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Greetings Stakeholders in the New Mexico Trauma System:

The Trauma System Fund Authority (TSFA) has historically set aside funds in conjunction with the Department of Health's Strategic Plan and in accordance with NMAC 7.27.9.15 Trauma system development program. It is anticipated that the TSFA will continue to fund trauma system development.

You will find on the NMEMS website the Trauma System Fund Application for trauma system development and the developing trauma centers for FY10.

If you choose to apply for funding, applications must be postmarked no later than April 1, 2009. Incomplete applications and those missing pertinent documentation will not be accepted for consideration. Letters of collaboration sent separately, will not be accepted.

The timeline for application review is as follows:

- April 1, 2009 - All applications due to DOH/EMS Bureau Trauma System Manager
- May 2, 2009 - Regional Directors will receive applications to review and score
- May 18 – 29 - TASSC Executive committee to meet during this time period to receive recommendations from regional offices and to prepare recommendations for TSFA.
- June 2009 - TASSC and TSFA to meet and recommendations reviewed for final approval

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact your regional office, or the myself.

Sincerely,



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