

SUBJECT: TRAUMA SERVICE CONSULTATION FOR THE COMMUNITY Date: 12/01/2007

I. **Authority:** Health & Safety Code, Division 2.5, Health and Safety Code, Section 1798.163.

II. **Purpose:** To establish the criteria for trauma consultation with community physicians.

III. **Policy**

A San Diego County Trauma Center shall provide:

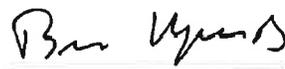
A. Medical consults with community physicians and providers regarding the immediate management of trauma patients.

B. Trauma care information, education and follow-up to other medical care providers in their service area on a routine basis. The Trauma Program Medical Director or designee shall meet with satellite hospital personnel for this purpose when necessary.

Approved:



Administrator



Medical Director