

Northern Light Regional Health Centre

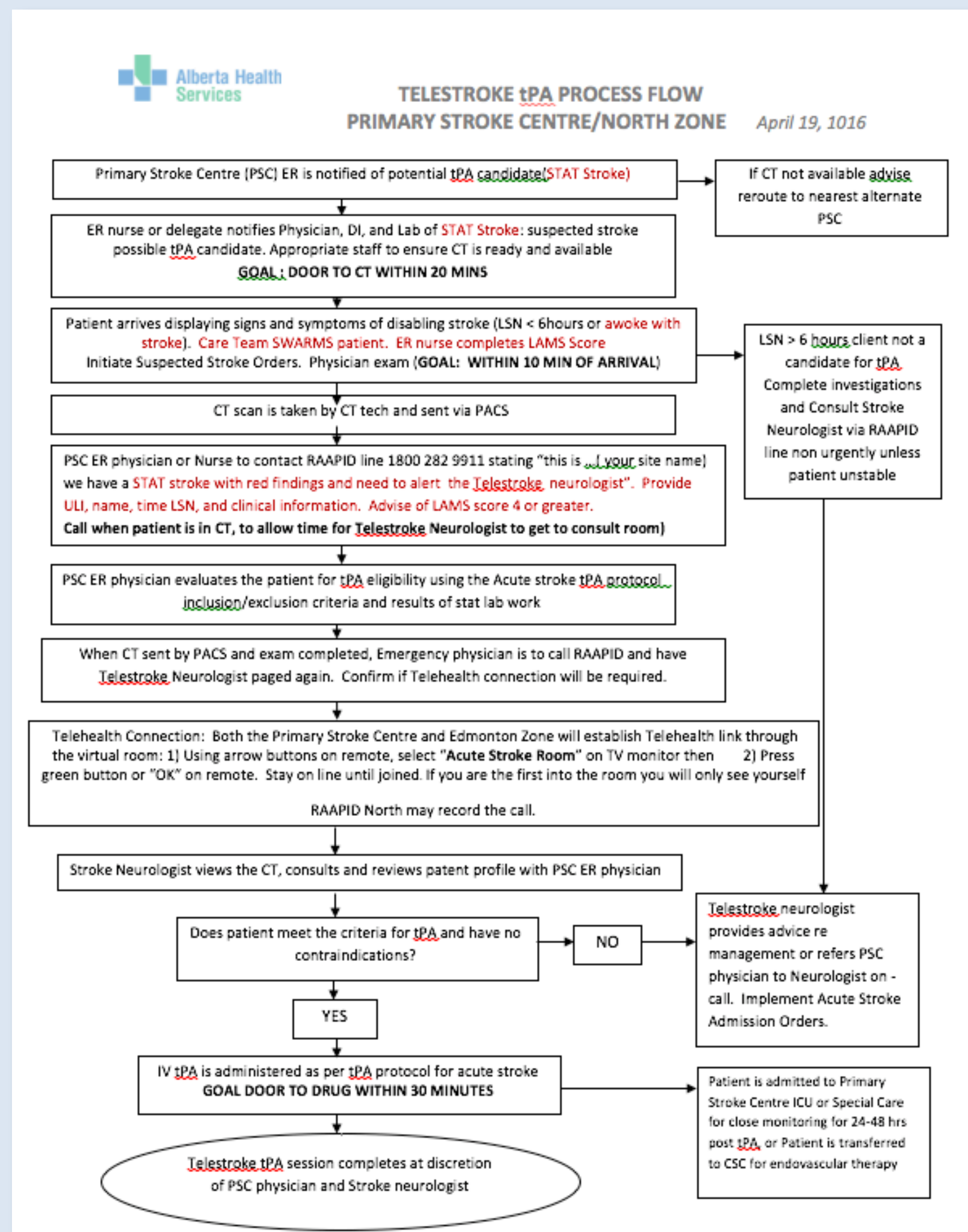
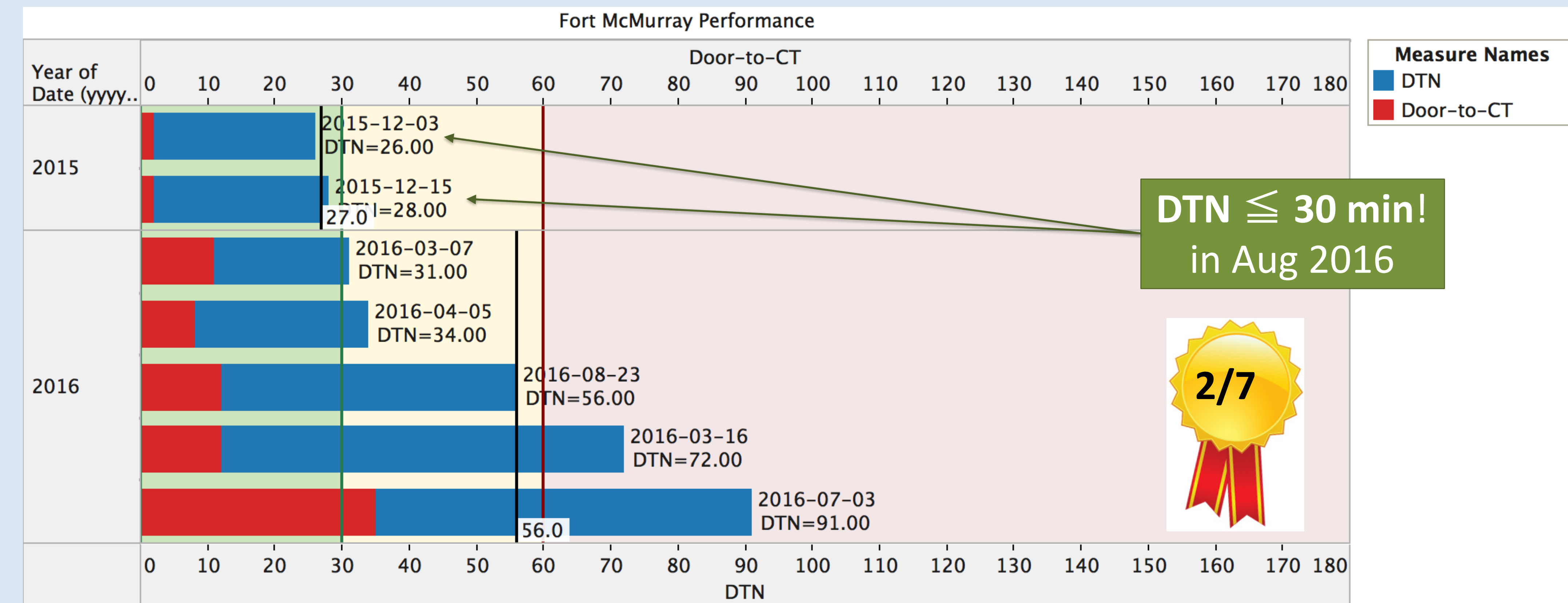


The Team

- **Philo King:** Stroke Navigator
- **Richard Ibach, MD:** Physician
- **Pam Lund:** ED Manager
- **Dawn Holloway:** Clinical Coordinator ED
- **Natalie Arsenault:** RN ED
- **Paul Linden, MD:** Physician
- **Tracy Boutilier:** EMS Representative
- **Winona Winsor:** DI
- **Dana Allen:** Assistant Deputy Chief of EMS

Changes Implemented

- Pre-notification from EMS to ER
- Patient registered before arrival
- Swarming
- Neuro assessment of client on ER stretcher
- Patient transported to CT via ER stretcher
- CT scans read by RAAPID neurologist



Stat Stroke Process Checklist		
Date: _____ ULI: _____		
Mode of Arrival: <input type="checkbox"/> Triage <input type="checkbox"/> Site Medic <input type="checkbox"/> EMS <input type="checkbox"/> Helicopter		
TIME	ACTION	COMMENTS
	Dispatch pre-notification (First positive screen)	
	CT Tech notified / called in (after hours)	
	EMS pre-notification of arrival	
	• Ask for name and ULI	
	Last seen normal time _____ OR	
	Woke with stroke Yes _____ No _____ Unknown _____	
	LAMS Score: _____ (Second positive screen)	
	CT tech notified of Stat Stroke	
	• Provided 2 patient identifiers (Name and ULI)	
	Patient arrived in ED	
	• Remained on EMS stretcher (if applicable)	
	• Swarm at EMS bay entrance (if applicable)	
	Pre-alert to RAAPID when patient en route to CT	
	• Request Tele Stroke neurologist to be paged	
	• RN to provide ULI and name to RAAPID	
	• Provide LAMS score if 4 or greater	
	• Chart generated and order entry for CT	
	Patient arrival in CT	
	CT head completed	
	CT angiogram completed (if applicable)	
	Patient returned to ED post CT	
	RAAPID advised of patient's return to ED	
	Physician assessment done	
	Inclusion/Exclusion criteria completed	
	Telestroke neurologist called back	
	tPA bolus dose given (if applicable)	
	tPA infusion started (if applicable)	
	Admit or Air transfer	Disposition:
	• if tPA given and not transferred to another facility, patient admitted to ICU only	
	Complication within 36 hours of tPA	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes

Suspected Stroke order-set NIHSS
 TIA order-set IV X2

