

ACCREDITATION UPDATE

TO: Hospitals & Accredited Trauma Programs being Surveyed in 2015

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PURPOSE: Website posting of Site Survey Documents (2015 survey season)

SCOPE: All level trauma centers

NUMBER: AU-0001-2014

The 2015 Site Survey Guidebook(s) are posted to the Resources section of the Foundation's website. Click on the following link or paste it to your web browser: http://www.ptsf.org/index.php/resources.

In addition, please note that the required forms in the "Guidebook" are also available as "Fillable Forms" in the Resources/Accreditation section of the website (same location as the Guidebooks). Please use the appropriate form(s) based on your hospital's accreditation level.

FORMS INCLUDE:

- Hospital Contacts Form (I, II, III version)
 Submit electronically (patrauma@ptsf.org) three-months prior to site visit
- Hospital Contacts Form (Level IV version)
 Submit electronically (<u>patrauma@ptsf.org</u>) three-months prior to site visit
- Site Survey Information (All levels)*
 Submit electronically (patrauma@ptsf.org) three weeks prior to site visit
- Hospital Data Form (I, II, III version)
 Available for survey team and Foundation staff on survey day; submit electronically (patrauma@ptsf.org) on or before survey day
- Hospital Data Form (Level IV version)
 Have available for survey team and Foundation staff on survey day; submit electronically (patrauma@ptsf.org) on or before survey day

*Please note that the "Site Survey Information" form is now due <u>three weeks</u> prior to site survey, instead of the previous two-week deadline.