

ADULT TRAUMA TEAM ACTIVATION CRITERIA

1. PHYSIOLOGIC CRITERIA

- Loss of vital signs
- Glasgow Coma Scale <12
- SBP <90 mmHg
- Ventilation compromise (RR <10 or >30) or requires intubation

OR

2. ANATOMIC CRITERIA

- Open or depressed skull fracture
- Severe facial injury with potential for airway compromise
- Suspected Spinal Cord Injury
- Chest wall instability or deformity
- Penetrating injury to head, neck, torso, or extremities proximal to elbows/knees
- Amputation proximal to elbows/knees
- Two or more long bone fractures
- crushed, degloved or mangled extremity

Yes

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NO

MECHANISM CRITERIA ONLY

- Fall >6 meters (20 feet)
- High risk MVC (highway speed, ejection, rollover, death in same vehicle)
- Pedestrian or cyclist struck by car
- ATV or Motorcycle MVC >30km/hr

Yes

**CONSIDER EDP
ASSESSMENT
or
DISCUSS WITH
TTL**