

TSA-B TRANSFER CRITERIA TO MAXIMIZE REGIONAL RESOURCES



RED CATEGORY

IMMEDIATE TRANSFER TO HIGHER LEVEL OF CARE (Time Critical Conditions)

YELLOW CATEGORY

PLEASE BE PREPARED TO HOLD IN THE REGIONAL
FACILITY UNTIL BEDS ARE AVAILABLE

GREEN CATEGORY

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TREATED IN REGIIONAL FACILITIES UNLESS
EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES ARE PRESENT

ADULT	ADULT	ADULT
Acute Trauma	Diabetic Ketoacidosis	Simple pneumonia
Stroke symptoms Less than 24 hours old	Complicated Pancreatitis needing intervention	Pyelonephritis without abscess/UTI/cystitis
Acute Cardiac Ischemia or Myocardial Infarction	Complicated Diverticulitis needing intervention	Cellulitis
Acute Limb Ischemia	Pyelonephritis with perinephric abscess	Gastroenteritis
Acute Vascular Insufficiency of any type	New onset renal failure	Dehydration with mild/mod AKI
Acute Respiratory Distress	Stroke with known onset greater than 24 hours ago	Uncontrolled DM
Acute Neurological Deficit	Medically cleared Acute Psychiatric Crisis	COPD/asthma exacerbation (mild to moderate)
Septic Shock	Chest Pain with NORMAL ECG & NORMAL ENZYMES	Fractures not requiring acute surgical intervention
Acute Peritonitis		Uncomplicated diverticulitis
		Uncomplicated pancreatitis
		Uncomplicated C diff colitis/diarrhea
		Chronic pain (without neurologic deficit)
		Impending Death with DNR Status
		Influenzae or URI (viral or bacterial) without
		complication
		CHF exac in patient with known hx of CHF
		(uncomplicated)
OBSTETRICS	OBSTETRICS	OBSTETRICS
OB patient delivering neonate needing higher		
level of care		
OB/Postpartum patients with conditions or		
complications requiring higher level of care		



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PEDIATRICS	PEDIATRICS	PEDIATRICS
DKA	Asthma	Simple lacerations
Septic Shock	Appendicitis without rupture	Sprains
Toxic Ingestion	New Onset Seizures, currently stable	Nondisplaced fractures
Post-Resuscitation	New Onset Diabetes (not in DKA)	URI /Influenza without complication
Status Epilepticus	Apnea > 1 year old and currently stable	Medication refill
Ruptured appendicitis	(Simple)Dehydration with IV access	C/O of syncope, but currently asymptomatic
Status Asthmaticus	Septic Joint	Cellulitis/ Osteomyelitis
Apnea <1 year old oh cardiac history	Initial SVT, Currently NSR	
GCS ≤ 13 with or without trauma	Neutropenic with fever	
Acute Trauma meeting Level I or II SPEMS	Acute Psychiatric Crisis that has been medically	
Criteria	cleared	
Acute Respiratory Distress/ Unable to maintain	Tylenol Ingestion - Non toxic (level <100mcg/ml	
SPO2 ≥ 90% with O2	after 4 hours of ingestion)	
Open fracture proximal to wrist or ankle /	Respiratory illness requiring minimal oxygen	
Fractures with neurovascular compromise	while maintaining SPO2 >90 %	
Partial thickness burns >10% or involves face,	Fractures- Requiring surgical intervention (Not	
hands, feet, genetalia, perineum or major	including open fx. Or fx with neurovascular	
joints, all 3rd degree burns, electrical burns,	compromise)	
burn with inhalation injury, burn in addition to		
multiple trauma		