

Memorandum #01-24

Date: August 24, 2023

To: SOUTHERN NEVADA DISTRICT BOARD OF HEALTH

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Subject: Request for Approval of Authorization of Mike O'Callaghan Military Medical Center as a Level III Trauma Center

I. BACKGROUND:

In accordance with Clark County Trauma Regulation 300.200 any hospital that desires renewal of designation as a center for the treatment of trauma in Clark County shall first request renewal of authorization from the Board. The hospital must show that it continues to meet the requirements of the Trauma Regulations, as well as demonstrate its capacity, capability and commitment to provide trauma services and to contribute to the current and future needs of the trauma system.

II. RECOMMENDATION:

Upon receipt and review of the application for renewal of authorization as a center for the treatment of trauma, the Office of Emergency Medical Services & Trauma System recommends the Board approve Mike O'Callaghan Military Medical Center's request as a Level III Trauma Center based on their demonstrated willingness to submit trauma data to SNHD and the State Trauma Registry; to actively participate in the Regional Trauma Advisory Board and EMS/Trauma Performance Improvement activities; to provide standard financial information to assist in the assessment of the financial stability of the trauma system; and to comply with all applicable SNHD regulations and State Health Division requirements for authorized and designated centers for the treatment of trauma.

III. CONDITIONS:

The attached application for renewal of authorization as a Level III Center for the Treatment of Trauma has been unanimously approved by the Regional Trauma Advisory Board (RTAB). The RTAB and staff recommend Board approval of the authorization under the condition that Mike O'Callaghan Military Medical Center shall apply to the State Health Division for renewal of their designation, which includes verification by the American College of Surgeons.

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Attachments:

- A. Mike O'Callaghan Military Medical Center verification of a Level III Trauma Center through the American College of Surgeons (ACS).



Verification Review Consultation
American College of Surgeons

June 7, 2023

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The Committee on Trauma would like to extend its congratulations to Mike O'Callaghan Military Medical Center on its Level III Verification through 3/29/2026. The Verification Review Committee (VRC), a subcommittee of the Committee on Trauma of the American College of Surgeons, has very carefully reviewed the verification report from the site visit that began on 3/28/2023.

To access the report, click on the link and use your TQP Account Center login: [Final Report](#). If the report does not automatically open in your browser after logging in, you will find the report in your browser's Downloads folder.

The Committee on Trauma's certificate of verification will arrive in the mail within the next several weeks.

Thank you for your continued participation and support of the Verification, Review, & Consultation Program of the Committee on Trauma of the American College of Surgeons. As always, we will be glad to answer any questions you may have and look forward to working with your trauma center in the future.

Sincerely,

Nilda Garcia, MD FACS
Chair, Verification Review Committee

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Scott Sagraves, MD, FACS
Vice-Chair, Verification Review Committee

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