

Do It For Drew

Bradley Dean & David Hughes

SATURDAY KEYNOTE



Drew was in a skateboarding accident, but that wasn't what killed him.

He died after his brain was starved for oxygen by an ET tube, improperly inserted and not checked in the ambulance during an interfacility transport, as his oxygen saturation level crashed.

It's a heartbreaking story, and in our closing keynote, we will hear from Drew's father about the Do It for Drew Foundation he and his wife started to educate medical professionals in the hopes that similar situations of medical-care errors can be avoided.

Bradley Dean, one of your favorite Update speakers, is back to discuss this tragic case and what EMS professionals can learn from this call.



They will discuss appropriate crew resource management, post-intubation management and monitoring, use of and interpretation of capnography waveforms and how to deal with the death of your patient.

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2:45PM

Bradley Dean is the Battalion Chief over the Training Division for Rowan County Emergency Services in Salisbury, N.C. He also serves as the Paramedic Program Director for Rowan-Cabarrus Community College.

David Hughes is the father of Drew Hughes. He and his family run the ['Do It For Drew' foundation](#) promoting patient safety in health care. Hughes was a former N.C. Highway Patrolman who served his community in a variety of public safety initiatives.