

<b>POLICY:</b> <b>RTTDC - Trauma</b> <b>Training Grant Funds Distribution</b>	<b>AREA:</b> <i>Trauma, Grant Distribution</i>	<b>DATE CREATED:</b> August 2019
<b>RESPONSIBLE:</b> <i>Trauma Coordinator</i>		<b>DATE REVISED:</b> July 2025

**A. Purpose**

This policy outlines grant eligibility and application requirements for specific funds appropriated to the Emergency Medical System Unit to administer to level I or II trauma centers for coordinating a Rural Trauma Team Development Course (RTTDC) for level IV or V trauma designated hospitals with the intention of reducing financial barriers associated with making trauma skills training more accessible for rural healthcare providers.

**B. Grant Eligibility and Application Requirements**

- Coordination of a RTTDC course must be completed by a level I or II trauma center to assist with training of rural healthcare providers practicing within level IV or V trauma designated hospitals.
- Request for grant funding must be made through the Program Reporting System (PRS).
- A copy of each of the following must be submitted with the completed application form:
  - Signed participant roster
  - Course agenda including the following information:
    - Name of hospital
    - City
    - Date of course
    - Name of instructor(s) utilized

**C. Disbursement**

- Disbursement in the amount of \$6,250.00 may be made by the EMS Unit to a requesting trauma center provided the eligibility and application requirements are met in their entirety.
- Suggested reimbursement amounts for funds provided by the EMS Unit to the applying trauma center are as follows:

Course Coordinator.....	\$ 900
Nurse/Paramedic Instructors.....	\$ 400 each
Physician Instructors.....	\$1000 each
Equipment/Textbooks/Mileage/Additional Expenses.....	Remainder of funds/in-kind

- Grants will be distributed in the order complete and eligible applications are received by the EMS Unit until all grant funds have been dispersed.

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