## Central East Prehospital Care Program MEMORANDUM

TO: All Durham Region EMS paramedics

FROM: Dr R. Vandersluis

Chair, Medical Advisory Committee CEPCP

DATE: 2012 02 06

RE: ROC CCC trial GOES LIVE

It is now confirmed, on **February 15<sup>th</sup>**, **2012** with the start of day shift, we will go "live" with the Continuous Compressions vs Standard CPR study and we will be starting with **Continuous Compressions**. Please note, in about 6 months we should be randomized again as to which approach we will take, continuous compressions or standard CPR.

We thank you for your patience with the implementation of this study, recognizing the training was completed as part of fall CME 2011. Should you have any questions regarding the study, please contact our office.

As reference, the medical directive for the study is attached.