



American College of Emergency Physicians  
**Emergency Medicine Workforce Meeting**  
*ACEP25*  
September 7, 2025  
MINUTES

PENDING - THESE MINUTES WERE APPROVED BY THE SECTION CHAIR AND ARE PENDING APPROVAL BY THE EMERGENCY MEDICINE WORKFORCE SECTION AT THE ACEP25 MEETING. ANY CHANGES WILL APPEAR IN THE MINUTES OF THAT MEETING.

## Participants

Section members participating for all or part of the meeting included: Ricki Brown, immediate past chair/councillor; Harry Severance, chair; Sean Codier, chair elect.

Others participating for all or part of the meeting included: Jonathan Fisher, ACEP staff; and Tranae Brown, ACEP staff.

## Agenda

- Welcome and Introduction Ricki Brown, MD, FACEP
- Accreditation Marianne Gausche- Hill, MD
- Future Direction Harry Severance, MD
- Call for Nominations & Election Results Ricki Brown, MD, FACEP
  - Chair - Harry Severance, MD
  - Chair Elect – Sean Codier, DO
  - Past Chair & Councilor - Ricki Brown-Forestiere, MD, FACEP
  - Secretary - open
  - Newsletter - open
- Adjourn to Networking and Section Crawl

## Major Points Discussed

Dr. Brown welcomed everyone to the meeting and introduced Dr. Gausche-Hill, the speaker for the Accreditation Program. Dr. Gausche-Hill presented on Emergency Department Accreditation, emphasizing the importance of promoting quality, safety, workforce improvement, and addressing current concerns within the Emergency Department (ED).

Following Dr. Gausche-Hill's presentation, section members posed questions, leading to an insightful discussion on workforce improvement and the potential impact of accreditation on ED staff in light of upcoming legislative changes.

Subsequently, Dr. Severance led a discussion on the future direction of the section. The meeting focused on planning for next year and exploring ways for ACEP and section members to become more actively involved in the issues that are dominating the workplace. With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned, allowing attendees to network and participate in the Section Crawl.

