

**MEDCOM should be activated by calling 210-233-5815 within 30min of ED arrival when Trauma Alert (1-R or 2-B) criteria are met.**

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**ADMIN USE ONLY**

MEDCOM Case#

Time MEDCOM Notified:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Time of Injury: \_\_\_\_\_

Time of ED Admit: \_\_\_\_\_

Time MEDCOM Notified: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason for Transfer:**

☐ **Does NOT** meet Trauma Criteria (meeting trauma criteria is not required for transfer, please indicate reason for transfer):

☐ Needs Specialty Care (indicate what specialty) :

☐ ENT

☐ OMF

☐ Ophthalmology

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Or, Services not available at referring facility (explain): \_\_\_\_\_

☐ **Meets Trauma Criteria** - circle the below applicable red/blue criteria (meeting criteria is not required for transfer)

**PEDIATRIC RED CRITERIA**

(circle all that apply)

- R1** Unable to follow commands (GCS Motor Score < 6)
- R2** Respiratory distress or need for airway/ventilation support (more than supplemental O2) or room air pulse ox < 90%
- R3** Weak carotid/femoral pulse or absent distal pulses
- R4** ANY (BP < 90 age > 10)
- R5** Pelvic instability or chest wall instability or crepitus
- R6** Acute paralysis, loss of sensation, or suspected spinal cord injury
- R7** Amputation proximal to wrist or ankle
- R8** ≥ 5 BSA partial/full thickness burns  
Penetrating injury (i.e. GSW, stabbed, impalement) to head, neck, torso, extremities proximal to elbow or knee, excluding superficial wounds
- R9** Crushed, degloved, mangled, or pulseless injured extremity
- R10** Two or more proximal long bone fracture sites
- R11** Any active bleeding requiring a trouniquet or wound packing with continuous pressure
- R12** Skull deformity

**PEDIATRIC BLUE CRITERIA**

(circle all that apply)

- B1** Reliable history of any LOC and/or amnesia
- B5** Pregnancy >20 weeks
- B6** Single closed long bone fracture site
- B7** Falls > 2X the child's height or > 10 feet
- B9** Ejection from vehicle (excludes open vehicles)
- B10** Driver with deformed steering wheel
- B11** Death in same vehicle
- B12** Pedestrian, Bicycle/Scooter rider struck, run over or with significant impact
- B14** Weight <10kg (22lbs) or RED or PURPLE Broselow Tape Zone
- B15** Suspicion of non-accidental trauma
- B16** Rider separated from transport vehicle w/ significant impact (motorcycle, ATV, horse, scooter, ect.)
- B17** Child ages 0-9 years unrestrained or in a unsecured child safety seat (with injuries)

**The following information should be discussed during Physician to Physician report:**

- M** 1. Age/Sex
- I** 2. Mechanism of injury
- S** 3. Injuries (list head to toe); or Inspections (include pertinent medical history like use of anticoagulants)
- T** 4. Vital Signs
5. Treatment

**Receiving Facility Information for Memorandum of Transfer:**

**UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL**

4502 Medical Drive

San Antonio, TX 78229

University Hospital Patient Report: 210-743-5652

**BROOKE ARMY MEDICAL CENTER (AKA SAMMC)**

3551 Roger Brooke Drive

Fort Sam Houston, TX 78234 (San Antonio)

BAMC Patient Report: 210-916-0808

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**FAX Red/Blue Criteria and Face Sheet to: 210-233-5822 or 210-610-9584**

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### ADULT RED CRITERIA

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- R1** Unable to follow commands (GCS Motor Score < 6)
- R2** Respiratory distress or need for airway/ventilation support (more than supplemental O<sub>2</sub>) or room air pulse ox < 90%
- R3** No radial pulse AND heart rate ≥ 120, or heart rate greater than systolic BP (shock index > 1)
- R4** ANY BP < 90 systolic
- R5** Pelvic instability or chest wall instability or crepitus
- R6** Acute paralysis, loss of sensation, or suspected spinal cord injury
- R7** Amputation proximal to wrist or ankle
- R8** > 10% BSA partial / full thickness burns  
Penetrating injury (i.e. GSW, stabbed, impalement) to head,
- R9** neck torso, extremities proximal to elbow or knee, excluding superficial wounds.
- R10** Crushed, degloved, mangled or pulseless injured extremity
- R11** Two or more proximal long bone fracture sites
- R12** Any active bleeding requiring a tourniquet or wound packing with continuous pressure
- R13** Skull deformity

### ADULT BLUE CRITERIA

(circle all that apply)

- B1** Reliable loss of consciousness > 5 minutes
- B2** Sustained respiratory rate ≥ 30 or ≤ 10
- B5** Pregnancy > 20 weeks
- B6** Fracture to humerus or femur due to motor vehicle crash
- B7** Fall from ≥ 10 feet
- B9** Ejection from vehicle (excludes open vehicles)
- B10** Driver with deformed steering wheel
- B11** Death in same vehicle
- B12** Pedestrian, Bicycle/Scooter rider struck, run over or with significant impact
- B13** Patient on anticoagulation with a suspected TBI
- B16** Rider separated from transport vehicle w/ significant impact (motorcycle, ATV, horse, scooter, etc..)

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- S** 3. **Injuries** (list head to toe); or **Inspections** (include pertinent medical history like use of anticoagulants)
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- B2** Sustained respiratory rate > 30 or < 10
- B6** Fracture to the humerus or femur due to motor vehicle crash
- B7** Fall from >3 feet
- B8** Age ≥65
- B9** Ejection from vehicle (excludes open vehicles)
- B10** Driver with deformed steering wheel
- B11** Death in same vehicle
- B12** Pedestrian, Bicycle/Scooter rider struck, run over or with significant impact
- B13** Patient on anticoagulation with a suspected TBI (includes daily ASA use)
- B15** Significant injuries to two or more body systems
- B16** Rider separated from transport vehicle w/ significant impact (motorcycle, ATV, horse, scooter, etc.)

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