Just in Time Training Resources for EMT SARS-CoV-2 Vaccinators NHTSA Office of EMS February 7, 2021

These resources can serve as just in time training for vaccination programs utilizing emergency medical technicians:

Training video on COVID-19 intramuscular vaccine administration

youtube.com/watch?v=NcyGWMP7z3c

This video created by the Maryland Institute of Emergency Medical Services Systems (MIEMSS) can be used to provide EMTs with didactic knowledge to administer IM injections. With the exception of the MIEMSS link referenced in the video, it can be used by EMTs in any state or territory. It should be accompanied by a skills assessment, which is discussed below.

Intramuscular Injection Skill Checklist

<u>ems.gov/files/EMT_Vaccinator_Proficiency_Validation_Form.xlsx</u> A clinical skills assessment checklist for EMTs preparing to administer IM injections.

SARS-CoV-2 Vaccine Training for EMTs

<u>ems.gov/pdf/COVID-19 Vaccine Administration Training for EMTs.pdf</u> A written description of the skills required of EMTs to administer the vaccine.

Moderna and Pfizer Vaccine Comparison

<u>ems.gov/pdf/Contrast_Pfizer_Moderna_Vaccines.pdf</u> A simple side-by-side comparison of the Pfizer and Moderna SARS-CoV-2 vaccines

Vaccine Update Video

youtu.be/iLRlyWZIMs0

In this presentation from late January 2021, Florida State EMS Medical Director Kenneth Scheppke, MD, provides an overview of the latest science related to COVID vaccines.

COVID-19 Vaccination Training Programs and Reference Materials for Healthcare Professionals

<u>ems.gov/pdf/CDC_COVID-19_Vaccination_Training_and_Resources_for_HCPs.pdf</u> CDC recommended resources to prepare healthcare workers to administer COVID-19 vaccines.

EMS Vaccine Administration Program Manual

<u>ems.gov/pdf/Hoosier_Homebound_EMS_Vaccine_Administration_Program_Manual.pdf</u> This guide from the State of Indiana can serve as a resource to help state and local officials and EMS organizations with the creation and implementation of EMS vaccination programs.