

STATE OF IOWA DEPARTMENT OF

Health <sup>AND</sup> Human

SERVICES

# Trauma Program Manager Webinar

Registry Workgroup – open floor

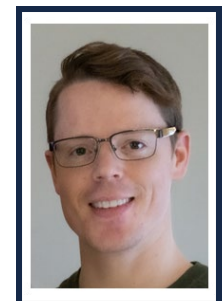
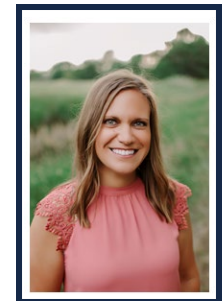
January 26, 2023

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# Updates from the State

# Trauma Program Staff

- Bureau Chief – Margot McComas
- Trauma Executive Officer / TPM – Jill Wheeler
- Trauma System Coordinator – Vacant
- Statistical Research Analyst – Danny Dowd





A-Z Services 	Public Health Popular Links 	Public Health General Links 	Your Life Iowa 
Medicaid 	Apply for Services 	Public Calendar 	
Family Services	Assistance Programs	Disaster Assistance	Vital Records

- New Iowa HHS website is live
- Reflects the alignment between IDPH and DHS
- Emergency & Trauma can be found in “Public Health Popular Links”

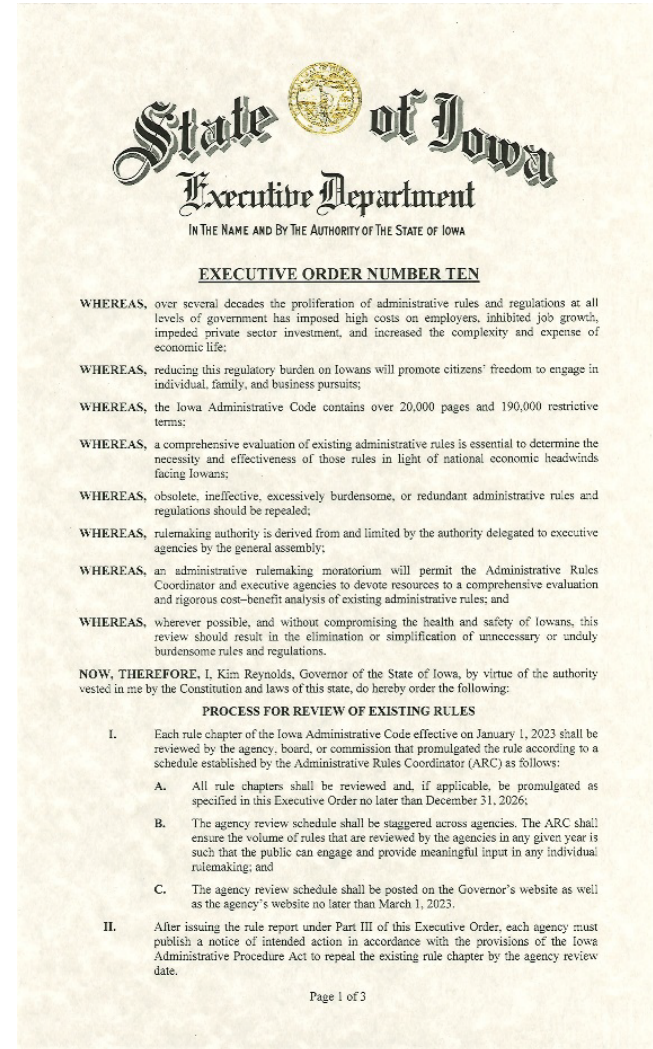
# BEMTS Newsletter Launch



- Quarterly & PRN cadence
- Contains:
  - Staff spotlight
  - EMS regulatory info/updates
  - Trauma regulatory info/updates
  - Program work
  - Data
  - Legislative updates related to EMS and Trauma
  - ...and more

# Legislative Corner

- Governor signed Executive Order Number 10, putting a moratorium on administrative rulemaking and instituting a comprehensive review of all existing administrative rules.
- We will communicate with EMS and Trauma stakeholders as additional information is available.
- For now, any future updates to our administrative rules that govern EMS and Trauma will follow the moratorium and administrative rules process.



# Legislative Corner

- A Rural Emergency Hospital (REH) bill was reviewed during pre-session that has REH defined under 135B, which is consistent with our trauma administrative rules and would still keep REH's under the trauma system rules.
  - What does this mean? We anticipate any hospitals transitioning to the REH designation will still be required to maintain Level IV trauma care facility requirements.

# TSAC Updates from January Meeting

- Verification subcommittee work is ongoing related to *Resources for Optimal Care of the Injured Patient (2022 Standards)* “charcoal book”
  - Level III’s and IV’s: continue to follow 2014 “orange book” guidelines until further notice
  - Level I’s and II’s: the ACS COT has released a [change log](#) (Dec 2022) to further clarify/change some of the 2022 Standards
  - ACS-verified centers will be using the new standards effective Sept. 2023
- System Development subcommittee
  - [State Trauma Plan DRAFT](#) is open for feedback through the end of February
- Triage and Transport subcommittee
  - Working through updates to Out of Hospital Trauma Triage Destination Decision Protocol (OOHTTDDP) based on new [National guidelines](#)



# Education from BETS

- State Trauma & Preparedness Conference
  - Transitioning to an every other year cadence
  - Next one in 2024
- Plans for funding AAAM AIS courses to TPMs/Coordinators/Registrars in Spring 2023
  - Meeting resistance in communication with AAAM staff
- Possible Trauma Registry Courses
- Possible TPM Course or TOPIC
- Continue partnership with IHA to offer CEU's for select webinars



# Trauma System Advisory Council Meetings

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month 1:00-4:00pm
  - April 18, 2023 – (calendar invite already sent)
  - July 18, 2023
  - October 17, 2023
  - January 16, 2024
  - April 16, 2024

# TSAC

# Monthly State TPM Webinar Series

- Typically 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month 10:00-11:00am
  
- New meeting invites coming for the remainder of 2023
  - Plan for these next few:
    - February 24
    - March 24
    - April 28
    - May 26

# Upcoming Events

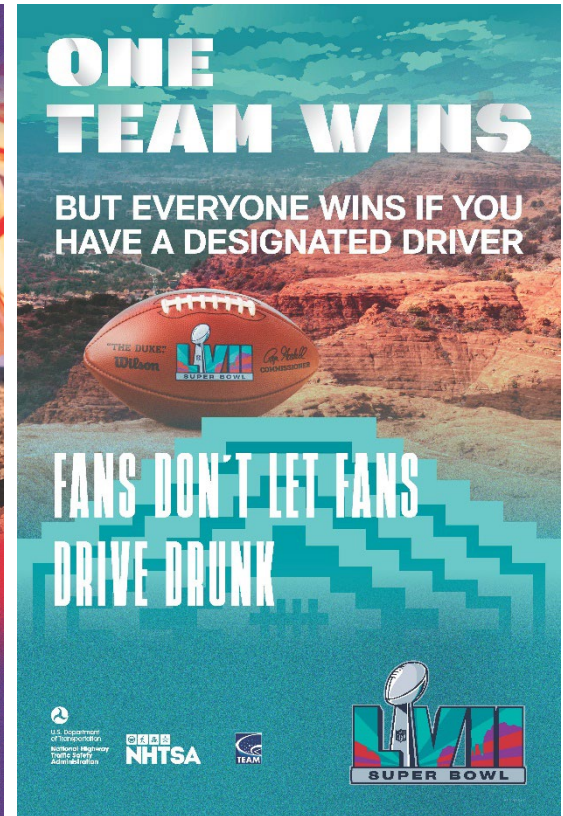
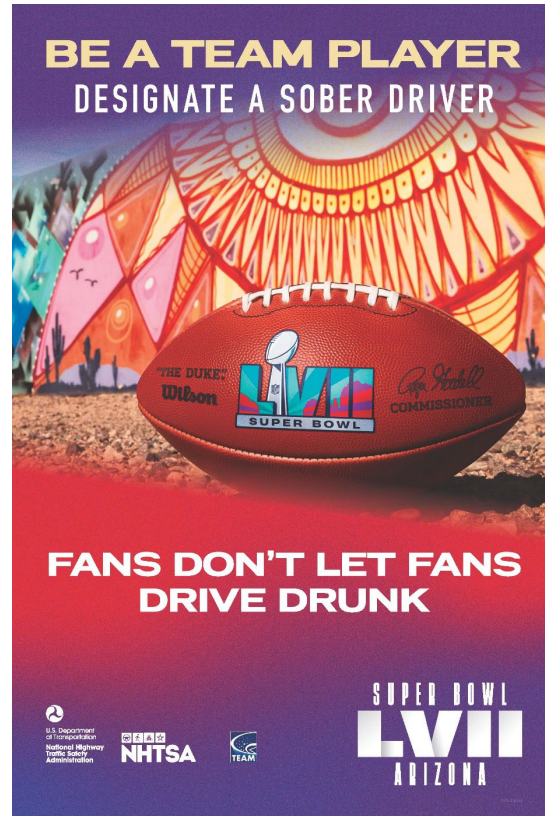
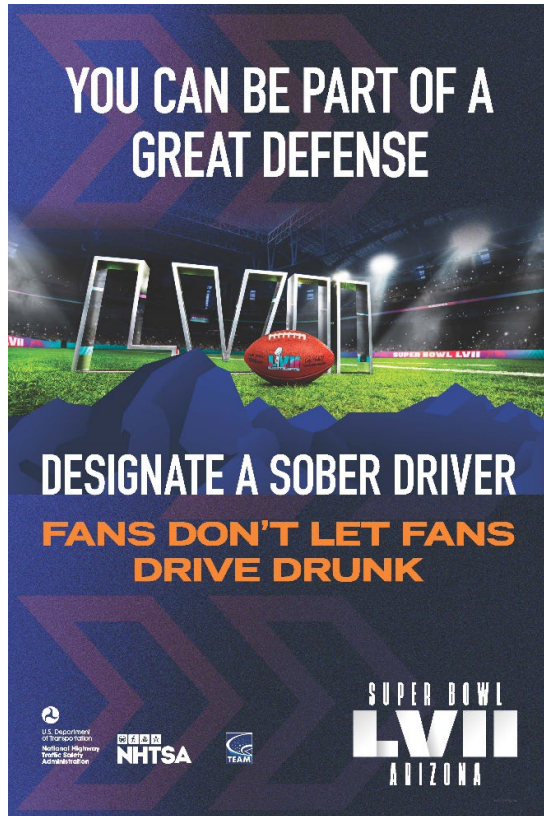
And Injury Prevention Materials

# Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) Webinar

- **What:** Addressing Partner Inflicted Brain Injuries With a Health Equity Lens
- **When:** January 31 @ 1200-1330
- **Where:** Zoom
- **Speakers:** Rachel Ramirez + panel
- **Cost:** FREE



# NHTSA Super Bowl Drunk Driving Prevention Campaign – February 12, 2023



# ATS Trauma Registry Webinar



**TRAUMA REGISTRY WEBINAR**

## HOW TO CODE: MY ACHY BREAKY HEART

Tuesday, February 14th ❤️ 1:00 PM ET

**PRESENTERS:**  
Amanda Truelove, RHIA, CSTR and Trauma Data Analyst, TQIP Coordinator at St. Louis Children's Hospital  
Jane McCormack, RN, BSN, CSTR, TCRN and Trauma Program Manager for Long Island Community Hospital

A cartoon illustration of Cupid with blonde curly hair, wings, and a bow, flying through a blue sky with white clouds. Below him, a red heart character with a sad expression, a yellow bandage on its forehead, and a white bandage on its arm, stands on a patch of green grass. The heart character is holding a stethoscope.

- Free for ATS Members and \$25 for non-members
- [www.amtrauma.org](http://www.amtrauma.org)



# When the Dust Settles

**31st Annual Best Practices in  
Brain Injury Services Conference**

**March 2-3, 2023 | Des Moines, IA**



# ImageTrend Open Floor Facilitation



# Questions

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