

## The Pregnant Major Trauma Patient – applies to Cheshire & Mersey Major Trauma Network ONLY

### Principles:

- Obstetric & paediatrics presence in all Trauma Units (TUs) 24/7.
- Level 3 critical care in all TUs.
- Rapid Response Obstetric & Neonatology in-reach from LWH into Major Trauma Centre Collaborative (MTCC) trauma team available 24/7.
- Trauma patients must not go to LWH.
- Support for trauma team with training and maintenance of specialist equipment at MTCC from LWH.
- Consider best interests of the patient and viability of baby throughout
- Explore possibility of additional training e.g. MTCC general surgeons (only) to perform emergency Caesarean Section?
- NWAS Pathfinder to include obvious signs of pregnancy

**\*To call for help from LWH ring**  
1. **0151 702 4494** (obstetrics/24/7 'hot line') or (if no response)  
2. **0151 702 4413** (maternity assessment triage unit).  
Clearly state the urgency and who you need to respond to your call.

