

EL DORADO COUNTY EMS AGENCY

TRAUMA TRIAGE CRITERIA REPORT FORM

Date: _____ Incident #: _____ Unit ID #: _____ Medic: _____

BASE CONTACT BEFORE DESTINATION DECISION: YES NO: _____

CRITERIA FOR ENTRY INTO TRAUMA SYSTEM (check all applicable)

Physiological Criteria:

- GCS: Less than 14
- Systolic BP: Less than 90 mmHG
- Respiratory Rate: < 10 or >29 (<20 for infants less than 1 year)

Anatomical Criteria:

- Penetrating injury of head, neck, torso, groin and extremities proximal to the elbow or knee
- Flail chest
- Spinal cord injury with paralysis
- Two or more fractured proximal long bones
- Amputation proximal to wrist or ankle
- Pelvic fractures
- Open or depressed skull fractures

Mechanism of Injury:

- Falls: Adults > 20 ft, Children > 10 ft or 2-3 times height of child
- Motor Vehicle Crash with > 12 inches intrusion in occupant site or 18 inches, any site
- Ejection (partial or complete) from a vehicle
- Death in same passenger compartment
- Vehicle Telemetry data consistent with high risk of injury; i.e. rollover
- Motorcycle crash >20 mph
- Auto vs. Pedestrian or Bicycle thrown, run over or with significant (> 20mph) impact
- Equestrian Accidents sustaining significant impact

Discretionary (Co-morbid Factors):

- Older adults: Risk of injury/death increases after age 55
- Children (14 or under): Should be transported preferentially to UCDCMC (peds trauma center)
- Anticoagulation and bleeding disorders
- Burns (without trauma closest appropriate hospital/with trauma to trauma center)
- Time sensitive extremity injury
- End stage renal disease requiring dialysis
- Pregnancy > 20 weeks
- Paramedic judgment: Describe:

ACTION TAKEN: Transport by Ground AIR Unit ID#: _____

Destination: MH BH UCD SRMC MSJ StMAR RMC

PLEASE FAX COMPLETED FORM TO BASE HOSPITAL COORDINATOR AT:

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Attn: Cate Neal