

Initial trauma care

How do patients typically arrive to your hospital?

Who are involved in the management of trauma patients in the emergency department?

What happens when additional expertise is needed?

What is the role of the casualty medical officers?

Are physicians organised in units?

How big are those units?

How are those units composed in terms of residents and faculty?

How often do the units rotate?

How many units are there working in the emergency department?

How many trauma patients aged 15 years or older are admitted per day, excluding patients with isolated limb injuries and those who are admitted directly to the ward?

Intervention and patient inclusion

How many patients do you think you could include in to the proposed trial per month? (We need to include at least 12 patients per month)

What is the basis of your patient enrollment estimate?

(For example database review, emergency department record, review of patient records, other)

Do you see any problems with including 12 patients per month at your site? Can you please elaborate on those problems?
