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MEMORANDUM

To: All Arkansas Licensed Ambulance Services

From: David Taylor, Section Chief
Section of EMS & Trauma Systems

Date: October 24, 2008 & October 16, 2008 (SECOND NOTICE)

Re: EMS Trauma Care Assessment

The Section of EMS and Trauma Systems and other EMS representatives have been active participants in the planning and development of a statewide trauma system for Arkansas. As a part of this effort it is paramount that we assess the current status of EMS trauma care and determine opportunities for improvement that could be implemented as a part of the statewide trauma system.

We are asking you to complete this online survey for each Arkansas service license that you hold. If you hold multiple licenses within one county, complete one survey per county. Consider the conditions for each service area and answer accordingly. Please answer based on how the situation is currently and not how you would like it to be. It is imperative that you complete the survey by **Friday, October 31, 2008.**

Complete the survey by typing the following address into your browser:

<http://vovici.com/wsb.dll/s/fa35g382a6>

Each survey should only take about 20 minutes to complete. Thank you for your participation with the development of a statewide trauma system in Arkansas.