



## **SETTRAC – Mission, Vision, and Goals**

### **Mission**

The mission of the Southeast Texas Trauma Regional Advisory Council is to facilitate coordination of trauma providers to ensure the most efficient, consistent, and expeditious care of each individual who experiences an acute injury, by developing and maintaining integrated quality processes in patient care, research, education, and prevention.

### **Vision**

The Southeast Texas Trauma Regional Advisory Council will provide leadership within our region, state, and nation regarding the care of trauma patients and the solution to preventable mortality and morbidity.

### **Goals**

Promote external communication to our constituents through public awareness programs, educational resources, and prevention programs.

Identify and integrate our resources as a means to obtaining commitment and cooperation.

Identify leverage tactics to promote EMS provider participation.

Develop a legislative agenda for procurement of funds related to trauma (direct and indirect), taking into consideration medicolegal aspects, regulatory agencies, pressure groups, and current legislation.

Establish system coordination relating to access, protocols/procedures and referrals. These structures will establish continuity and uniformity of care among the providers of trauma care.

Promote internal communication as the mechanism for system coordination which will include the EMS providers, consumers, and members of the SETTRAC.

Create system efficiency for the patient and the programs through continuous quality improvement programs which will identify the patient's needs, outcome data, and help develop standard uniformity.