



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Mississippi Trauma Advisory Committee
Minutes

August 26, 2009

10:00 a.m.

1150 Lakeland Drive, Jackson, MS

Members Present

- **William "Pete" Avara, MD**
 - **Rick Carlton, MD**
 - **John Nelson, MD**
 - **Bennie Wright, MD**
 - **Clyde Deschamp, PhD, NREMT-P**
 - **Douglas Higginbotham**
 - **Jerry Howell**
 - **Amber Kyle, RN**
 - **H.S. "Butch" McMillan**
 - **Josh Wenzel, NREMT-P**
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Agenda

- **Call to Order/Acceptance of Minutes**
 - Meeting called to order by Dr. Pete Avara at 10:15 a.m.
 - Minutes approved with one addition.
 - **Trauma System Update**
 - Report by Alisa Williams on MEMSIS/Trauma Registry integration.
 - Report by Carrie McFarland on the Trauma Registry.
 - **Region reports**
 - Delta Region report by Gerry Whitfield.
 - North Region report by Susan Perrigin.
 - Central Region report by Dr. Rick Carlton.
 - Southwest Region report by Jimmy McManus.
 - Southeast Region report by Wade Spruill.
 - Coast Region report by Gail Thomas.
 - No report by East Central Region.
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- **Play or Pay**

- Report by Jim Craig on J.M. Still Burn Clinic at Crossgates River Oaks Hospital.
- Report by Jim Craig on State PI committee.
- Report by Jim Craig on Play or Pay process.

- **Subcommittee Reports**

- Report by Amber Kyle on Rules and Regulations Subcommittee.
- Changes to Rules and Regulations approved.

- **Trauma Care Trust Fund**

- Report by Jim Craig on multiple distributions.

- **Executive Session**

- Trauma Center inspection reports/recommendations.

- **Adjournment**
