



## Regional EMS Stroke Committee



Dear EMS Colleagues,

We are excited to invite dedicated EMS providers from local agencies to join the **Regional EMS Stroke Committee**, a collaborative initiative between **Catholic Health** and **Kaleida Health**. This joint venture is committed to enhancing stroke education, strengthening prehospital care, and improving outcomes for patients across our region.

As part of this effort, the committee will promote the use of the **BEFAST Stroke Scale**, recently approved by WREMAC, and support ongoing stroke-related training, quality improvement, and interagency collaboration.

We are seeking EMS professionals who are passionate about clinical excellence, education, and advancing stroke care in the prehospital setting. Committee members will contribute valuable field perspectives and help shape educational outreach, best practices, and regional stroke initiatives.

If you are interested in joining the Regional EMS Stroke Committee or would like more information, please contact:

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Your participation will play an important role in improving stroke recognition and care throughout Western New York. Thank you for your commitment to the communities we serve.

Sincerely,  
*Regional EMS Stroke Committee*