

# AGENDA

## **Time Critical Diagnosis-Trauma System Task Force Meeting-Conference Call January 28, 2009**

***NOTE: Due to inclement weather, the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services is holding a conference call and cancelling the group convening in Jefferson City.***

East Central, Southeast, Central Call-in Time: 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.  
Toll Free Call-in Number **866-630-9348** and Local Call in Number is 526-5622  
Southwest, Kansas City, Northwest Call-in Time: 1:00-3:00 p.m.  
Toll Free Call-in Number **866-630-9350** and Local Call in Number is 526-5712

**Please review the following documents on the Department's website and be ready for discussion:**

- 1) Draft Proposed Regulations for Level IV Trauma Centers\*(1/28/09 meeting, items number 4, 5, and 6)
- 2) Draft Trauma Classification Criteria\*(1/28/09 meeting, item number 11)
- 3) Proposed Draft Field Triage Protocol\* (1/28/09 meeting, item number 10)  
FYI: Copies of other Field Triage Protocols are included on the website for comparison to the proposed composite

**\*Review documents posted on Department website, January 28, 2009 Meeting  
[http://www.dhss.mo.gov/TCD\\_System/TaskForce.html](http://www.dhss.mo.gov/TCD_System/TaskForce.html)**

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## **Welcome and Roll Call**

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## **Overview of Level IV Centers Proposed Regulations**

Document 4: ***19 CSR 30-40.410 Definitions and Abbreviations Relating to Trauma Centers***  
Document 5: ***19 CSR 30-40.440 Trauma Center Designation Requirements***  
Document 6: ***19 CSR 30-40.450 Standards for Level IV Trauma Center Designation***

## **Discussion**

Review recommendation(s) and proposed action to establish level IV centers in Missouri.

1. Do the draft proposed regulations outline the criteria your region believes are appropriate for Level IV centers? Provide detail for those criteria to be:
    - Added,
    - Deleted, or
    - Modified.
  2. Does your region support Region IV regulations as discussed?
  3. What incentives could be created to increase the number of hospitals that participate in the system at one of the trauma center levels?
  4. What supports will out-of-hospital services need to assure that trauma patients after triaged are transferred to appropriate center level if add level IV centers.
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### **Overview of Proposed Draft Trauma Classification Criteria** (document 11, Department website)

#### **Discussion**

1. What modifications does your region propose for the draft classification criteria?
2. What strategies should be used to assure that facilities adopt common classification schemes?

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### **Overview of Proposed Draft Field Triage Protocol**(document 10, Department website)

#### **Discussion**

1. What modifications does your region propose for the field triage protocol?
2. What strategies should be used to assure that facilities adopt common protocols?

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### **Overview On- and Off-Line Medical Control, Pre-arrival Instructions (PAI) and Emergency Medical Dispatch**

#### **Discussion**

1. How is medical control used in your region currently both on-line and off-line?
2. What is generally in your region's PAI and EMD? When was the last time these were updated?

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### **Wrap-Up and Next Meeting**

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#### **Additional Instructions:**

- **If you have trouble connecting with the conference call line, please contact the Department at 573-526-0723.**
- **All meeting highlights and resource materials can be found on the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services website: [http://www.dhss.mo.gov/TCD\\_System/TaskForce.html](http://www.dhss.mo.gov/TCD_System/TaskForce.html)**