

## NCRTAC Definitive Care Committee Minutes

Date: May 19, 2011

Location: Aspirus Hospital, Wausau, WI

Time: 10:05 – 10:25

Members Present: Dr. Iskander, Dr. Schertz, Dr. Clark, J. Keffeler, & T. Nichols

Recorder: Terry Nichols

Meeting Frequency	Will be only every other RTAC meeting; total of 3 times per year.
1/20/11 Objectives	Reviewed the 12 objectives developed by the NCRTAC committee (refer to attachment).
Revised Definitive Care Objectives	<p>After discussing the 1/20/11 objectives, the group agreed to take on the following 6 objectives:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Level III &amp; IV hospitals develop a list of what patients they are able to keep (ie provider specific).</li> <li>2. Level II hospitals develop a daily list (communicated to Connect here and/or ED) of what patients they can accept (ie provider specific) to prevent double transfer or multiple transfers.</li> <li>3. Establish guidelines of required diagnostic imaging of major trauma patients prior to transfer to a Level II hospital from a Level III or IV hospital.</li> <li>4. Annually review the State Triage &amp; Transport Guidelines to make any changes unique to the trauma population in the NCRTAC based on ongoing literature and PI activities.</li> <li>5. Establish a process for feedback to referring hospitals and prehospital providers from the receiving trauma service in a timely manner (keep as a standard agenda item).</li> <li>6. Provide direction to the PI Committee for data collection to improve care of trauma patients in the NCRTAC area.</li> </ol>
Next Definitive Care Meeting	September 15 <sup>th</sup>