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WVOEMS Protocol 4112 Tranexamic Acid - OPTIONAL

In compliance with Legislative Rule 64 CSR48 9.1.b.2 WVOEMS OPTIONAL Protocol 4112-Tranexamic Acid is hereby submitted for a thirty-day public comment period from September 14, 2017 through October 13, 2017.

This protocol was added to include the OPTIONAL use of Tranexamic Acid (TXA) to the Trauma Treatment Protocols. This protocol requires consultation or direct contact with the Medical Command Physician and was approved by EMSAC to move forward to MPCC with zero (0) negative feedback from the EMS communities attending those meetings.

All comments must be submitted by 11:59 PM October 13, 2017 to:

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Please indicate WVOEMS Protocol 4112 in the subject line.

9.1.b.2. Whenever any changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure as authorized in § 9.1.b.1 are proposed, a notice of the proposal will be electronically mailed to each EMS Agency and the full text of proposed changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure, will be published on the OEMS website. Notice of the proposed changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure as authorized in § 9.1.b.1, is subject to a thirty (30) day public comment period prior to their being effective. However, the MPCC may waive the public comment period when it finds that exigent circumstances exist and that the proposed changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure must be implemented immediately to ensure patient safety.