

EMS Assessment

Stakeholders	Descriptions	HDSP Implications
State EMS Office		
▶ Organizational Placement		
▶ Director		
▶ Medical Director		
▶ Function/Authority		
▶ Data System(s)		
▶ Education/Training		

Stakeholders	Descriptions	HDSP Implications
State 9-1-1 Coordination		
▶ Organizational Placement		
▶ Relationship to EMS Office		
▶ Function/Authority		
▶ Availability of E/WE 9-1-1		
Office of Rural Health		
▶ Involvement in EMS		

Stakeholders	Descriptions	HDSP Implications
Local EMS Agencies & Providers		
▶ Organization		
▶ Model(s): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Governmental (e.g., EMS, fire) ○ Private contractor (e.g., for-profit, non-profit) 		
▶ Provider(s): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Paid ○ Volunteer ○ Full- Part-time 		
▶ Medical Directors and functions		
▶ Protocols		

Strategic Opportunities

- Stroke System Planning
- Stroke Task Force
- Recent increase in CMS reimbursement for stroke care
- Opportunities to leverage Bioterrorism/Emergency Preparedness resources
- EMS interest in increasing public awareness of signs/symptoms
- EMS collaboration in designating Healthy Heart Communities
- Other