4.14 Radiologist Access—TYPE I

Applicable Levels

LI, LII, LIII, PTCI, PTCII

Definition and Requirements

In all trauma centers, a radiologist must have access to patient images and be available for imaging interpretation, in person or by phone, within 30 minutes of request.

Additional Information

The time is measured from time of request to time of interpretation.

Measures of Compliance

- Radiology policy or guidelines
- Evaluated during the site visit process

Resources

None

References

None