

**Jersey City Medical Center – Department of Surgery, Division of Trauma
The Port Authority Heroes of 09/11 Trauma Center
MULTI-DISCIPLINARY TRAUMA COMMITTEE
January 25, 2012**

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I. Introduction	-Review of previous minutes, sent electronically. .	-None.	-None
OLD BUSINESS:			
1. Trauma Registry	-Scorecard presented. See attached. Year end review, compared to 2010 data. Increase in overall number, penetrating trauma, and ISS.	-Monthly presentations	-S.Maier, RN Registrar
2. Injury Prevention	-Carseat Inspection station with misuse rate of over 66%. Walk safe program: local TV news Hudson perinatal baby shower Palisades/Hoboken Mom's groups -See PowerPoint	-Monthly presentations	-Marissa Fisher, RN, Injury Prevention Coordinator.
3. Trauma Service / Trauma Team			
New H&P	-Updated Trauma H&P is in print, expected in 2 weeks. Attending's page will be separate, separate columns for diagnoses and plans to improve coding and coordination.	- F/U on delivery, send proof to Attendings & PAs	-J.Jones RN, TPM
CME/Meeting Attendance	-16 hours/year or 48 over 3 years trauma CME are required by Surgeons, ED MDs, and Trauma Subspecialty Liaisons. Meeting attendance of at least 50% is mandatory at Trauma Peer Review meetings.	-Separate e-mails will be sent to individual department heads	-B. Molino MD, Director of Trauma
NJTC	-Registry issues discussed. Determinations not made.	- F/U with state plans	-J.Jones, RN TPM

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Multidisciplinary Rounds	- Based on a recommendation from ACS, the Trauma Division will begin Multidisciplinary Rounds on Mondays. Goals of rounds will be to quickly dispo patients and coordinate their care.	Explanation e-mail and meeting request to be sent.	-J.Jones, RN TPM
ACS Complications	Complications Report Reviewed. Focus is still on ARDS, surgical site infections, CR-BSI, VAP.	Monitor and Trend	Committee
MTP Follow Up	Post-poned for further investigation and QA.		-J. Jones RN, TPM
NEW BUSINESS:			
Code OB Policy	-Code OB and OB-Trauma policy presented by C. Wade, RN, ED NM and Dr. Bimonte, this policy will allow overhead page alerts for an OB to respond to obstetric emergencies, including trauma, if needed. C. Wade to review with EMS for exact protocols.		-C. Wade RN NM ED
Trauma Conference:	-ED Thoracotomy by Dr. R. Brahmhatt.	-Monthly announcements.	- Jen Jones, RN, Trauma Program Manager.
OTHER BUSINESS/OPEN FORUM:			
M & M	-Immediately Follows this meeting.		Dr. B. Molino, Director of Trauma Surgery

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Being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 1:30 pm. The next meeting will be held on October 26 , 2011.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jennifer Jones, MSN, RN, CNL
Trauma Program Manager