

**STATE EMS ADVISORY BOARD
TRAUMA SYSTEM COMMITTEES
INJURY AND VIOLENCE PREVENTION COMMITTEE**

August 1, 2024 at 15:00 p.m.

Embassy Suites Hotel, 2925 Emerywood Parkway, Richmond, VA 23294

- I. Call to Order –Chair Corri Miller-Hobbs
- II. Welcome and Introductions
- III. Approval of Today’s Agenda
- IV. Presentation of the Drive Smart Virginia program, Ms. Kristin Pettway
- V. IVP Workgroup update
- VI. Unfinished Business
- VII. New Business
- VIII. Adjourn

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Goals and Objectives

Goal 1: Use integrated data surveillance process to strengthen analyses, establish injury and violence prevention priorities and further statewide injury prevention efforts by trauma systems.

Objective ID	Objective
IVP 1.1	Use established databases to identify leading injury-related causes of morbidity and mortality.
IVP 1.2	Track and trend injury-related morbidity and mortality benchmarked against national data.
IVP 1.3	Identify high risk populations using existing data sources and public health tools.
IVP 1.4	Evaluate state trauma system through data analysis from existing data sources and public health tools.
IVP 1.5	Review data from key sources to identify gaps and review accomplishments to avoid duplication.
IVP 1.6	Develop a dashboard for continuous monitoring of injury-related morbidity and mortality status.

Goal 2: Integrate injury and violence prevention support by increasing opportunities for collaborative injury and violence prevention in all priority areas.

Objective ID	Objective
IVP 2.1	Build a sustainable infrastructure to provide leadership, data, and technical assistance for advancing injury and violence prevention in trauma systems
IVP 2.2	Develop and maintain active participation and partnerships with the lead injury prevention agency, Virginia Injury and Violence Prevention Collaborative

Goal 3: Implement a statewide injury and violence prevention initiative.

Objective ID	Objective
IVP 3.1	Assess the state trauma system's capacity to prevent injuries.
IVP 3.2	Establish a collaborative effort to provide statewide direction and focus on injury prevention among adults, children, and geriatrics

Trauma System Plan Task Force Mission, Vision, Values and Code of Conduct

Mission Statement

- To reduce the burden of preventable injury and to deliver the highest quality, evidence-based care for all within the Commonwealth along the continuum of care from the prehospital setting, through definitive acute care and rehabilitation with data analysis, quality improvement and ongoing funding.

Vision Statement

- The Commonwealth of Virginia trauma system will be a high quality, cost effective, accessible statewide system of injury prevention and trauma care for all.

Values

- Effective: Successful in producing the intended results in terms of injury prevention and optimal care to the injured in Virginia.
- Efficiency: The ability to perform a defined task or deliver a specific outcome with a minimum amount of waste, expense or unnecessary effort.
- Timely: Patients should experience no waits or delays in receiving care and service. Critical access facilities should experience no delay in consults or transferring injured patients.
- Safety: Avoiding harm to patients in the process of providing care for the medical condition needing treatment.
- Equitable: All citizens of and visitors to the Commonwealth should have equal access to high quality care.
- Patient Centered/Focused: Care that is respectful of and responsive to individual patient preference, needs and values and ensures that patient values guide all clinical decisions.

Code of Conduct

- Accountability: The obligation of one party to provide justification and be held responsible for their actions/results by another interested party.
- Commitment: Being bound emotionally or intellectually to a course of action.
- Compassion: Sympathetic consciousness of the suffering of the injured patients and concern for their loved ones, together with a desire to alleviate the suffering and its source.
- Collaboration: Health providers from different professions providing comprehensive services by working with people, their families, care providers, and communities to deliver the highest quality of care across settings.
- Honesty: Will not condone or engage in any behavior which would provide false or misleading statements to patients, their families and healthcare organizations related to the care of the patient.
- Transparency: Readily understood, honest and open; not secretive.
- Respectful Communication: Opinions, feelings and attitudes will be expressed honestly and in a way that respects the rights of others.