



Trauma Activation Protocol – Go Live Date March 13, 2017

Pediatric Gold Alert: Unstable vital signs OR any of the following:

- GCS \leq 8 or deterioration of 2
- Airway/Respiratory compromise or any intubated trauma patient
- Age specific hypotension
- Tachycardia with poor perfusion
- Penetrating trauma proximal to the elbow or knee
- Need for more than 2 fluid boluses or 40 ml/kg fluid resuscitation (from time of injury)
- Received blood products
- Major burns (Burns >20% TBSA) or inhalation injury
- Injury with paralysis

Pediatric Trauma Alert: Stable airway and vital signs, WITH any of the following:

- GCS 9-14 or witnessed loss of consciousness >2 minutes; disorientation, confusion, combativeness
- MVC ejection/rollover or fatality within the same vehicle
- Blunt neck with bruising
- Falls > 10 feet or 2-3 times the height of the child
- Auto Vehicle vs. Pedestrian/ bicyclist/ Motorcycle/ ATV
- Abdominal pain/tenderness/seatbelt sign
- Moderate burns (10-20% TBSA) or isolated burns to the face, genitalia, perineum or over major joints
- Pelvic fracture
- Open or depressed skull fracture
- Long bone fracture x2

Pediatric Trauma Consult: Routine Transport with ED Evaluation and subsequent trauma notification:

- Non accidental injury
- Single long bone fracture (shaft)
- Moderate burns to hands, feet
- ED MD discretion