

Base Hospital Team Best in the World at Advanced Level Pre-hospital Care

Representing Canada, the Southwest Ontario Regional Base Hospital Program took first place in an international championship of emergency medical service (EMS) paramedics which included 45 teams from 15 countries and was held from June 6 to 9 in the Carmel and Gilboa regions of Israel.



With temperatures reaching over 40 degrees Celsius, the competition included 12 full scale clinical and non-clinical simulations over two days, the purpose of which was to provide an opportunity for countries around the world to learn from each other on best practices for paramedic training, education and pre-hospital emergency care.

Additionally, the win identified the Base Hospital team as the best in the world at the advanced level of pre-hospital care.

Congratulations are extended to the team members Jeff Conway, Advanced Care Paramedic, London-Middlesex, Dwayne Cotel, Advanced Care Paramedic and Regional Paramedic Educator, Base Hospital, Dr. Yaniv Berliner, LHSC Emergency Physician, and Severo Rodriguez, Program Manager, Base Hospital.

Says Rodriguez, "It was a privilege to represent our communities and country. To hear the Canadian national anthem played in honour of our victory was the thrill of a lifetime for team members."

This article has been provided by The Page: LHSC Online Staff Newsletter

