

# Topics in Trauma



## 2023 Trauma Conference

**September 22, 2023**

This conference is a one-day educational opportunity to provide current issues and trends related to the trauma patient.

### Objectives

1. Identify and screen domestic violence patients
2. Properly care and advocate for domestic violence patients
3. Understand the history and development in trauma surveys
4. Compare the primary and secondary surveys in different trauma modes
5. Recite common pitfalls in the trauma assessments
6. Understand benefits of POCUS (ultrasound) in EMS to assist with proper hospital destinations
7. Understand the common patterns of self and peer mental distress
8. Describe two methods of mental health first aid to self-perform or coach in a time of crisis
9. Understand the indications for ED thoracotomy
10. Review ED thoracotomy procedural steps and roles
11. All learners will have an awareness level and understand the medical component resources available during a type 1 FEMA urban search & rescue deployment
12. All learners will have the ability to cite one change or validation in their clinical or operational practice from urban search & rescue medical component doctrine and practices

**Who should attend**

Nurses, pre-hospital clinicians and all healthcare providers involved in the care of trauma patients.

**Accreditation**

This activity has been submitted to the Maryland Nurses Association for approval to award 6 contact hours. The Maryland Nurses Association is accredited as an approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

**Pre-hospital care clinicians**

6 hours of MIEMSS credits will be awarded at the completion of the conference.

**Conference location**

TidalHealth Peninsula Regional, 100 E Carroll St, Salisbury MD 21801 will be the site for TidalHealth Topics in Trauma Conference. The conference will be located in Hallowell A, B, and C. **TidalHealth Peninsula Regional is a smoke free campus.**

**Parking**

Please allow ample time for parking. Parking is available on the upper level of garage B and the gravel lots surrounding the hospitals campus.

**Entrance**

**Enter the Frank B. Hanna Main Entrance (outpatient entrance). Take Elevator E located to your right to the ground floor. Follow the signs to Hallowell A, B and C.**

**Fee**

\$25 virtual

\$40 in person (employees)

\$50 in person (non employees)

In-person attendees will be provided with breakfast and lunch. If you have any food allergies, please let us know in advance.

All proceeds will go to TidalHealth Foundation for trauma education.

No refunds will be granted.

You must attend the entire conference in order to receive your certificate/credit.

**Registration link**

[www.tidalhealth.org/trauma-conference](http://www.tidalhealth.org/trauma-conference)

**Exhibitors**

An array of vendors are expected to exhibit. This is an excellent opportunity to network with available resources.

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### Agenda

#### **0715 – 0755**

Registration/breakfast

#### **0755 – 0800**

Opening remarks

#### **0800 – 0900**

**ED Thoracotomy**

Jenna Jarriel, MD

Geoffrey Sirockman, DO

#### **0900 – 1000**

**On the Front lines of Domestic Violence**

Eunice Esposito, RN, FNE A/P, SANE-A,  
SANE-P

#### **1000 – 1010**

Break

#### **1010 – 1110**

**Point of care ultra-sound, Can EMS get results?**

Scott Wheatley BS, NRP, FOIV

Assistant Chief Queen Annes

County DES (retired)

Firefighter/paramedic Ocean Pines Fire

Department

#### **1110 – 1210**

**Trauma Primary and Secondary Surverys. History, Comparisons, Priorities and Pitfalls.**

Sandra Destler BSN, RN, CEN, CPEN,  
NRP

#### **1210 – 1300**

Lunch

#### **1300 – 1400**

**Dirty Medicine — Lessons from Urban Search & Rescue**

Andrew Grandin, BS, BA, NRP, FP-C,  
CCP-C

#### **1400 – 1500**

**Compassion Fatigue**

Andrew Vickers, NRP, A.A.P.S

#### **1500 – 1530**

Closing remarks/evaluations

**Don't forget to complete evaluations**

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