesday, December 8, 2021 - 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

# Minutes

## I. CALL TO ORDER

• The meeting was called to order by Mary Brackett at 1:00 p.m.

### II. INTRODUCTIONS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Attendance information obtained from Zoom participant report

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

No quorum to approve September 8, 2021 minutes

#### III. EMS/HEM REPORT

- No one in the County has tested positive for the omicron variant
- We will commit one HEM Intern to verify all information on the contact list.
- We will send an invite email via Govdelivery to all licensed Home Health Hospice agencies in the County. The goal of the Coalition is to exercise, prepare, best practices, share resources and plans.

### IV. OLD BUSINESS

- 2021 Goal Develop a communication tree
  - o General recruitment of new Hospice/Home Health Agency members
    - In progress to share the goals, recruit, advise of ReddiNet
    - Hospice conducts one exercise per year, tabletop, evaluation of AAR; improvement plan; steps missed or learned; earthquake preparedness in October and when there are major fires in OC, we activated and emergency action plan.
    - Surveyor inquired on the pandemic and what we do for natural disasters, not just airborne types. Surveys for hospice are every three years, and the surveyor requested documents from 2019.

#### V. NEW BUSINESS

• 2022 Home Health Hospice Advisory Committee Schedule sent to this group

#### VI. OTHER BUSINESS

- During the (Zoom) General Meeting, 10/28/21, I met Marissa Preciado / Town and County Manor (SNF/LTC); we needed BinaxNow rapid tests, and her facility had extra and shared with us.
- The County has Antigen Care Start kits

#### VII. <u>NEXT MEETING</u>

- March 9, 2022, 1:00 2:00pm, Zoom/TBD
- General HCCOC Meeting April 28, 2022 10:30am-12:00pm, Zoom/TBD

#### VIII. ADJOURNMENT

• 1:21 p.m.