Goal A: The Region will support and enhance existing educational programs while exploring additional avenues to provide high quality education. This will include pre-hospital, facility, BLS and ALS education as needed by local stakeholders.

Objective 1. Work with Regional stakeholders to continue the successes achieved with the rural EMS/Trauma conference.

Objective 2. Work with Regional trauma facilities to enhance the relationship between healthcare systems through increased educational opportunities and improved patient care. This will include the possibility of a rural nursing conference.

Objective 3. Work with local stakeholders to provide high quality educational opportunities for BLS/ALS providers in the urban environment. This will include the possibility of an ALS Conference in Teller County.

Objective 4. Work with Regional stakeholders to develop and provide a clearinghouse of educational opportunities within the Region.

Goal B: The Region will work with ground transport services to enhance the knowledge and understanding of pertinent financial and operational aspects of health care. Research regarding facility needs will grow from this initial groundwork with agencies.

Objective 1. Obtain education for RETAC staff to better provide technical support for agencies.

Objective 2. Research the specific knowledge and needs of agencies regarding financial aspects of services across the region.

Objective 3. Consider the development of a Financial Conference in the region to provide education for agencies about pertinent aspects of health care finance and operations.

Goal C: The Region will work to enhance the knowledge base of all stakeholders about current and pending rules and legislation which could affect any aspect of the EMTS system.

Objective 1. Work with Regional stakeholders to increase knowledge and participation in the rule making and legislative processes.

Objective 2. Develop a cadre of stakeholders available to advocate for all agencies in the region.

Objective 3. Create a network and clearinghouse for information regarding rules and legislation which would be available to all stakeholders.

Goal D: The RETAC will continue to support the Regional Medical Direction/Continuous Quality Improvement programs. These efforts will enhance the delivery of high quality emergency care across the Region.

Objective 1. Continue to support the Regional CQI Committee

Objective 2. Assist agencies in implementing and conducting QA/QI processes that meets the requirement as set forth in legislation to comply with rules regarding discovery.

Objective 3. Assist with delivery of regional protocols to rural agencies in the most appropriate method for the involved agency.

Goal E: The RETAC will work collaboratively with local stakeholders to implement effective recruitment and retention programs.

Objective 1. Continue to support and enhance the [www.joinEMS.info](http://www.joinEMS.info) website

Objective 2. Provide technical assistance to local stakeholders for the development and enhancement of programs.