

Prehospital Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator

The Pennsylvania PECC project has been developed to support EMS agency preparedness and safe delivery of pediatric care across the commonwealth. Our mission is to **build, implement, and support resources assuring pediatric prepared and confident Emergency Medical Services providers deliver the highest quality care to the pediatric population in Pennsylvania.**



A designated individual(s) who coordinates pediatric emergency care need not be dedicated solely to this role; it can be an individual(s) already in place who assumes this role as part of their existing duties. The individual(s) may be a member of your agency, or work at a community or regional level and serve more than one agency.

Whether your agency is urban, rural, volunteer or paid, a PECC model can fit your agencies needs.

- Agency model: Individual within the agency who solely as responsibility for the role either dedicated or as an additional duty OR multiple individuals within an agency sharing the role.
- Community model: a community collaborative, individual or team, shared between more than one EMS agency and can include community healthcare resources such as hospitals.
- Regional model: a regional collaborative between EMS agencies and a regional partner such as a healthcare system or EMS Council.

For more information go to www.papec.org or contact pecc@pehsc.org

The Prehospital Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator can work from an a-la-cart style menu of various objectives to support the delivery of quality and safe pediatric care.

Objectives Menu

Education

Family Centered Care

Skill Verification

Disaster preparedness

Medication, equipment and supply readiness

Quality Improvement

Research participation

Protocol development

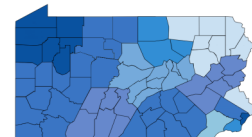
Hospital liaison

Volunteer Recognition

Program coordination

Case review and feedback

Regional EMS Councils can assist with coordination when EMS agencies lack the necessary resources to support a PECC internally.



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