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## **WVOEMS**

Division of Trauma, Designation and Categorization Facility Designation Criteria – Minimum Critical Elements Summary DTC2.1

In compliance with Legislative Rule 64 CSR48 9.1.b.2 WVOEMS Division of Trauma, Designation and Categorization Facility Designation Criteria – Minimum Critical Elements Summary DTC2.1 Policy is hereby submitted for a thirty-day public comment period from March 19, 2018 through April 17, 2018.

All comments must be submitted by 11:59 PM April 17, 2018 to:

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Please indicate WVOEMS DTC2.1 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.