TRAUMATIC INJURIES
ALWAYS USE STANDARD PRECAUTIONS

INDICATION
- Suspected or apparent injuries which meet conditions listed on the Marin County Trauma Triage Tool

CRITICAL INFORMATION
- Rapid transport to the appropriate trauma receiving facility is important and must be taken into account in the field management of trauma patients

TREATMENT
- ALS RMC
- Trauma center notification
- Control of bleeding
- If SBP < 100, consider 2 large bore IVs; fluid challenge 250-500 ml
- Pain management as appropriate
- For head injury patients, consider Zofran to prevent vomiting which could increase intracranial pressure
- Prepare for early and rapid transport to the appropriate trauma center

SPECIAL CONSIDERATION
- If injury may have resulted from abuse, neglect, assault, attempted suicide/ homicide and/or other crimes, refer to Suspected Abuse/Neglect/Human Trafficking Policy for reporting.

RELATED POLICIES/ PROCEDURES
- Destination Guidelines GPC 4
- Suspected Abuse/Neglect/Human Trafficking GPC 9
- Spinal Immobilization GPC 13
- Adult Pain Management ATG 2
- Trauma Triage Tool 4613a
- Severe Nausea and Vomiting M 5