

**Quality Assurance Workgroup
Pre-Hospital Highlights
Feb 14, 2011**

Attendees: Dr. Brian Froelke, Susan Crumm, Shirley Gastler, Jason White, Mike Hicks, James Baysinger, Rich Danridge, Mike Wallace, Cindy Gillam, Rob Newcomb, Kaisey Martin, Ruby Mehrer, Dr. Samar Muzaffar.

The group discussed 4 goals of data elements.

The Bureau collects 125 data points. Group will need to make the decision on whether to modify this list or add to it. It was discussed that the data element definition needs to be determined, and also if the identifier matched the common terminology.

Patient tracking: the cost that Kansas City used was around \$1 million for initial cost, and then \$70,000 to maintain.

The group spoke of how the initial ambulance report should follow the patient throughout the system.

Who is reporting and who is not reporting from the ground/air ambulance will need to be determined.

June 30, 2011 there will be a face to face meeting in Jefferson City.

The next meeting for the Pre-Hospital subgroup will be on March 21, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. by phone conference.