

The Utstein Template for documenting and reporting in physician-staffed pre-hospital services

AIM: To establish a common core data set with definitions for activity documentation and shared research efforts. Core variables should be defined.

Proposals, first round (For an explanation of the terms and methodology please see the attached paper (Ringdal, Coats & Utstein, 2010))
 Structure your proposals for five core and up to five optional variables according to the six categories listed below. If the variable is core, it should be included in all reports. Each variable should be accompanied by an exact definition and from where the variable can be extracted (source of information), if applicable.

We strongly encourage use of the attached templates and datasets for definition purposes.

Data variables with exact definitions:

Fixed system variables.

Definition: Variables crucial for comparisons between services and/or countries. Ask yourself: "what would I like to know about my service?"

Data point nb	Data point	Core/optional	Variable categories	Source of information
1	Type of transportation	core		Type of transportation delivered
2	Highest level of patient care			
3	prehospital care at all			
4	prehospital airway management			
5	occupation/experience from provider/assistant			
6	trauma/internal/mix of missions, OB-GYN, newborn			
7	Number of missions/pat pr yr			
8	secondary missions-interhospital transfer, incubator			
9	24 hrs service/not			
10	state/commercial/private funded			
1	Educational level	Core	Predfined string: Type of education	When enrolling a service to
2	Training level	Core	Number: Number of years of training	Physician
3	In-hospital training	Core	Number: Number of months of training	Physician
4	In-hospital training in what type of setting	Optional	Pedfined string: Type of setting	Physician
5	Assistant	Core	Predfined string: When physician is present	Physician
6	Opening hours	Core	Predefined string: When physician is present	Physician

7	Equipment	Core	Predfined string: types of equipment	
1	inhab/km2	core		
2	median response time ambulance	core		
3	tier response	core		
1	crew composition	core	1 physician+1nurse 2 physician+2 nurses 3 physician	
2	MD-ALS unit hours per 100,000	core		
3	MD-ALS unit hours (service area)	core		
4	seniority and training of physician	core	free text	
5	Non MD-ALS unit hours per 100,00	core		
6	Non MD-ALS unit hours (service ar	optional		
1	Population	Core	Number	
2	Area	Core	Number	
3	Mission types	Core		
4	Vehicles available	Core		
5	Crew composition	Core		
6	Type of hospitals in coverage area	Optional		
1	inhab/km2	core		
2	median response time ambulance	core		
3	tier response	core		
1	Level of proficiency	Core	1 = Resident; 2 = Reg. s	Responding unit
2	Medical branch	Core	Ordinal	Responding unit
3	Number of medical personnel	Core	Continuous	Responding unit
4	Level of assisting personnel	Core	Ordinal	Responding unit
5	Mode of transportation	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
6	Categorization of missions	Optional	1 = Primary; 2 = Inter-h	Responding unit
7	Activation criteria	Optional	1 = criteria based; 2 = co	Responding unit
8	Nb of inhabitants	Optional	Continuous	Responding unit
9	Annual nb of responses	Optional	Continuous	Responding unit
1	Size of population served per unit	Core		
2	Response time	Core		
3	Percentage of physician assisted ru	Optional		
4	Area served per unit	Core		
5	Percentage of runs aborted en rout	Optional		
1	distance/time to trauma center			

2	Intubation rate	Core		
3	blunt/penetrating	Core		
4	type of prehospital care	Core		
5	M,W (s), Z statistic	Core		
6	ISS	Core		
1	experience of physician in HEMS	optional	yr	from system involved
2	fixed base		yes/no	from system involved
3	team composition	core	paramedic/nurse/HCM-pa	from system involved
4	dispatch system	core	alarm center/special HEM	from system involved
5	physician background	core	anesth/int med/trauma/	from system involved
6	mode of transport the team	core	helicopter/ambulance/ra	from system involved
1	Highest Level of EMS provider on scene	core	1 = EMS non-P 2 = EMS-P 3 = nurse 4 = physician non Anaesthesia trained 5 = Anaesthesia trained Emergency Physician	Highest level of EMS provider on scene, excluding any non-EMS personell (bystanders, family etc)
2	Rescue system	core	1 = fixed system, 2 = Rendez-vous system	
3	mode of transportation	core	1 = ground ambulance 2 = helicopter 3 = fixed-wing ambulance 4 = not transported 5 = unknown	Main type of transportation vehicle (if multiple chose vehicle used for the majority of the transportation phase)
1	Population / socio-demographic data	core		scoring according to inhabitants / km2
2	Geographic data	core		location of the emergency (i.e. public place, road, high
3	qualification of physicians	core		(i.e. anesthesiologist, ems physician...)

Event operational descriptors

Definition: Variables related to indication for dispatch, timelines for event and logistics.

Data point nb	Data point	Core/optional	Variable categories	Source of information
1	emergency, mandatory,			
2	time of day			
3	time of year			
4	type of transportation			
5	dispatch type, surgical, trauma, medical			
6	Time from alarm to arrival at scene			
1	Type of dispatch	Core	Predefined string:	Physician
2	Mission completion	Core	Predefined string:	Physician
3	Reason for aborted mission	Core	Predefined string:	Physician
4	Response time	Core	Number (minutes):	Physician
5	Driving time	Core	Number (minutes):	Physician
6	On scene time	Core	Number (minutes):	Physician
7	Transport time	Core	Number (minutes):	Physician
8	Delayed	Core	Yes/No:	Physician
9	Specific reasons for prolonged on s	Core	Predfined string:	Physician
10	Other resource on site +/- 5 minute	Core	Predfined string:	Physician
1	alarm time			
2	dispatch time			
3	dispatch code (level of acuity)			
4	arrival on scene			
5	departure from scene			
6	arrival hospital			
1	type of event	core	1medical 2 injury 3 unknown	
2	dispatch code	core	1a highest priority, cardiac arrest 1b highest priority 2	
3	verified code	optional	as above	
4	Time from alarm to arrival at scene	core		
5	Time from alarm to hospital arrival	optional		
6	Means of transport to scene	optional	1 ground ambulance 2 car 3 helicopter 4 other	
7	Scene time	core		
8	Patients treated by physician	optional	1 one 2 two 3 > two	
9	Total number of units dispatched	optional		
10	Date and time of call	core		
1	Mission/task type	Core		

2	Activation time (Alarm-vehicle mov	Core		
3	Response time (Vehicle moves-On	Core		
4	Mission not completed	Core		
5	Highest level of prehospital care pr	Optional		
1	alarm time			
2	dispatch time			
3	dispatch code (level of acuity)			
4	arrival on scene			
5	departure from scene			
6	arrival hospital			
1	Initial call receipt	Core	Hours and minutes	Initial public safety answerin
2	Activation of unit	Core	Hours and minutes	Responding unit or dispatch
3	Unit mobile	Optional	Hours and minutes	Responding unit or dispatch
4	Arrival on scene	Core	Hours and minutes	Responding unit or dispatch
5	Departure from scene	Core	Hours and minutes	Responding unit or dispatch
6	Arrival at receiving facility	Core	Hours and minutes	Responding unit or dispatch
7	Reason for dispatch	Optional	Nominal	Dispatch criteria
8	Type of transportation	Optional	Nominal	Responding unit
1	Alarm time	Core		
2	Dispatch time	Core		
3	Arrival at the scene	Optional		
4	Departure from scene	Optional		
5	Arrival at hospital	Optional		
6	Total time in service	Core		
1	High energy trauma	Core	by mechanism of trauma or by physiological paramete	
2	logistical reasons	Core		Distance or road traffic
3	Prehospital time	Core		
4	On scene times	Core		
1	dispatch time	core	min	case file
2	time to patient	core	min	case file
3	time at scene	core	min	case file
4	transport time	core	min	case file
5	way of transport	core	ambulance doc escort/am	case file
6	cancelled	core	no go/ no weather/on-rou	case file

7	cancelled from scene	core	no need/	case file
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9	time of mission	core	time of day	case file
1	Trauma	core	1 = traffic, 2 = occupational, 3 = leisure/sports, 4 = c	
2	Medical	core	1 = ACS, 2 = stroke, 3 = other cardiovascular, 4 = ai	
3	Paediatric	core	1 = airway/breathing, 2 = cardiovasc., 3 = seizure, 4	
4	Obstetric/gynecol.	core	1 = bleeding, 2 = eclampsia, 3 = pregnancy other	
5	mode of mission		1 = primary, 2= transfer	
6	type of destination hospital	core	1-3 = Level 1-3	
1	time logistics (utstein template dis)	core	times	
2	type of response	core	(i.e. ambulatory care, transport without physicians, t	
3	scoring of target hospital	core	i.e. comprehensive care, advanced care, basic care)	
4	dispatch diagnosis	core		
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Patient descriptors

Definition: Patient characteristics such as age, gender, co-morbidity eg.

Data point nb	Data point	Core/optional	Variable categories	Source of information
1	rts delta/MESS			
2	age			
3	gender			
4	ASA-PS			
5	co-morbidity			
6	prehospital airway management			
7	RR			
8	GCS			
9	Vital data before and after treatment			
10	SpO2			
1	Gender	Core	M/F	Physician
2	Age	Core	Number (years)	Physician
3	Co-morbidity	Core	String (predfined):	Physician

4	Drug-abuse	Core	String (predfined):	Physician
5	In trauma: position in vehicle	Core	String (predfined):	Physician
6	In medical: situation of patient	Core	String (predfined):	Physician
7	Medical problem (main reason for r	Core	ICD-10	Physician
8	Surgical problem (main reason for	Core	ICD-10	Physician
9	GCS	Core		Physician
10	RTS	Core		Physician
2	pain assesment	core		
1	Age	core		
2	gender	core		
3	comorbidity	core		
4	key diagnosis if medical	core		
5	mechanism of injury if injury	core	as from Utstein Trauma Registry + burns and drownin	
6	ISS if injury	core		
7	cardiac arrest	core	1 yes on arrival 2 yes after arrival 3 never	
8	AIS region(s) with score>2	optional	AIS regions	
9	GCS on arrival	optional		
10	SBP on arrival	optional		
1	Age	Core		
2	Gender	Core		
3	ASA-PS	Core		
4	Patient Category	Core		
5	Dominating type of injury	Optional		
6	Dominationg type of medical incide	Optional		
7	RTS			
1	Age	Core	Continuous	Responding unit or dispatch
2	Gender	Core	1 = Female; 2 = Male; 3	Responding unit or dispatch
3	Co-morbidity	Core	Ordinal (1-7) according to	Responding unit or main tre
4	Severity	Core	Ordinal (1-7) according to	Responding unit
5	Tentative diagnosis	Core	Ordinal	Responding unit
6	External causes	Core	Ordinal	Responding unit
7	Initial GCS	Core	Eye-, verbal- and motor-	Responding unit
8	GCS on admission	Optional	Eye-, verbal- and motor-	Responding unit
9	Initial RTS	Core	Ordinal (according to Uts	Responding unit

10	RTS on admission	Optional	Ordinal (according to Uts	Responding unit
1	Age	Core		
2	Gender	Core		
3	Alarm code	Core		
4	Preexisting ASA classification	Core		
5	Respiratory Rate	Optional		
6	Oxygen saturation	Optional		
7	Blood pressure (Sys and Diastol)	Optional		
8	GCS			
9	Survival status upon leaving patient			
1	Co-morbidity	Core		
2	age	Core		
3	gender	Core		
1	sex	core	male/female	case file
2	age	core	>1 yr, 1-5 yr, 5-15 yr, 16	case file
3	co-morbidity	core	ASA I-V	case file
4	reason for alarm		cardiac/seizure/trauma/..	case file
5	condition when met compared to al	core	same/worse/better	case file
6	GCS	core	3-15	case file
7	BP(systolic)	core		case file
8	HR	core		case file
9	rhytm	core	SR/FA/SVT/etc	case file
10	ICD 10 diagnose (rough)	core		case file
11	RTS (trauma pat)		0-12	case file
1	age	core		
2	gender	core		
3	severity	optional	NACA-Index	
4	GCS-category	core		
5	RTS	optional		
6	BP categories	optional	1 = >90, 2 = <90	
7	HR categories	optional	1 = <100, 2 = >100	
1	social situation	core	(i.e. homeless, deprivation, criminal background...)	
2	basic data	core	age, gender...	

Process mapping

Definition: Variables related to what happened to the patient, such as treatments and procedures performed.

Data point nb	Data point	Core/optional	Variable categories	Source of information
1	Time from alarm to arrival at scene			
2	Key intervention			
3	Airway management			
4	Drainage			
5	Sedated/medication			
6	Immobilised			
7	Hemostasis			
8	Ventilator			
9	Incubator			
10	CPR			
1	Other persons at site?	Core	Y/N	Physician
2	Basic medical help provided by bystander?	Core	Y/N	Physician
3	In CA: CPR started by bystander?	Core	Y/N	Physician
4	IN CA: Airway secured by other EMS?	Core	Y/N	Physician
5	If yes: type of airway management	Optional	String (predfined):	Physician
6	Diagnostic importance of physician?	Core	Y/N	Physician
7	Consequence: changed admittance?	Core	Y/N	Physician
8	Therapeutic importance of physician?	Core	Y/N	Physician
9	If yes: could treatment have been provided?	Core	Y/N	Physician
10	What type of treatment was provided?	Core	String (predfined):	Physician
1	securing the airway			
2	cricotomy			
3	trombolysis?			
4	cooling?			
1	intubation			
2	iv access			
3	intraosseus			
4	ultra sound exam			
5	blood test on scene			
6	pleural drainage			
1	procedures	core	1 IV line 2a IV drugs 2b fibrinolysis 3 nebulization 4 b	

2	immediate outcome	core	1 dead on scene-no treatment 2 dead on scene after t	
3	late outcome	core	1 alive 2 dead	
4	means of transportation to hospital	core	1 ground ambulance 2 helicopter 3 other	
5	bystander CPR	core	1 yes 2 no	
1	Airway management	Core		
2	Vascular access	Core		
3	Need for breathing support	Core		
4	Need for circulatory support	Core		
5	Type of transport	Core		
6	Type of admitting health facility	Optional		
1	intubation			
2	iv access			
3	intraosseus			
4	ultra sound exam			
5	blood test on scene			
6	pleural drainage			
1	Airway intervention	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
2	Vascular intervention	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
3	Medication	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
4	Surgical intervention	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
5	Diagnostic intervention	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
6	Other intervention	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
7	CPR	Core	Nominal	Responding unit
1	Tracheal intubation			
2	Supraglottic airway device			
3	Positive pressure ventilation			
4	i.v. access			
5	i.o. access			
6	Ultrasound diagnostics			
7	Blood sample on scene			
8	Thoracic drainage			
9	Enrollment in scientific protocol			
1	ISS	Core		
2	intubation	Core		

3	GCS	Core		
4	RTS	Core		
1	airway	core	open/LMA(LT)/ET/trach	case file
2	ventilation	core	spont//CPAP/hand assist/	case file
3	pleural decompression	core	no/needle/open/drainage	case file
4	ECG (13/12-lead)	core	yes/no	case file
5	infusion	core	colloid/cristalloid/blood p	case file
6	medications	core	analg/cardiac/sedation/in	case file
7	defibrillation	core	yes/no	case file
8	cardioversion	core	yes/no	case file
1	Response time	core	Number	
2	Scene time	core	Number	
3	Transport time	core	Number	
4	Non-invasive interventions	core	1 = iv access, 2 = io access, 3 = iv/io drug, 4 = oxygen	
5	Invasive interventions	core	1 = et intubation, 2 = cricothyrotomy, 3 = chest tube	
6	Monitoring	core	1 = BP, 2 = pulse oximetry, 3 = ECG, 4 = capnograph	
7	Resuscitation	core	1 = chest compression, 2 = defibrillation	
8	Ventilation	optional	1 = manual BV, 2 = ventilator	
9	Adjuncts	optional	1 = telemetric ECG-transmission	
1	vital sings and monitoring paramet	core	to be defined, overlap from other utstein templates	
2	pain	core	VAS	
3	trauma mechanism	core	(i.e. blunt, penetrating)	
4	trauma history	core	(i.e. fall, car accident, burn...)	

Outcome measures or Quality Indicators- Optional

Definition: Suggest any outcome measures or quality indicators during the pre-hospital phase of care.

Data point nb	Data point	Core/optional	Variable categories	Source of information
1	Glasgow Coma Scale (GCS)			
2	upon arrival of EMS personnel at scene			
3	rts delta/MESS			
1	GCS at arrival and at arrival i hospital			
2	RTS at arrival and at arrival in hospital			
3	VAS (visual analogue pain score) at arrival and at arrival in hospital			
4	BP (MAP) at arrival and at arrival in hospital			

5	HR, RF at arrival and at arrival in hospital			
1	number of procedures before succes (above)			
1	dispatch code=verified code		1 yes 2 no, verified higher 3 no, verified lower	
2	first unit dispatched= highest level unit on scene		1 yes 2 no	
3	hospital of arrival= hospital of definitive treatment		1 yes 2 no	
1	Discharge destination	Optional	1 = Home; 2 = Rehab; 3	Responding unit or primary
2	Glasgow Outcome Scale	Optional	5 = Good Recovery; 4 =	Main treating hospital
3	Survival status	Optional	1 = Dead; 2 = Alive; 3 =	National registry
4	Final diagnosis	Optional	Ordinal	Main treating hospital
5	Abbreviated Injury Scale (AIS)	Optional	Ordinal	Main treating hospital
1	Any intended procedure not carried out			
1	W statistic	Core		
2				
3				
4				
5	30 day mortality	Core		
1	HEMS benefit score	core	0-8	case file
2	change in vital signs	core		case file
3	RTS on arrival to hosp	optional	0-12	case file
4	need for transport	core	yes/no	case file
1	ICU-Time	optional	Number	hospital
2	LOS in-hospital	optional	Number	hospital
3	mortality	Core	1 = dead on survival, 2 = death on scene, 3 = death c	
4	GOS	optional		
1	GCS	core	worst before intervention vs. best after intervention	
2	NACA	core	worst before intervention vs. best after intervention	
3	vital parameters	core	worst before intervention vs. best after intervention	
4	MEES	optional	before and after intervnetion	
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Individual expert member proposal- Optional

Definition: Variables suggested by expert panel member regarded to be important and to be included in round 2.

Data point nb	Data point	Core/optional	Variable categories	Source of information
1	preliminary diagnosis, medical diagnosis AMI, SAH,Respiratory disease (COPD, Asthma),circulatory disease,se			
2	head injuries like TIA, infarction/bleedings			
3	birth, newborn, children under 1, older children			
4	gynecology related, bleedings, inf,burns, drownings			
5	EtCo2, SpO2, RR, HR, SBP before and after treatment/management			
1	Complication	Optional	TBD	Responding unit
2	Hospital response	Optional	TBD	Responding unit
3	Valid alternatives	Core	TBD	Responding unit or dispatch
4	Validity of activation	Core	TBD	Reponding unit
1	Adherence to treatment protocols in	Optional		
1	Quality of life	optional	EQ-5D (and HUI)	Guidelines for the conductio
1	consultation			case file
2	from who	EMS/basic health care		case file
3	consultation resulted in			

Services.

should be possible to collect routinely, and should be easy to adapt to most existing softwares.

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ategorical, please list the suggested categories.
available.

ow if I were to compare my results with another service?"

Exact definition of data point	Comments for discussion
ering the patient	

Specialist in anaesthesiology, in training for specialty in anaesthesiology, Specialist in emergency medicine, in training for speciality

Months (full time work)

% of full time work important to register to what degree the physicians maintain procedures with in-hospital training

General anesthesia, Neuroanaesthesia, Heart, GASTROSURGICAL ANAESTHESIA, Obsteric anaesthesia, Child anaesthesia, Intensive care wa

HEMS Paramedic, HEMS anesthetid It is improtant to control all variables. The assistant is important - especially in unanticipated diffi

24/7, all week day and evening, all week only daytime, working days day and night, working days 24h, working days only daytime, c

Exact definition of data point	Comments for discussion

Emergency medical mission, emergency trauma mission, Transfer of ICU patient from lower to higher level of treatment, transfer of | Completed mission, Aborted mission, Mission handed over to other unit

Weather, other higher priority mission, updated infor of no need for responce

Time from alarm to initiation om mission

The net driving (flying) tim to patient site

The net time from reashinbg patient to start of transport

The net driving (flying) time to hospital

Yes: reason, No: reason

Lack of resources, entrapped patient, difficulty evacuating patient from site to waiting ambulance, threats, need for assistance from Police, Firedep, Security, Social care, Home nurse, GP, MD passing by, Other health care professional passing by

classification of event at the time of dispatch of first unit (1st unit may also have been non-physician)

priority assigned at dispatch

priority as judged by physician on alternatively, the NACA score. It can also be used to cross-check the accuracy of dispatch

as from Utstein trauma registry

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The type of vehicle that transported the physician to the place of event

the number of rescue units dispatched to the event, including the one transporting the physician

Consultation/Primary medical/Secondary medical/ Rescue

	See trauma utstein
Time of earliest call received from	Definition of IPSAP
Time when crew of responding unit was notified	
Time when unit is mobile	
Time when responding unit arrives	Definition of "on scene"
Time when patient was transported	One or two variables
Time when unit arrives at emergency department or hospital and/or transfer of treatment responsibility	
Categorization of main reason for	Which source or set of criteria?
Main type of transportation vehicle (if multiple; type used for majority of trsp phase)	
	Core variable if pertinent
	Core variable if pertinent
	Core variable if pertinent
In the event of ambulance run aborted en route	
Validity of helicopter emergency medical services dispatch criteria for traumatic injuries: a systematic review.	
Ringburg AN, de Ronde G, Thomas SH, van Lieshout EM, Patka P, Schipper IB.	
Prehosp Emerg Care. 2009 Jan-Mar; 13(1):28-36. Review.	

Definition of "on scene"
 One or two variables
 Definition of "on scene"
 Which source or set of criteria?
 type used for majority of trsp phase)
 Core variable if pertinent
 Core variable if pertinent
 Core variable if pertinent
 a systematic review.

Herione, Other opioid, Cocaine, Amphetamine, Other central stimulating drug, Cannabis, Benzodiazepines, Other (define).

Driver, passenger front, backseat right, backseat left, backseat middle

Home, stairs, elevator, pavement, other outdoor (define)

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VAS score	
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ASA classification as from Utstein trauma registry

ICD9 or ICD 10 code of 1st diagnosis on hospital charts (EMS charts if patient left on scene)

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whether CA occurred at any time before arrival at hospital

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	See Utsein Airway
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	See trauma utstein
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The patient's age at the time of event

The patient's gender	
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ASA-PS Classification System (categorisation of pre-event comorbidity)

Classification of the medical severity	Decision of scale and levels
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Diagnosis based on prehospital evaluation according to ICD-10 (Ch I-IX)

External causes of morbidity and mortality according to ICD-10 (Ch X)

Initial GCS without interventions/qualifiers (incl. preverbal/pediatric)

GCS on admission and/or after need for sedation	Description of sedated/intubated pts
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Revised Trauma Score (RTS) categories with clinical notes on scene (pre-intervention)

Revised Trauma Score (RTS) category	Description of sedated/intubated pts
Medical / Surgical / Trauma / Psychiatry	
If pertinent (Excluding missions without any patient contact)	
Following ASA-classification or by specific co-morbidities	
at first patient contact, and at handover hospital	
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reatment 3 transported alive to hospital

outcome at 30 days

whether a CA patient received at least cardiac massage before physician arrival

See Utsein Airway

o2, CPAP, BiPAP, Pleural drainage, Ventilator

Fluids, drugs

Home/Health Care Centre/Primary Hospital/Secondary hospital/Tertiary hospital

all these should ONLY include procedures made by the doctors

Variables according to Utstein tem Decision on nb of interventions

1 = volume replacement (TBD); 2 Decision on nb of interventions

According to ATC (4th level) Decision on level of registration

1 = thoracostomy (incl needle-dec Decision on nb of interventions

1 = Ultrasound; 2 = Invasive pres Decision on nb of interventions

1 = CPR; 2 = defibrillation; 3 = ca Decision on nb of interventions

Registration according to Utstein template for cardiac arrest and CPR

The patient's destination after end of acute care in the initial (main) hospital

Glasgow Outcome Scale – at discharge from main hospital

Alive or dead 30 days after event

Diagnosis on discharge according to ICD-10 (compared with tentative diagnosis)

AIS severity codes that reflect the injuries

I.E: Intended intubation not possible.

J Trauma. 2005 Jun;58(6):1272-6; discussion 1277.

M-study; arguments for regional trauma databases.

Joosse P, Goslings JC, Luitse JS, Ponsen KJ.

Trauma Audit Research Network (TARN)

days

days

on transport, 4 = death in hospital, 5 = hospital demission

Glasgow outcome score

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Categorization of unexpected events during treatment and transport (TBD)

An categorized evaluation of the level of the receiving hospitals response on arrival (1 = inadequate; 2 = adequate; 3 = hyper-respc

Categorization of equal medical alternatives given the availability (TBD)

Evaluation of mission content versus activation call from dispatch center (urgency)

	Requires that each unit has defined the minimal standard of care in a given diagnosis
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n of follow-up studies measuring in	The Eq-5d is simple to obtain
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in emergency medicine, Specialist in surgery, in training for speciality in surgery, Other type of physician (specify)

ard, ER, Other (specify)
cult airway managment
other (specify)

equipment, Syringe-pumps (1,2,3,more), BIS, Continuous capnography, nose-sampling capnography, Blood-sugar measurement equipment

agents.

ICU patient from higher to lower level of treatment, transfer of other patient to higher level of treatment, transfer of patient between nati

police, necessary medical treatment to make patient transportable or to improve prognosis

ation, pacing etc) 9 cardiac massage 10 tracheostomy 11 other

nse; 4 = not evaluated)

t, Pressors, Anesthetics, trombolytic drugs...++

ions for special type of care, transfer of neonatal patient in incubator to higher level of care, transfer of neonatal patient in incubator to lo

over level of care