Land Ambulance Service Review



Community Services Committee Meeting

April 15, 2013



Presented by: Joseph Nicholls, Deputy Chief, Emergency Services



- The Ambulance Act states: no person shall operate an Ambulance Service unless:
- Certified by the MOHLTC, Emergency Health Services Branch
- compliant with legislation and regulations
- Land Ambulance Certification Standards reviewed every three years









Administration

Employee Qualifications
Documentation
Policies & Procedures
Service Review Program





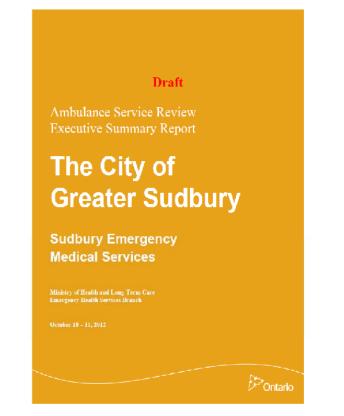


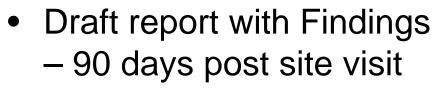


- MOHLTC requests documents in advance of site visit
- ASR Team attends the Service for two-day inspection
 - Exit interview overview of ASR Findings









- Service responds to Findings with Action Plan

 within 30 days
- Follow-up inspection to review Action Plan progress





Greater Sudbury EMS Commended for:

- thorough ASR preparation
- well organized employee files









- detailed training program
- documentation tracking tool e-Pro











 Of the 230 ambulance call reports reviewed, only 15 or 6.5% suggest patient care was not provided in accordance with standards.

"The Service Provider is commended for these documental findings."













Questions?



