



**Imperial Valley College
 EMS Advisory Committee Agenda
 November 12, 2015**

1. Call to order
2. Approval of minutes for previous meeting (July 2014)
3. Paramedic Program accreditation status
 - A. Submitted CSSR documents to Accreditation agency
 - B. Site visit soon
4. National Registry of EMT's testing/results
 - A. Paramedic interns from the 2014 class took the exam earlier this year
 1. 8 of 9 interns passed the cognitive exam (89%) 1 student is eligible to retake the exam
 2. All graduates passed the NREMT psychomotor exam
 - B. Emergency Medical Technician testing/results *1 GENERIC COURSE @ IVC FIRE*
 1. 47/70 EMT students passed the NREMT cognitive exam in 1Q 2014-1Q 2015 (67%). 23/70 EMT students have not passed the exam (33%) but are eligible to retake the exam.
5. How are we doing and how will we improve?
 - A. IVC's strengths and weak areas as defined by the comparing 7/2012-7/2015 NREMT cognitive (computer adaptive testing) exam data:

IVC Paramedic Results:

Topic	Above Passing	Near Passing	Below Passing
Airway	26 (59%)	8 (18%)	10 (23%)
Cardiology	24 (55%)	11 (25%)	9 (20%)
Trauma	27 (61%)	6 (14%)	11 (25%)
Medical	23 (52%)	11 (25%)	10 (23%)
EMS Ops.	24 (55%)	9 (20%)	11 (25%)

National Paramedic Results:

Topic	Above Passing	Near Passing	Below Passing
Airway	50%	21%	29%
Cardiology	48%	24%	28%
Trauma	51%	21%	28%
Medical	49%	22%	30%
EMS Ops.	51%	21%	28%

B. Trauma & Medical calls are a significant portion of our emergency calls in this County. We will continue to train our paramedic intern with the latest information available for assessing and managing both trauma & medical patients. We will add more "Immediate Action Drills" to better prepare interns for trauma/cardiorespiratory related incidents. In the 2015 class, we have already emphasized the importance of EMS Operations and will watch to see if this score improves with the current class.