ECI Advisory Committee Updates

Friday, 4 November 2016
Amora Hotel Jamison Sydney
Decision Support Tools and Patient Factsheets:

- Diverticulitis; SVT; Acute Scrotum; Adrenal Crisis; Acute Low Back Pain; Childbirth in ED; Musculoskeletal/Fracture Guide +++

Education Modules:

- Wound Care, Red Flags; FIB; Procedural Sedation; Point of Care Ultrasound +++

Other:

- New ECI Website – 47,000+ visits per quarter
- RAECGs Review
- NDEC Review
Upcoming Events

Performance and Data
The Victorian Auditor-General’s Office has released their report on Efficiency and Effectiveness of Hospital Services: Emergency Care.
Read more...

Rural
Read more...

Mental health
A new resource - WA Centre for Clinical Interventions - Information for doctors and consumers on common ED mental health presentations. Includes patient handouts.
Read more...

Public Health Alerts
For the latest information

Newsletters
The Autumn 2016 Edition of the ECI newsletter is now available.
Read more...
Ultrasound in the ED

UTEC Online Training Courses
Physics, AAA, EFAST, Vascular

PoCUS: Where do I begin?

Supervisors of Ultrasound Training

Ultrasound Training Governance for the ED Director

Logbooks and Assessments

The SAN / ECI Ultrasound Library

Ultrasound Special Interest Groups and Blogs
- Emergency Medicine Ultrasound Group (EMUG NSW)
- Ultrasound of the Week

PoCUS Cheat Sheets

How to export images from Phillips Sparq

Resources, Blogs and Links

ED Apps
Clinical Tools
Procedures
Forms
Equipment
Emergency Department Factsheets
Nurse Delegated Emergency Care
Aged Care Emergency
Red Flag Modules
Improving Quality and Safety in the ED
Publications
The Best from the Best
The top twenty sites you must visit

A - Z Directory
Find pages and resources

Clinical tools
Latest evidence based

Patient factsheets
Learning centre

The learning centre includes opportunities for emergency care staff in:

- On the Job Teaching Resources
- Clinical education and training opportunities
- Non clinical education and training opportunities
INCIDENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- RCA review – using ED taxonomy
- Granular report identifying key themes from RCA analysis
- Testing of new IIMS+
- IAC Member Survey Tool – priorities
RCAs reviewed by age
RCAs reviewed: demographics and other patient factors

- Child / infant
- Greater than 75 years old
- Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander
- Developmentally delayed / disability
- Bariatric / Obese
- Currently aggressive
- Substance misuse exc alcohol
- Alcohol related
- Mental Illness
- NESB
- Frequent ED user
- Re-presentations (directly related to incident)
RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- ACI research funding for 2017 (EOI)
- Oversee current projects and support others in partnership.
- Seeking alternative funding opportunities as they arise.
- Support groups and individuals in applying for “Translational Research Grant Scheme”
- Review abstracts for “ECI best evidence into practice award (s)”
- Proposed Research Symposium in 2017
ANZEDAR

- Phase 2 data collection – completed
- ~3,700 intubation records collected from 43 hospitals
- Future publications:
  - Descriptive paper on RSI practices in Australia and New Zealand
  - Surgical airways from ANZEDAR.
  - Apnoeic Oxygenation
  - Second and subsequent attempts – are we “stuck on stupid”
- Poster presentation at lunch “Factors associated with FPS at intubation”
DESTINY

- Population based study of Emergency Department utilisation and length of stay (4yrs)
- 1st since 2006
- Better choices in the allocation of finite health resources, provide a basis for ED best practice models of care can development and improvement

Publications:

- Understanding drivers of Demand for Emergency Services Trends in Years 2010-14 in NSW.
- Five years of low acuity presentations to New South Wales Emergency Departments: Who, what, where and why?’
- Demand for Emergency Services Trends in New South Wales Years 2010-14 (DESTINY) – Age and clinical factors associated with Ambulance transportation to Emergency Departments.
- Trends and characteristics of short term and frequent representations to Emergency Departments:
- Age-related trends in injury and injury severity presenting to emergency departments in New South Wales. Age may imply implications for major injury surveillance and trauma systems
INFORMATION STRATEGY AND TECHNOLOGY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

- New Committee
- NEDIMS and LaunchPoint review
- Deloitte Review and FirstNet Remediation Report
- ED Diagnosis Coding
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