Western Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee

Title: Adolescent Trauma Triage Guidelines

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Policy:	 Patients who are or who appear to be 15 years or older may be taken to Erie County Medical Center (ECMC). Patients who are or appear to be 18 years or younger may be taken to Women & Children's Hospital of Buffalo (WCHOB). Adolescent patients (15 to 18 years old) may be transported to ECMC or WCHOB at the discretion of the EMS provider and patient/family request. EMS providers should call the expected destination if they have any questions regarding the appropriate destination facility.
Procedure:	
Reference:	