

# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MEDICAL STAFF

## RESOLUTION

### To Support The University of Kansas Hospital Trauma Center

**Whereas**, the Executive Committee of the Medical Staff of The University of Kansas Hospital supports The University of Kansas Hospital Trauma Center, and

**Whereas**, the Executive Committee of the Medical Staff of the University of Kansas Hospital desires to operate as a verified Trauma Center by the American College of Surgeons

**Whereas**, the Executive Committee of the Medical Staff of the University of Kansas Hospital is recommitted to supporting verification of the Trauma Center by the American College of Surgeons by supporting:

1. Exceptional professional and paraprofessional personnel in trauma care and Hospital Administration who are promptly available to support acutely injured patients
2. Utilization of sophisticated resources, equipment and ancillary services dedicated to providing the highest quality of trauma care
3. The role of the Trauma Medical Directors to ensure that trauma patient needs are a priority for the institution
4. Capable resources to support the Trauma Performance Improvement and Patient Safety Plan
5. Maintenance of a leadership role locally, regionally, state-wide and nationally in the delivery of care to trauma patients and the coordination of trauma care systems within the community
6. Provision of education in trauma care for medical students, residents, attending physicians, nurses, prehospital and other paramedical personnel
7. Research in the care of trauma patients
8. Provision of trauma injury prevention programs to the community it serves
9. Capable resources to support a trauma mass casualty response plan

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Executive Committee of the Medical Staff of The University of Kansas Hospital affirms that the Trauma Center is an institutional effort, the success of which is dependent upon a firm commitment of the medical staff and its leadership.

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Executive Committee of the Medical Staff.

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Louis Wetzel, MD  
Chief of Staff

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