

2.5 Level I Pediatric Trauma Patient Volume Criteria—TYPE I

Applicable Levels

PTCI

Definition and Requirements

A Level I pediatric trauma center must care for 200 or more injured patients under 15 years of age per year.

Additional Information

For the purposes of this standard, a patient counts toward this volume criteria if they meet the NTDS inclusion criteria, which includes patients who meet the definition for observation status or are DOA.

Measures of Compliance

Admission data that demonstrate compliance for the reporting period

Resources

ACS NTDS Data Dictionary: <https://www.facs.org/quality-programs/trauma/tqp/center-programs/ntdb/ntds/data-dictionary>

References

None