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Other Trauma Patient Care Services

This section demonstrates compliance with [WAC 246-976-700](#) requirements for patient care services in trauma programs. Check all that apply.

Level: Adult/Pediatric, All

- Section Item 1:** Written trauma service standards of care to ensure appropriate care throughout the facility for adult and/or
 Pediatric trauma patients.

Level: Adult/Pediatrics, I-III

- Section Item 2:** Respiratory therapy services (skip to Section Item 3 if not applicable), with a respiratory care practitioner available within five minutes of notification of patient's arrival.

Level: Adult/Pediatrics, I-III

- Section Item 3:** Anesthesiology services, with
- Board-certified anesthesiologists, [who]
 - Are available within five minutes of the trauma team leader's request.
 - Are ACLS trained except this does not apply to physicians board-certified in anesthesiology.
 - Meet the PER [five or seven hours every three-year designation period].

Or

- Certified registered nurse anesthetists (CRNAs), who:
- Are available within five minutes of the trauma team leader's request.
- Are on call and available within 20 minutes of the trauma team leader's request.
- Are on call and available within 30 minutes of the trauma team leader's request

And who:

- Are ACLS trained (does not apply to board-certified anesthesiologists)
- Meet the PER [five or seven hours every three-year designation period].

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Level: Adult/Pediatrics, I-III

Section Item 4: Operating room services, with:

- Hospital staff responsible for opening and preparing the operating room are available within five minutes of notification.
- Operating room staff on-call and available within 15 minutes of notification.
- Operating room staff on-call and available within 30 minutes of notification
- A written plan to mobilize additional surgical team members for trauma patient surgery.

Level IV trauma services that provide surgical services must meet all level III operating room service standards.

- Surgery services are not provided. All patients requiring surgery are transferred out to a designated trauma service with surgical services.

Section Item 5: Standard surgery instruments and equipment needed to perform operations on:

- Adult and/or
- Pediatric patients, including:
 - Autologous blood recovery and transfusion
 - Bronchoscopy capability
 - Cardiopulmonary bypass
 - Craniotomy set
 - Endoscopes
 - Rapid infusion capability
 - Thermal control equipment:
 - Blood and fluid warming
 - Patient warming and cooling

Level: Adult/Pediatrics, I-III

Section Item 6: Post anesthesia care (PACU) services with:

- At least one registered nurse is available 24 hours every day.
- At least one registered nurse on-call and available 24 hours every day.
- Registered nurses who are ACLS trained.

For level IV trauma services, PACU services must meet all level III standards if the facilities scope of care includes general surgery services 24 hours every day.

- PACU services not provided. All patients transferred to a designated trauma service with surgery services available.

Level: Adult/Pediatric, All

Section Item 7: Acute dialysis services, or

- Must transfer trauma patients needing dialysis.

Section Item 8: A burn center, in accordance with the American Burn Association (ABA), to care for burn patients, or

- Must transfer burn patients to a burn center, per ABA transfer guidelines.

Base responses to the items below on a snapshot of any one recent week.

Anesthesia—Education and Training

Physicians providing anesthesia care board-certified in anesthesiology

If education requirements are not met, upload an educational plan in the Supporting Documents section of the application that will meet compliance within six months.

a) Number of board-certified anesthesiologists providing trauma patient care who have accomplished the pediatric education requirement (PER):	
b) Total number of board-certified anesthesiologists providing trauma patient care:	
c) Percentage of board-certified anesthesiologists providing trauma patient care who have accomplished PER (Line A divided by Line B, then multiplied by 100)	

Physicians providing anesthesia care not board-certified in anesthesiology

If education requirements are not met, upload an educational plan in the Supporting Documents section of the application that will meet compliance within six months.

d) Number of physicians, who are not board-certified anesthesiologists and who provide anesthesia care to trauma patients, who have accomplished PER:	
e) Total number of physicians who are not board-certified anesthesiologists and who provide anesthesia care to trauma patients	
f) Percentage of physicians, who are not board-certified anesthesiologists and who provide anesthesia care to trauma patients, and have accomplished PER [Line d divided by Line e, then multiplied by 100]	
g) Number of physicians, who are not board-certified anesthesiologists and who provide anesthesia care to trauma patients, who are ACLS trained:	
h) Total number of physicians who are not board-certified anesthesiologists and who provide anesthesia care to trauma patients (this should be same as Line e. above)	
i) Percentage of physicians, who are not board-certified anesthesiologists and who provide anesthesia care to trauma patients, who are ACLS trained: [Line g divided by Line h, then multiplied by 100]	

Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetists

If education requirements are not met, upload an educational plan in the Supporting Documents section of the application that will meet compliance within six months.

j) Number of CRNAs who have accomplished PER:	
k) Total number of CRNAs providing anesthesia care to trauma patients:	

l) Percentage of CRNAs providing anesthesia care to trauma patients who have accomplished PER [Line j divided by Line k, then multiplied by 100]	
m) Number of CRNAs who are ACLS trained:	
n) Total number of CRNAs providing anesthesia care to trauma patients [this should be same as Line k above]	
o) Percentage of CRNAs providing anesthesia care to trauma patients who are ACLS trained [Line m divided by Line n, then multiplied by 100]	

Registered nurses in the Post-Anesthesia Care Unit

If education requirements are not met, upload an educational plan in the Supporting Documents section of the application that will meet compliance within six months.

p) Number of post-anesthesia care unit registered nurses (PACU RNs), providing care to trauma patients, who are ACLS trained:	
q) Total number of PACU RNs providing care to trauma patients	
r) Percentage of PACU RNs providing care to trauma patients who are ACLS trained (Line p divided by Line q, then multiplied by 100)	