Mission: To use and provide data in the communication of process improvement, best practices, and advances in patient care to all.
ARIZONA STATE TRAUMA REGISTRY (ASTR)
2008-Forward DATA DICTIONARY
Reduced Data Set
Version 2.1
Last updated January 9, 2015

Required Data items/ format specification for designated Level I, Level II,
and Level III Trauma Centers

*Level IV Trauma Centers, Non-Designated hospitals and ALS base hospitals
have the option of submitting the full or reduced data set

Effective for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates January 1, 2008 - forward
Supplement with database information from vendor specifications. Please
refer to the Appendices and Index at the end of this document for more
information on ASTR.
**ASTR Database Information / Limitations:**

Only patients meeting the ASTR Trauma Patient Inclusion Definition are included in the ASTR database. ASTR inclusion criteria were changed in 2008, 2012 and back to 2008 criteria for 2013 and forward. The criteria are published on our website:  
[http://www.azdhs.gov/bems/data/ASTR.htm](http://www.azdhs.gov/bems/data/ASTR.htm)

The ASTR database does not contain all fatal and non-fatal injury events within Arizona. Injured patients are NOT captured in the ASTR database if they:

1. Died at the scene and were not transferred to a trauma center,  
2. Were treated only at a non-reporting hospital, or  
3. Patient did not meet the ASTR trauma patient inclusion criteria.

A limited number of Arizona hospitals submit data to ASTR, but all designated trauma centers report data to ASTR. (Refer to Appendix A1 for list of ASTR reporting hospitals.)

Designated Level I, Level II, and Level III Trauma Centers are required to submit to ADHS the full data set as outlined in this data dictionary.

Level IV Trauma Centers, Non-Designated Hospitals, and ALS Base Hospitals may collect the full data set, but do have the option of submitting a reduced data set.

Duplicate records may exist in the ASTR database for patients who transferred from one reporting hospital to another during the course of their injury management.

Many required data element definitions and drop down menus were changed for 2008. It is important to account for these changes when comparing trauma registry data from multiple years.

This dictionary pertains to records with ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 2008-forward. A separate ASTR data dictionary exists for records with ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 2005-2007.

For questions regarding the ASTR database (including what quality checks have been run on the data received), please contact the ASTR Trauma Registry Manager at 602-542-1245.

For more information on the Arizona State Trauma Registry, please go to our website:  
[http://www.azdhs.gov/bems/TraumaRegistry.htm](http://www.azdhs.gov/bems/TraumaRegistry.htm)
Definitions (for this document):

Data elements shaded in gray are ASTR-only database fields and are NOT required for submission by reporting hospitals.

Data Element = Name of ASTR required data element. Please use data element name when submitting an ASTR data request. To assist users with reporting on multiple years of data, a text box was added (below data element description) to document ASTR data changes. Differences between the 2005-2007 and 2008 ASTR data dictionary are documented to assist users with reporting. Changes from reporting years 2008 to 2012 are also documented in this area.

Table Name = ASTR Oracle table name in which the data element values are stored (Note: If a Care Phase applies, it will be listed in parenthesis after table name. See Care Phase info below.)

**Note on ASTR Trauma One® Oracle tables: In the ASTR Oracle database, "ACCTNO" is the common key field and the MAINDATA table is the primary table. The "ACCTNO" field is auto-generated by the ASTR Trauma One database.

Carephase = Reporting constraints exist for data elements that are stored with the same table and field name (Example: Vital sign data from different data entry pages require a carephase). Attention to carephase constraint is only needed if using NON-Trauma One software to report on data. The Trauma One reporting module already accounts for carephase.

Field Name = Field name as stored in ASTR database. *Database field names may not correspond to the type of data being recorded - refer to data element description instead.

Copy Field = This information is important for both Trauma One & non-Trauma One reporting methods. For some data elements, multi-copy data is stored in the same data field. User must select which data values (1st, 2nd, etc.) that the report should query to get the intended results. Not all fields are copy fields, but it is important to pay attention to the ones that are. If a number is listed under Copy Field, the number indicates which copy should be selected to report on that specific data element.

Copy Field Example 1: Method of payment is stored as a copy field. The first and second method of payment are stored in order in the same location of the database. If you want to report only the primary method of payment, you must indicate to report software that you want FIRST value. Otherwise, your report will contain both primary and secondary payer information.
Copy Field Example 2: When querying data fields for First and Second Referring fields, you must indicate to the software if you want 1st or 2nd. Otherwise, your report will contain both.

**Field Type** = Indicates whether the data value requires a Character, Numeric, Date, Time or Memo type of data entry response.

**Field Width** = The maximum amount of characters or numbers (including spaces and punctuation) that the database will accept for that specific data field.

**NTDS** refers to the National Trauma Data Standard, the format specifications for submission of data to the National Trauma Data Bank (NTDB). For more info: [http://www.ntdsdictionary.org/](http://www.ntdsdictionary.org/)

**NTDS Data Element #** = National data element number in the NTDS 2012 Data Dictionary, revised October 2011. If no NTDS # is listed, that element is not a national requirement.

**Pick list? (Yes/No)** = Indicates whether there is an ASTR required pick list (drop-down menu) associated with the data element.

**Data Value** = Indicates the actual data values (short text) stored in database for reporting. Data values submitted to ASTR must match the state-required pick list values and must be UPPERCASE.

**Primary/Sub pick list Descriptions** = Long text description of the pick list values, as users view them on the data entry screen. When mapping data for interfacing, use the data values (short text). When the registrar selects a long text description from the data entry screen, the corresponding short text data value is stored in the database for reporting purposes. "Single pick list entry" indicates that the user may select only one data value from the list. "Multiple entry pick list" indicates that the user may select more than one value from the list.

**Definition** = Brief definition of the data element, including important data entry instructions for registrars entering the trauma data.

**Comments** = Contains additional information about the data element, including acceptable Null Values.
2013 Arizona Trauma Registry Inclusion Criteria

Did the EMS provider triage the patient by their trauma triage protocol?

Yes → Is this injured patient an inter-facility transfer via EMS transport from one acute care hospital to another?

Yes → Was there a trauma team activation*?

No → No

Yes → Did the patient die as a result of the injury?

Yes → OR → Was the patient admitted in the hospital (not ED) as a result of the injury?

Yes → No to BOTH

No → Does the patient have an ICD-9-CM N code within categories 800 and 959?

Yes → Yes to ONE or BOTH

No → Yes to BOTH

Question: Is this an isolated case of......

...a superficial injury or contusion? (ICD-9CM N-code 910-924)

...a same level fall resulting in an isolated femoral neck fracture OR distal extremity fracture? (ICD-9CM N-code 820 OR 813-817, 823-826 AND E885 or E886)

...a late effect injury or another external cause? (ICD-9CM N code 905 and 909)

...a foreign body entering an orifice? (ICD-9CM N-code 930-939)

...an isolated burn?

No to ALL of the isolated case questions

Yes → Yes → Patient INCLUDED in the Arizona Trauma Registry

Yes → No

No to ONE of the isolated case questions

Yes → Patient NOT INCLUDED in the Arizona Trauma Registry
TRIUMA PATIENT INCLUSION DEFINITION
ARIZONA STATE TRAUMA REGISTRY (ASTR)
Effective for records with ED/Hospital Arrival Dates Jan. 1, 2013 – Present

活泼 1. EMS TRAUMA TRIAGE PROTOCOL
A patient with injury or suspected injury who is triaged from a scene to a trauma center or ED based upon the responding EMS provider’s trauma triage protocol;

OR

活泼 1B. INTER-FACILITY INJURY TRANSFERS BY EMS
A patient with injury who is transported via EMS transport from one acute care hospital to another acute care hospital;

*Note: For 2012 trauma data, only Level III and IV Trauma Centers were required to report inter-facility injury transfers. For 2008-2011 and 2013 forward, all designation levels are required to report inter-facility injury transfers.

OR

活泼 2. HOSPITAL TRAUMA TEAM ACTIVATIONS
A patient with injury or suspected injury for whom a trauma team activation occurs;

OR

活泼 3. ADMITTED OR DIED BECAUSE OF INJURY & MEETS ASTR DIAGNOSIS CODES
A patient with injury who:
Is admitted as a result of the injury OR who dies as a result of the injury

AND

Has an ICD-9-CM N-code (injury diagnosis code) within categories 800 through 959 (except exclusions below):

EXCLUSIONS for admitted or died ICD-9-CM 800-959 patients:

活泼 Only has late effects of injury or another external cause:
(Uno-9-CM N-code within categories 905 through 909)

活泼 Only has a superficial injury or contusion:
(Uno-9-CM N-code within categories 910 through 924)

活泼 Only has effects of a foreign body entering through an orifice:
(Uno-9-CM N-code within categories 930 through 939)

活泼 Only has an isolated femoral neck fracture from a same-level fall:
(Uno-9-CM N-code within category 820 AND Uno-9-CM E-code within category E885 or E886)

活泼 Only has an isolated distal extremity fracture from a same-level fall:
(Uno-9-CM N-code within categories 813 through 817 or 823 through 826 AND Uno-9-CM E-code within category E885 or E886)

活泼 Only has an isolated burn:
(Uno-9-CM N-code within categories 940 through 949)
*Inter-facility transfer item 1-B was added to the ASTR Inclusion Criteria, per the Bureau of EMS & Trauma System in November 2008. This item was then revised by the TEPI advisory committee for 2012, requiring only Level III and IV trauma centers to submit inter-facility transfers. For 2013 data forward, the advisory committee reinstated the original 2008-2011 inter-facility transfer criteria.

Note: New ASTR inclusion criteria went into effect for trauma records with ED/Hospital Arrival Dates Jan. 1, 2008 forward. Changes to inclusion criteria affect the numbers and types of records submitted to ASTR. Inclusion changes should be taken into consideration when comparing multiple years of trauma data.
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Data Element D1_01: Account Number

**DEFINITION:**
Unique account number generated by the database for each record. In the ASTR database, this is referred to as the Lancet Account No. or Patient Account No.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
**ASTR Reporting note:** ACCTNO is the common key field in the ASTR Oracle tables. MAINDATA is the primary table. Automatically generated by system. ASTR Account Number will not be the same number in reporting hospital databases. A "State Unique ID" field was created to help ASTR and hospitals communicate regarding specific records (see below).

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ACCTNO
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric  **FIELD WIDTH:** 9  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** N
DEMographic SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_02: Registration Number

DEFINITION:
Unique number assigned by your hospital for this specific episode of care.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
May also be referred to in hospital billing as "Patient Control Number", "Patient Account Number" or "Patient Encounter Number". It is the unique number for this hospital visit. For linking purposes, this number should match what your facility submits to HDD. **Do not add leading zeros or trailing zeros unless they are an official part of your hospital numbering system.** Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): MAINDATA
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: EMRNUM
FIELD TYPE: Character   FIELD WIDTH: 15   COPY FIELD: NTDS Data Element #: PICK-LIST?: N
Data Element D1_03: Medical Record Number

DEFINITION:
Hospital record number through which the patient's hospital medical history can be retrieved.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
May also be referred to as the "Patient Health Record Number". Number is unique for the patient, but not unique for this hospital visit. For linking purposes, this number should match what your facility submits to HDD. Do not add leading or trailing zeros unless they are an official part of your hospital numbering system. Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): MAINDATA
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: MEDRECNUM
FIELD TYPE: Character  FIELD WIDTH: 15  COPY FIELD:  NTDS Data Element #:  PICK-LIST?: N
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_04: ED/Hospital Arrival Date*

**DEFINITION:**
First recorded arrival date into the emergency department of your facility. If patient did not enter your hospital through the ED (e.g., direct admit), enter the date of first contact with the patient for this injury event. This field is found on both the ASTR Demographic and ED/Trauma page. Editing either field should update the other. Format is MMDDYYYY.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- *Determines the case date range for data submission and for ASTR data reporting. Valid entry is required for all records.
- System will auto calculate Patient Age from entry of ED/Hospital Arrival Date and Date of Birth.
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used. Field should not be left blank.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** TRA  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** TR_ENT_DT  
**FIELD TYPE:** Date  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 8  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_01  
**PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet  
2. ED Record  
3. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet  
4. Hospital Discharge Summary
Data Element D1_05: Hospital Admission Date

**DEFINITION:**
Date of inpatient admission at your facility. Format is MMDDYYYY.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Field is used to calculate Hospital Admission LOS.
- Not Documented should not be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was not admitted as an inpatient to your facility.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ADMDATE
**FIELD TYPE:** Date  **FIELD WIDTH:** 8  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** N
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"**

**Data Element D1_06: Admission Status at Reporting Facility**

**DEFINITION:**
Admission status of the patient at your facility. (This field indicates to ASTR whether the patient had ED care, inpatient care or both.) Single entry pick list. The Pick list Data Value (short text) is what is stored in the database.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 Change: New Field.**
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used.
- If patient was not admitted, enter one of the ED choices from pick list. If patient left AMA before admission, select "Seen in your ED and released."

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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008

**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** INP_STATUS

**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 10 **COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** **PICK-LIST?:** Y
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_07: Patient Last Name

**DEFINITION:**
Patient's last name as it appears in medical record.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
Not Documented may be used. Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** LASTNAME
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 25  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** N
**DEFINITION:**
Patient's first name as it appears in medical record.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Not Documented may be used. Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** FIRSTNAME
**FIELD TYPE:** Character   **FIELD WIDTH:** 12   **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**
**PICK-LIST?:** N
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_09: Patient Middle Initial

**DEFINITION:**
Patient's middle initial as it appears in medical record.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Not Documented and Not Applicable may be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** MIDINIT
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 1  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** N
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"**

**Data Element D1_10: Social Security Number**

**DEFINITION:**
Patient's Social Security Number as it appears in medical record.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Not Documented should be used when patient has a SSN, but number is unknown.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient does not have a SSN.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PERHIST
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** PT_SSN
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 11  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** N
Data Element D1_11: Patient Date of Birth

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's date of birth (DOB). Format is MMDDYYYY

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- System will auto calculate Patient Age from entry of DOB and ED/Hospital Arrival Date.
- If DOB is unknown, enter Not Documented for DOB and then enter an estimated age for patient.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PERHIST  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** BIRTHDAY  
**FIELD TYPE:** Date  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 8  
**COPY FIELD:** NTDS Data Element #: D_07  
**PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form  
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet  
3. EMS Run Sheet  
4. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet  
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_12: Patient Age

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's age upon arrival at your facility. If DOB is unknown, enter best approximation of age. Valid values are 1-120.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** Patient Age now auto calculated using ED/Hospital Arrival Date, not Admit Date. Updated instructions for 2008: Not Documented and Not Applicable will not be accepted - enter best approximation of age if DOB is unknown.
- **Registrar note:** System will auto calculate patient Age and Age Units when ED/Hospital Arrival Date and DOB are entered. If Age is entered in months, days or hours, the user may need to manually enter the age and units.
  - If patient age is less than 1 day, enter Age in "Hours";
  - If patient age is greater than or equal to 1 day but less than 1 month, enter Age in "Days";
  - If patient age is greater than or equal to 1 month but less than 1 year, enter Age in "Months";
  - If age is 13 - 23 months, you may enter the age in months or as 1 year;
  - Age 2 or older must be entered in "Years".

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PERHIST
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** AGE
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric **FIELD WIDTH:** 3 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** D_08 **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. EMS Run Sheet
4. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_13: Units of Age

**DEFINITION:**
The units used to document the patient's age (Years, Months, Days or Hours).

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Pick list updated. YE, ME, DE removed from list. Added H (Hours).
- **Registrar note:** If patient age is less than 1 day, enter Age in "Hours";
  - If patient age is greater than or equal to 1 day but less than 1 month, enter Age in "Days";
  - If patient age is greater than or equal to 1 month but less than 1 year, enter Age in "Months";
  - If age is 13 - 23 months, you may enter the age in months or as 1 year;
  - Age 2 or older must be entered in "Years".
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used.

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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PERHIST
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** AGE_UNIT
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 2 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** D_09 **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. EMS Run Sheet
4. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"**

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**Data Element D1_14: Age (Years)**

**DEFINITION:**
The patient’s age, converted by ASTR database into an Age (Years) value for reporting purposes.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **ASTR system only.** Automatically populated by ASTR database at import. Age of patient is calculated by using Date of Birth and ED/Hospital Arrival Date.
- If "Age" is less than 12 months, less than 365 days, or entered in hours, "Age (Years)" will populate as 0.
- If "Age Units" is entered as months and "Age" is greater than 12, Age (Years) will be calculated as the closest age with no rounding.

**Example of Age (Years) calculation:**
- If patient age is 5 Hours, Age (Years) = 0;
- If patient age is 11 Months, Age (Years) = 0;
- If patient age is 19 Months, Age (Years) = 1;
- If patient age is entered in Years, Age (Years) will be equal to the age entered.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PERHIST

**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** MONTH_INC

**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric  **FIELD WIDTH:** 5  **COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** PICK-LIST:
Data Element D1_15: Gender

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's gender. Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Pick list updated. U (unknown) removed from list.
- Not Documented may be used if gender is unknown or unable to be determined.
- Not Applicable should not be used.
- Patients who have undergone reassignment should be coded using the current assignment.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** SEX

**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 1  **COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** D_12  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. EMS Run Sheet
4. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"**

**Data Element D1_16: Race (Primary)**

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's primary race. Per NTDS, up to 2 races can be reported per patient. This field refers to patient's primary reported race.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** Pick list updated. UNKNOWN removed from list. Secondary race added as a separate field.
- Per NTDS, patient race should be based upon self-report or as identified by a family member.
- **Note:** Hispanic/Latino refers to patient ethnicity and is captured in a separate field.
- Not Documented may be used if race is not recorded or unknown.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)***: RACE  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 16  **COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:** D_10  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form  
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet  
3. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet  
4. EMS Run Sheet  
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_18: Ethnicity

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's ethnicity. Identifies a patient of a Hispanic or Latino ethnic group. A person of Hispanic ethnicity may be of any race. Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- 2008 change: Pick list updated. U (unknown) removed from list
- Patient ethnicity should be based upon self-report or identified by a family member.
- "Not Hispanic or Latino" should be selected if patient is not Hispanic.
- Not Documented may be used if patient's ethnic origin is not recorded or unknown.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ELGBL_ALIN
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 1  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** D_11  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
4. EMS Run Sheet
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"**

**Data Element D1_25: State of Residence**

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's primary state of residence (or territory, province, District of Columbia). Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change: Pick list updated. *U (unknown) removed from list.**
- Automatically populated when valid ZIP code is entered. If State is outside of U.S., select "Other - Out of Country" from pick list.
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

See [Appendix C](#) for Data Values

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PERHIST  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** PT_STATE  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 3  
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**NTDS Data Element #:** D_03  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. ED Admission Form  
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet  
3. EMS Run Sheet  
4. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet  
5. ED Nurses’ Notes
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_29: State Unique ID

**DEFINITION:**
Unique record identifier in ASTR and hospital systems. Auto-generated by system as the reporting facility "Site ID" plus "Account Number" from the reporting facility database. No manual entry required.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** Hospital Site IDs are listed in Appendix A1. Flagstaff switched from Collector to Trauma One software for 2008. Their State Unique ID data prior to 2008 starts with COL-TFLG. 2008 forward starts with TFLG.
- For facilities submitting a reduced data set, this will be the Site ID plus unique registration number.
- Record identifier used in communication between ASTR and reporting hospitals regarding specific trauma records.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** FULLNAME  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 50  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:**  
**PICK-LIST:**
DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"

Data Element D1_30: Reporting Facility Site ID

**DEFINITION:**
Unique system code identifying the facility submitting the record to ASTR. No manual entry required.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Automatically generated by system.
- Site IDs are listed in Appendix A1 of this data dictionary.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ENTRYMODE
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 8  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** PICK-LIST: Y
**DEFINITION:**
Trauma center designation level for the facility submitting the record.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- 2008 change: New field
- Based on hospital's designation status at the time of the record's ED/Hospital Arrival Date.
- Automatically populated for state reporting purposes.

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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008

**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)***: TRACENTER

**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 15  **COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** PICK-LIST: Y
**DEMOGRAPHIC SECTION - "PATIENT INFO"**

**Data Element D1_32: Reporting Facility ADHS Number (License Code)**

**DEFINITION:**
ASTR assigned number for the facility submitting the record. This number correlates to the facility ID used in the Hospital Discharge Database. This field will be used for ADHS linking purposes.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change: New field**
- If a reporting hospital does not have a MED #, the hospital's code from the ASTR Hospital pick list will be populated into this field.
- Automatically populated for State reporting purposes.

See [Appendix A1](#) for data values.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** LIC_CODE  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 10  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:**  
**PICK-LIST:** Y
Data Element D1_33: Reporting Facility Zip Code

**DEFINITION:**
Zip code of reporting facility.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- 2008 change: New field
- Automatically populated for State reporting purposes.
- See Appendix A1 for data values.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** FAC ZIP  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:**  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:**  
**PICK-LIST:** Y
Data Element I2_01: Injury Incident Date

**DEFINITION:**
Indicates whether the injury incident time represents an actual or estimated time. Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** FLDDETAIL
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** FL_ENT_DT
**FIELD TYPE:** Date **FIELD WIDTH:** 8 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_01 **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION - "INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element I2_02: Injury Incident Time

**DEFINITION:**
The time that the injury event occurred. Format is HH:MM - Military time.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Time fields should be entered in AZ Mountain Standard Time (MST).
- Injury event date/time estimates should be based upon report by patient, witness, family, or health care provider. Per NTDS, other proxy measures (e.g., 911 call times) should not be used.
- Not Documented may be used, but this information is important for reporting. Please make every attempt to obtain a valid estimate.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** FLDDETAI
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** FL_ENT_TM
**FIELD TYPE:** Time **FIELD WIDTH:** 6 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_02 **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_04: ICD-9 Place of Occurrence External Cause Code

DEFINITION:
The location external cause code (E849.X) used to describe the place/location where the injury event occurred. Single entry pick list.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2009 change**: Pick list option 7 "Residential institution" was expanded (7A-7E) to identify the type of residential institution.
- The location external cause code describes the place where the event occurred, not the patient's activity at the time of the event.
- Do not use "Unspecified place" (E849.9) if the place of occurrence is not stated. "Unspecified place" means the location is stated, but that location does not fit into any of the choices listed in the ICD-9-CM coding manual. Refer to ICD-9-CM coding manual for more details.
- Not Documented should be used if the injury location is unknown.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDETS
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** SITE_CLASS
**FIELD TYPE:** Character
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**COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_07
**PICK-LIST?:** Y
Data Source Hierarchy
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
4. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_06: ZIP Code of Injury Incident Location

**DEFINITION:**
The ZIP code of the injury incident location. Single-entry pick list. Use Standard U.S. ZIP code list - valid area zip codes that can be mapped.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Lancet ZIP updates.
- This field is very important for reporting. Registrar should make attempts (using EMS documentation and internet resources) to identify an injury ZIP code.
- Not Documented may be used if ZIP code cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should only be used if the incident occurred outside of the U.S.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDETS
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** INJ_ZIP
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 6  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_12  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_08: City of Injury Incident Location

**DEFINITION:**
The city or township where the patient was found or to which the EMS unit responded (or best approximation). Single-entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Pick list updated. UNKNOWN removed from list.
- Automatically populated when ZIP code is entered. Make sure the database populates the correct city, as some zip codes represent multiple cities.
- See Appendix B for AZ city data values. Cities not on the pick list or outside of the U.S. may be manually entered. Please be careful to enter correct spelling.
- This field is important for reporting and registrar should make attempts to obtain best city approximation, even if exact address is unknown.
- Not Documented may be used in rare instances when an approximation cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDETS
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** INJ_CITY
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 30 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_16 **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_09: County of Injury Incident Location

DEFINITION:
The county where the patient was found or to which the EMS unit responded (or best approximation). Single-entry pick list. Automatically populated when ZIP code is entered.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- 2008 changes: Picklist updated. UNKNOWN and OTHER removed from list. OTHER US and OOC added to list.
- Only valid entries from pick list should be entered or auto filled.
- If patient resides outside of AZ, select either "Other U.S. County (not AZ)" or "Outside of U.S."
- Even if the exact address is unknown, every attempt should be made to obtain the county where the injury event occurred.
- Not Documented may be used only in rare instances where injury county cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

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NTDS Data Element #: I_15

PICK-LIST?: Y

Data Source Hierarchy
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_10: State of Injury Incident Location

**DEFINITION:**
The state, territory or province where the patient was found or to which the EMS unit responded (or best approximation). Single-entry pick list. Automatically populated when ZIP code is entered.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes: Picklist updated.** U (Unknown) removed from list.
- Even if the exact address is unknown, every attempt should be made to obtain the state where the injury event occurred.
- If State is outside of U.S., select "Other - Out of Country" from picklist.
- Not Documented may be used only in rare instances where injury state cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should not be used.
- See Appendix C for data values.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDETS
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** INJ_STATE
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 3 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_14 **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_12: Trauma Type

**DEFINITION:**
Broad categorization of the patient's primary trauma injury type. Single entry picklist. Select the category related to the patient's primary injury.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- 2008 changes: Picklist updated. U (Unknown) removed from list.
- Not Documented may be used if patient injuries are unknown or not recorded.
- Not Applicable may be used if patient meets the State patient inclusion criteria but no injuries are detected.

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**NTDS Data Element #:**  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y
Data Element I2_13: Primary ICD-9-CM E-code Injury Descriptor (1st E-code)

DEFINITION:
Primary E-code used to describe the mechanism (or external factor) that caused the injury event. E-codes are used to report on the mechanism/cause and manner/intent of the injury event. The primary E-code should describe the main injury event or circumstance responsible for patient's hospital care. Single-entry pick list.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- E849 place/location E-codes and Adverse Effects E-codes should NOT be entered in this field.
- Valid ICD-9-CM injury E-codes. Submit to ASTR as an E + 3 digit number, followed by decimal and 4th digit as required. All codes must contain an E and a decimal. Examples: E916. or E813.0.
- Activity E-codes should not be entered in this field. Activity codes are captured in another ASTR data field.
- Not Documented may be used only in rare instances. Every attempt should be made to identify at least one E-code for the injury event.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): GENMECH
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: ECODE_ICD9
FIELD TYPE: Character    FIELD WIDTH: 6    COPY FIELD: 1
NTDS Data Element #: I_06    PICK-LIST?: Y

Data Source Hierarchy
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
4. ED Nurses’ Notes
Data Element I2_14: CDC Mechanism/ Cause Category for Primary E-code

**DEFINITION:**
CDC mechanism of injury category code for the primary E-code. Field populated based on CDC E-code matrix. MOI = Mechanism of Injury.

http://www.cdc.gov/injury/wisqars/encode_matrix.html

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- 2008 change: New field
- ASTR system only. Automatically populated by ASTR database for state reporting purposes.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** CDC_MOI
**INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION**  
"INJURY/PREHOSP"

**Data Element I2_15: CDC Intent/ Manner Category for Primary E-code**

**DEFINITION:**

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change: New field**
- ASTR system only. Automatically populated by ASTR database for state reporting purposes.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** CDC_INT

**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 30  
**COPY FIELD:** 1  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y
Data Element I2_21: Protective Devices

**DEFINITION:**
Protective devices (safety equipment) in use or worn by this patient at the time of the injury event. Use may be reported or observed. It is very important that registrar enter all that apply. Multiple entry pick list (max 10).

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- For patients with EMS run sheets documented only as " Restrained" (and not further specified), select "Lap Belt". If documentation indicates a "3 point restraint", select both LAP BELT and SHOULDER BELT.
- NONE means that protective devices were not in use (or patient was not wearing) any type of protective device at the time of injury event.
- If an airbag was present, do not select None + Airbag Present. (The airbag was a protective device in use at time of injury event, even if it did not deploy.)
- If a child restraint was used, the specific type of restraint should be entered in the Child Specific Restraint Details field.
- If an Airbag was present during a motor vehicle crash, the deployment details should be entered in the Airbag Deployment Details field.
- "Other" means the patient used other protection devices not on this picklist.
- Not Documented should be used if it is unknown whether patient used any protective devices.
- Not Applicable should not be used. Instead, select "None" from picklist.

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<td>SHOULDER BELT</td>
<td>Shoulder Belt</td>
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<td>CHILD RESTRAINT</td>
<td>Child Restraint (booster seat, child or infant car seat)</td>
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<tr>
<td>HELMET</td>
<td>Helmet (e.g., bicycle, skiing, motorcycle)</td>
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<td>AIRBAG</td>
<td>Airbag Present</td>
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<td>PERSONAL FLOATA</td>
<td>Personal Floatation Device</td>
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<td>EYE PROTECTION</td>
<td>Eye Protection</td>
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<td>PROTECTIVE CLOT</td>
<td>Protective Clothing (e.g., padded leather pants)</td>
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<th>PROTECTIVE NON-</th>
<th>Protective Non-Clothing Gear (e.g., shin guard)</th>
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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PROTECT

**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** PROTECTIVE

**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 15  **COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** I_17  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION -
"INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element I2_24: Position in Vehicle / Vehicle Type

**DEFINITION:**
Patient location in vehicle (or type of vehicle in use) at the time of injury incident. (This field is meant to provide more specific vehicle information than can sometimes be obtained from the E-code.) Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** Entirely new pick list adopted for 2008. Pick list was expanded and all system codes are different from the 2005-2007 list, even if long text appears similar. When querying multiple years of data, pay attention to the old and new codes.
- **2009 changes:** The data element title was changed from "Patient Position in Vehicle" to "Position in Vehicle / Vehicle Type". Items new to the pick list for 2009 are listed in **bold**. In 2008, WATERCRAFT_OCCUPANT and AIRCRAFT_OCCUPANT were individual pick list choices. For 2009, these codes were removed from data entry and expanded into sub-pick lists to identify type. ATV_RIDER is found on the 2008 and 2009 lists, but the other off-road vehicle choices are new for 2009. Also added RAILWAY_OCCUPANT as a new choice for 2009.
- Refer to all pick list choices before making selection. Pick list has been expanded to supplement E-code reporting.
- Not Documented may be used if type of vehicle cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was not riding in or upon a vehicle at the time of injury event.

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<tr>
<td>ATV_RIDER</td>
<td>ATV/Quad (3 or more low press. tires/straddle seat/handlebar)</td>
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<tr>
<td>RHINO_UTV</td>
<td>Rhino, Side by Side, UTV (steering wheel/non-straddle seats) <strong>(2009 forward)</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>DUNEBUG_SANDRAIL</td>
<td>Dune Buggy or Sand Rail (designed for sand or beach use) <strong>(2009 forward)</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>DIRTBIKE</td>
<td>Dirt Bike, Trail Motorcycle (2 wheel, designed for off-road) <strong>(2009 forward)</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>GOLF_CART</td>
<td>Golf Cart <strong>(2009 forward)</strong></td>
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<td>GO_KART</td>
<td>Go-Kart <strong>(2009 forward)</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>SNOWMOBILE</td>
<td>Snowmobile <strong>(2009 forward)</strong></td>
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<td>OTHER_OFF-RD</td>
<td>Other all-terrain vehicle</td>
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<th><strong>Driver of Motor Vehicle (auto/truck/van) - not motorcycle:</strong></th>
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<td>FRONT_SEAT_MV</td>
<td>Front Seat Passenger</td>
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<td>BACK_SEAT_MV</td>
<td>Back Seat Passenger (anyone inside except front seat)</td>
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<td>BACK_PICKUP</td>
<td>Back of Pickup Truck</td>
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<tr>
<td>UNSPECIFIED_MV</td>
<td>Position in Motor Vehicle Not Specified</td>
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<td>OTHER_MV_PASSENGER</td>
<td>Other Passenger (hanging onto vehicle/riding on top of/etc.)</td>
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<td>DRIVER_MOTORCYCLE</td>
<td>Motorcycle Driver</td>
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<td>PASSENGER_MOTORCYCLE</td>
<td>Motorcycle Passenger</td>
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<td>BICYCLE_RIDER</td>
<td>Bicyclist (non-motorized)</td>
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<td>FARM_CONSTR_INDUSTR</td>
<td>Riding on Farm, Construction or Industrial Equipment</td>
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<td>EMERG_VEH_OCCUPANT</td>
<td>Emergency Vehicle Driver/Passenger (ambulance, fire, police)</td>
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<td>BUS_OCCUPANT</td>
<td>Bus Occupant</td>
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<td>LIGHT_RAIL_OCCUPANT</td>
<td>Light Rail Occupant</td>
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<td>RAILWAY_OCCUPANT</td>
<td>Railway / Train Occupant (NOT light rail) <em>(2009 forward)</em></td>
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**Watercraft / Boat Occupant:**

| MOTOR_BOAT                                                   | Motorboat Occupant *(2009 forward)* |
| NONMOTORIZED_BOAT                                           | Non-motorized Boat Occupant (sail, paddle, row) *(2009 forward)* |
| PERSONAL_WATERC                                              | Rider of Jet Ski / Sea-Doo / Waverunner / Personal WC *(2009 forward)* |
| UNSPECIFIED_WATERC                                          | Unspecified Watercraft/Boat *(2009 forward)* |
| WATERCRAFT_OCCUPANT                                         | Watercraft / Boat Occupant *(2008 list)* |

**Aircraft Occupant:**

| FIXED_WING                                                   | Fixed Wing Aircraft *(2009 forward)* |
| ROTOR_WING                                                   | Rotor Wing Aircraft – Helicopter *(2009 forward)* |
| NON_MOTOR_AIRC                                               | Non-motor Aircraft (balloon, glider, parachute) *(2009 forward)* |
| UNSPECIFIED_AIRC                                             | Unspecified Aircraft *(2009 forward)* |
| AIRCRAFT_OCCUPANT                                           | Aircraft Occupant (2008 list) |
| MILITARY_VEH_OCCUPANT                                       | Military Vehicle Occupant |
| OTHER_OCCUPANT | Other Vehicle Occupant - not listed above |

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** INJ_WHERE  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 30  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:**  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y
Data Element P3_01: System Access (Inclusion Criteria)

DEFINITION:
Indicates which inclusion criteria this patient met to be included in the ASTR registry as a trauma patient. This multiple entry pick list will be used to assess the ASTR inclusion criteria. It is very important registrar enter all criteria that apply.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 changes:** Entirely new pick list adopted for 2008. Old System Access data is stored in a different database location (see 2005-2007 ASTR Data Dictionary).
- **2009 changes:** Long text values updated. Added clarification that pick list items refer to the reporting hospital ("your facility"). Added INTERF_TRNSFR to the 2009 pick list after clarification of the ASTR inclusion criteria.
- **2012 changes:** The inter-facility transfer inclusion criteria code was changed to INTERF_TRNSFR2012 for 2012 records. Short text (system code) and long text changes were made to match 2012 Inclusion Criteria changes, as per TEPI advisory committee recommendation. Only Level III and IV hospitals are required in 2012 to submit the ASTR injury transfers by EMS that did NOT meet other inclusion criteria.
- **2013 changes:** Per TEPI advisory committee, the 2008-2011 inter-facility criteria were reinstated for records with ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2013 forward. Inter-facility transfer code for 2013 was changed back to INTERF_TRNSFR.
- A patient may meet one, two, three or all four of the inclusion criteria on this pick list.
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used. Every patient in the ASTR registry should meet at least one of the inclusion criteria.
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<td>Triaged from Scene to your facility per EMS Trauma Protocol</td>
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<td>INTERF_TRNSFR</td>
<td>Acute care injury transfer in or out of your facility by EMS</td>
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<td>ACTIVATION</td>
<td>Trauma Team Activation at your facility</td>
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<td>ICD9_REVIEW</td>
<td>Admission or Death and met ASTR ICD-9-CM Inclusion Codes</td>
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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** PHYSEXAM (FLD)
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)***: PE_ABDN
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 20 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** **PICK-LIST?:** Y
DEFINITION:
Indicates the ACS triage criteria that apply to this patient and injury event, per available EMS and hospital documentation for patients transported via EMS from the injury scene. Multiple entry pick list. Select all that apply.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 changes:** Entirely new pick list adopted for 2008 to match new ACS guidelines. Pick list adapted from ACS "Green Book" triage guidelines. Nearly every system code is now different from the 2005-2007 list, even if the long text appears similar. When querying multiple years of data, pay attention to the old and new codes.
- "High-risk crash: Intrusion > 12 in. occup site >18 in. other" refers to an intrusion greater than 12 inches in the occupant site or an intrusion greater than 18 inches in any site.
- "High-risk crash: Other criteria NOT listed" should only be selected if the other high-risk crash criteria on this list do not apply.
- Not Documented should be used if no triage criteria are documented.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was not treated by an EMS pre-hospital provider.

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<td>SBP &lt; 90</td>
<td>Systolic Blood Pressure, mm Hg &lt;90</td>
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<td>RESP RATE &lt; 10 OR &gt; 29</td>
<td>Respiratory Rate /min - &lt;10 or &gt;29 - &lt;20 infant under 1 yr</td>
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<td>For adults &gt; 65, SBP &lt; 110</td>
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<td><strong>Anatomy of Injury:</strong></td>
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<td>PENETRATING_HEAD</td>
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<td>Penetrating injuries to neck</td>
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<td>PENETRATING_TORSO</td>
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<td>PENETRATING_EXTREMITY</td>
<td>Penetrating injuries to extremities proximal to elbow &amp; knee</td>
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<td>FLAIL CHEST</td>
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<td>&gt;=2 PROX LBONE FRACTURE</td>
<td>Two or more proximal long-bone fractures</td>
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<td>CRUSH_DEGLV_MANGLED</td>
<td>Crush, de-gloved, or mangled extremity</td>
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<td>AMPUT PROX WRIST/ANKLE</td>
<td>Amputation proximal to wrist and ankle</td>
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<td>PELVIC FRACTURES</td>
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<td>OPEN OR DEPR SKULL FRACT</td>
<td>Open or depressed skull fracture</td>
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<td>PARALYSIS</td>
<td>Paralysis</td>
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<td>Falls - Adult: &gt;20 feet (1 story = 10 ft)</td>
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<td>CHILD FALL &gt;2-3 PT HEIGHT</td>
<td>Falls - Child: Falls &gt;10 ft or 2-3 times the height of the child</td>
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<td>CRASH INTRUSION</td>
<td>High-risk crash: Intrusion &gt;12 in. occup site &gt;18 in. other</td>
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<td>EJECTION FROM AUTO</td>
<td>High-risk crash: Ejection (partial or complete) from auto</td>
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<td>DEATH SAME PASGR COMPART</td>
<td>High-risk crash: Death in same passenger compartment</td>
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<td>VEH TELEMETRY RISK</td>
<td>High-risk crash: Per vehicle telemetry data</td>
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<td>OTHER HIGH RISK CRASH</td>
<td>High-risk crash: Other criteria NOT listed</td>
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<td>Auto v. pedestrian - thrown, run over or sign. &gt;20mph impact</td>
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<td>AUTO BICYCLE</td>
<td>Auto v. bicyclist - thrown, run over or sign. &gt;20mph impact</td>
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## Special Patient or System Considerations:

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<td>Age: Older adults - &gt;55 years old</td>
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<td>CHILDREN</td>
<td>Age: Children</td>
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<td>ANTICOAG &amp; BLEED DISORD</td>
<td>Anticoagulation and bleeding disorders</td>
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<td>BURNS ONLY</td>
<td>Burns without other trauma mechanism (triage to burn center)</td>
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<td>BURNS TRAUMA</td>
<td>Burns with trauma mechanism (triage to trauma center)</td>
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<td>TIME SENS EXT INJ</td>
<td>Time sensitive extremity injury</td>
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<td>End-stage renal disease requiring dialysis</td>
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<td>PREGNANCY &gt;20 WEEKS</td>
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<td>EMS JUDGMENT</td>
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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** TRICRIT
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)***: TRIAGE_CRT
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 25 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION - "INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element P3_03: Transport Type

**DEFINITION:**
Identifies which type of transport/EMS care is being documented. Each pre-hospital care/transport should have a separate entry, and only one leg will refer to the transport of the patient directly into your facility. Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** New field. Major changes in data entry for pre-hospital care and legs of transport.
- **2009 changes:** Pick list updated. Added FIRST_RESP ‘First Responder Care (non-transport)’. When entering first responder care (non-transporter), select ‘First Responder Care’ from pick list.
- **All records must have one (and only one) entry pertaining to the patient's arrival into your facility, even if there was no pre-hospital EMS involvement or run sheet is unavailable.**
- One per leg of transport or EMS care. Enter pre-hospital care in order of occurrence. The first leg of EMS care should refer to the EMS care received at the injury scene. When there are multiple legs of care/transport, the last entry will always apply to the arrival of patient into your facility.
- Transports OUT of your facility are not captured in the pre-hospital section.
- "Arrival/transp of patient INTO YOUR FACILITY" will indicate to system which pre-hospital row to export to NTDB.
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used. Every leg of transport must have a Transport Type entered.

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<td>Arrival/transport of pt INTO YOUR FACILITY (EMS &amp; non-EMS)</td>
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<td>FIRST_RESP</td>
<td>First Responder Care (non-transport)</td>
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<td>OTHER</td>
<td>Any other prehospital care or transport</td>
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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** TRANSPRT (FLD)
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** TPT_TYPE
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 15  **COPY FIELD:** Multi
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
Data Element P3_04: Transport Mode(s)

**DEFINITION:**
Identifies the modes of transport used to deliver the patient to the referring and/or reporting hospitals. Field allows for entry of both EMS and non-EMS transport modes. Single entry pick list. One per leg of transport. Enter legs of transport in order of occurrence.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** New field
- Each pre-hospital leg of transport should have a corresponding mode of transport entered. All modes of transport before patient arrived at your facility should be documented as separate legs of transport.
- All pre-hospital transport modes are exported to NTDB.
- Not Documented may be used if pre-hospital transport mode is unknown.
- Not Applicable should only be used if you are documenting first responder care (non-transport).

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<td>Helicopter Ambulance</td>
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<td>Fixed-wing Ambulance</td>
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<td>Private/Public Vehicle/Walk-in</td>
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<td>POLICE</td>
<td>Police</td>
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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)**: TRANS_MODE
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 15 **COPY FIELD:** Multi
**NTDS Data Element #:** P_07 & P_08 **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION - "INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element P3_05: Transported From (ORIGIN)

DEFINITION:
The origin (location the patient was transported or came from) immediately before arrival at the hospital or EMS Destination. This field applies to all patients, both EMS and non-EMS transports. Single entry pick list. One per leg of transport. Enter legs of transport in order of occurrence.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 changes:** New field
- **2009 changes:** To eliminate data entry confusion, NURS_HM and JAIL_PRISO were removed from this pick list and converted to pick list option INJ_SCENE "From Injury Scene". The Nursing Home or Jail/Prison information will be captured in the E849 Injury Location pick list.
- Each pre-hospital leg of transport should have a separate origin documented. Typically only one leg of transport will pertain to the transport of the patient from the Injury Scene.
- If patient was injured at home and was transported from home, select "From Injury Scene".
- The only time you will select "From Home but Home was NOT the injury scene" is if patient was NOT injured at home, went home before going to the hospital, and then was taken from home to the hospital.
- Not Documented should be used if patient's origin is unknown.
- Not Applicable should be used if you are documenting non-transport first responder care. (Because there was no patient transport, this field would not apply.)

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<td>From Clinic/Doctor Office</td>
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<td>From EMS Rendezvous Point</td>
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<td>From Other Location (NOT injury scene)</td>
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ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): TRANSPRT (FLD)
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: ORIGIN
FIELD TYPE: Character  FIELD WIDTH: 10  COPY FIELD: Multi
NTDS Data Element #:  PICK-LIST?: Y

Data Source Hierarchy: 1. EMS Run Sheet
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION - "INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element P3_07: EMS Agency Code (Prehospital)

DEFINITION:
The system code for the EMS agency that provided first responder care or provided transport of the patient to the hospital or rendezvous site. Single entry pick list. One per leg of transport. Enter legs of transport in order of occurrence.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 changes:** Pick list updated. All system codes are different from the 2005-2007 list, even if long text appears similar. When querying multiple years of data, pay attention to the old and new codes. Other changes were made in data entry of pre-hospital care and legs of transport. An auto-fill for NO_EMS_CARE was added to databases.
- EMS Agencies that are found on both the Transporter and Non-Transport sub pick lists have different codes depending on which pick list you select from. It is important to select the agency name from the appropriate sub pick list. If an agency is both a first responder and on the transporter list, select from the EMS Transporter pick list.
- If "No EMS Care" is selected from the pick list, the system will auto-fill Not Applicable (null value) entries into the remaining pre-hospital date/time and vital sign fields for this leg of pre-hospital care/transport.

See Appendix E for data values. The main pick list is shown below:

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** TRANS_AGNT
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 15  **COPY FIELD:** Multi
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** Y
Data Element P3_08: EMS Agency Name (Text Only)

DEFINITION:
Corresponding text name of the pre-hospital EMS agency code selected.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- Auto-filled from agency code selected above
- *For data entry view only. Do not use this field for reporting.*
- See [Appendix E](#) for EMS agency list.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): TRANSPRT (FLD)
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: TRAN_AGNCY
FIELD TYPE: Character  FIELD WIDTH: 40  COPY FIELD: Multi
NTDS Data Element #: PICK-LIST?: N
Data Element P3_09: Report of Physical Abuse

**DEFINITION:**
A report of suspected physical abuse was made to law enforcement and/or protective services.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2014 change: New field.**
- This includes, but is not limited to, a report of child, elder, spouse or intimate partner physical abuse.
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable should not be used.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ABUSE_REP

**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 1  
**COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** I_20  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet
2. ED Records
3. H and P
4. Nursing Notes
5. Case Manager / Social Services’ Notes
6. Physician Discharge Summary
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION - "INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element P3_10: Investigation of Physical Abuse

**DEFINITION:**
An investigation by law enforcement and/or protective services was initiated because of the suspected physical abuse.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- 2014 change: New field.
- This includes, but is not limited to, a report of child, elder, spouse or intimate partner physical abuse.
- Only complete when Report of Physical Abuse is Yes.
- Not Documented may be used.
- The null value "Not Applicable" should be used for patients where Report of Physical Abuse is No.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ABUSE_INV  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 1  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_21  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. EMS Run Sheet  
2. ED Records  
3. Case Manager / Social Services’ Notes  
4. H and P  
5. Nursing Notes  
6. Physician Discharge Summary
INJURY/PRE-HOSPITAL/TRANSPORT SECTION - "INJURY/PREHOSP"

Data Element P3_11: Caregiver at Discharge

**DEFINITION:**
The patient was discharged to a caregiver different than the caregiver at admission due to suspected physical abuse.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2014 change: New field.**
- Only complete when Report of Physical Abuse is Yes.
- Only complete for minors as determined by state/local definition, excluding emancipated minors.
- Not Documented may be used.
- The null value "Not Applicable" should be used for patients where Report of Physical Abuse is No or where older than the state/local age definition of a minor.

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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDETS  
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** CARE_GIVE  
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  
**FIELD WIDTH:** 1  
**COPY FIELD:**  
**NTDS Data Element #:** I_22  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Case Manager / Social Services’ Notes
2. Physician Discharge Summary
3. Nursing Notes
4. Progress Notes
ED / TRAUMA SECTION
Data Element ED5_01: ED/Hospital Arrival Date

DEFINITION:
First recorded arrival date into your emergency department (or hospital) for this injury event. This field is found on both the Demographic and ED/Trauma page. Editing either field should update the other. Format mmddyyyy.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- If patient did not enter your hospital through the ED (e.g., direct admit), enter the date of first contact with the patient for this injury event.
- Determines the case date range for data submission and date range for ASTR data reporting. Valid entry required for all records.
- Field is used to calculate Patient Age, ED LOS and Total Hospital LOS.
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used. Field should not be left blank.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): TRA;
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: TR_ENT_DT;
FIELD TYPE: Date       FIELD WIDTH: 8       COPY FIELD: 
NTDS Data Element #: ED_01       PICK-LIST?: N

Data Source Hierarchy
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
4. Hospital Discharge Summary
ED/TRAUMA SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element ED5_02: ED/Hospital Arrival Time

**DEFINITION:**
First recorded arrival time into your emergency department (or hospital) for this injury event. Format hhmm, military time.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- If patient did not enter your hospital through the ED (e.g., direct admit), enter the time of first contact with the patient for this injury event.
- Field is used to calculate ED LOS and Total Hospital LOS.
- Time fields should be entered in AZ Mountain Standard Time (MST).
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used. Field should not be left blank.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** TRA;
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** TR_ENT_TM;
**FIELD TYPE:** Time
**FIELD WIDTH:** 6
**COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_02
**PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
4. Hospital Discharge Summary
Data Element ED5_03: ED Exit Date

**DEFINITION:**
Date that patient physically left your emergency department or died in your ED. An actual change in level of care (i.e., transfer to an ICU transitional unit) is considered an ED Exit. Format mmddyyyy.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- If patient died in the ED, the date and time of ED exit is the time the patient was pronounced by the physician.
- Field is used to calculate ED LOS. (Also used to calculate Total Hospital LOS if patient was not admitted.)
- Not Documented should not be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if the patient was not treated in your hospital ED.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** TRA;
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** TR_EXIT_DT;
**FIELD TYPE:** Date  **FIELD WIDTH:** 8  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_21  **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Hospital Discharge Summary
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. Physician’s Progress Notes
DEFINITION:
Time that patient physically left your emergency department or died in your ED. Format hhmm, military time.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- If patient died in the ED, the date and time of ED exit is the time the patient was pronounced by the physician.
- Field is used to calculate ED LOS. (Also used to calculate Total Hospital LOS if patient was not admitted).
- Time fields should be entered in AZ Mountain Standard Time (MST).
- Not Documented should not be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if the patient was not treated in your hospital ED.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): TRA;
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: TR_EXIT_TM;
FIELD TYPE: Time FIELD WIDTH: 6 COPY FIELD:
NTDS Data Element #: ED_22 PICK-LIST?: N

Data Source Hierarchy
1. Hospital Discharge Summary
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. Physician’s Progress Notes
ED/TRAUMA SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element ED5_05: Length of Stay (Hrs) in ED

DEFINITION:
The numbers of hours the patient was in the emergency department of your hospital. Automatically calculated as Date/Time of ED Exit minus Date/Time of ED Arrival.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 change**: New calculation instructions to ensure consistency between hospitals.
- Not Documented should be used if patient was treated in your ED, but LOS is unknown. This option should be used only in rare instances.
- Not Applicable should be used if the patient was not treated in your hospital ED.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): TRA;
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: TR_LOS;
FIELD TYPE: Numeric  FIELD WIDTH: 4  COPY FIELD:
NTDS Data Element #:  PICK-LIST?: N

Data Source Hierarchy
1. Hospital Discharge Summary
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. Physician’s Progress Notes
**Data Element ED5_06: Length of Stay (minutes) in ED**

**DEFINITION:**
Total number of minutes of patient stay in the emergency department of your hospital. Automatically calculated as difference between Date/Time of ED Arrival and Date/Time of ED Exit.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** New field
- ASTR system only. Automatically populated by ASTR database for State reporting purposes.
- Calculated in Minutes, no rounding.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008;
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)***: EDLOSMIN;
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric  **FIELD WIDTH:** 6  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** N
DEFINITION:
Indication of whether patient arrived at ED/Hospital with signs of life.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2011 change**: New field for 2011 ED/Hospital Arrival Dates forward.
- A patient with no signs of life is defined as having none of the following: organized EKG activity, pupillary responses, spontaneous respiratory attempts or movement, and unassisted blood pressure. This usually implies the patient was brought to the ED with CPR in progress.
- Signs of Life (yes or no) refers to whether patient arrived with or without signs of life, as documented during an unassisted assessment of the patient’s vitals.
- Per NTDB, PEA alone DOES count as arrived with signs of life.
- Not Documented may be used in rare instances, but this type of information should be available at your hospital.
- Not Applicable should not be used. Field should be completed for ALL patients, whether they arrived through the ED or were a direct admit.

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<td>Arrived with signs of life</td>
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<td>N</td>
<td>Arrived with NO signs of life</td>
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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): EMERG;**
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: SIGNSLIFE;**
**FIELD TYPE:** Time  **FIELD WIDTH:** 6  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_20 (2011 data **PICK-LIST?:** Y forward)

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. Physician’s Progress Notes
3. ED Nurses’ Notes
DEFINITION:
The disposition of the patient at the time of discharge from your ED. Single entry pick list.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2011 changes**: Per national changes, the 2008-2010 three ED Death choices were retired. For 2011 forward, there is one ED DEATH option.
- Pick list differentiates between discharge "Home without services" and "Home with services". "Home with services" indicates the patient required MEDICAL services in order to discharge home (ex: home health care, outpatient physical, occupational or speech therapy, etc.) "Home with services" does not refer to social services, such as bus passes or shelter information.
- Field includes the NTDS 2008-2010 "ED Death" categories in an ED Disposition sub pick list.
- The NTDS purpose of this field is to "roughly characterize functional status at hospital discharge". If location is not on this list, select the option that most closely represents the level of medical support the patient required.
- Patients treated in accordance with "Do Not Resuscitate" (DNR) order should be coded under "Died in ED (other than failed resuscitation attempt)". Patients with DNR status should also be coded with the DNR co-morbid condition.
- DOA (2008-2011) means patient was declared dead on arrival with minimal or no resuscitation attempt and no invasive procedures were attempted.
- Further clarification of DOA: Arrival at the hospital with no signs of life, but with pre-hospital CPR as indicated below:
  - Age greater than 12 years and:
    1. Blunt trauma, more than 5 minutes pre-hospital CPR, or;
    2. Penetrating head/neck/abdomen trauma, more than 5 minutes pre-hospital CPR, or;
    3. Penetrating chest trauma, more than 15 minutes pre-hospital CPR.
  - Age less than or equal to 12 years and:
    1. Blunt trauma, more than 15 minutes pre-hospital CPR, or;
    2. Penetrating trauma, more than 15 minutes pre-hospital CPR;
    - "No response 15 mins" refers to resuscitation activities in the reporting hospital.
- Not Documented may be used in rare instances, but attempts should be made to identify ED disposition.
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- Not Applicable should be used if the patient was never seen in your ED (ex: direct admit).

- If the ED disposition entered does NOT indicate an acute care transfer, the system should auto-fill Not Applicable (null value) for ED Discharge Destination Hospital, ED Discharge Destination Transport Agency, and ED Transfer Reason.

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<td>Floor bed (general admission, non-specialty unit bed)</td>
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<td>HOME NO SE</td>
<td>Home without services</td>
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<td>ICU</td>
<td>Intensive Care Unit (ICU)</td>
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<td>OR</td>
<td>Operating Room</td>
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<td>TELE STEPD</td>
<td>Telemetry/step-down unit (less acuity than ICU)</td>
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<tr>
<td>TRANSFER</td>
<td>Transferred to another hospital</td>
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<td>OBSERVE</td>
<td>Observation Unit (unit that provides&lt;24 hour stays)</td>
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<td>Deceased/Expired (2011 data forward)</td>
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2008-2010 ED death options:

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<td>Died in ED (other than failed resuscitation attempt)</td>
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<td>Left against medical advice</td>
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<td>HOME SERVI</td>
<td>Home with services</td>
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<td>OTHER</td>
<td>Other (jail, institutional care, mental health, etc.)</td>
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FIELD TYPE: Character    FIELD WIDTH: 10    COPY FIELD:
NTDS Data Element #: ED_19    PICK-LIST?: Y

Data Source Hierarchy
1. Discharge Sheet
2. Nursing Progress Notes
3. Social Worker Notes
Data Element ED5_10: ED Discharge Destination Hospital

**DEFINITION:**
The name of the acute care hospital that your facility transferred this patient to, after patient received care in your ED. Patient must be transferred by EMS to an acute care hospital for this field to be applicable. Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** New field
- Not Documented should be used if the discharge destination hospital cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should be used if this patient was not transferred from your ED to another acute care hospital. (See auto-fill note under ED Discharge Disposition.)
- See Appendix F for data values.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008;
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** ED_HDEST;
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 15  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**
**PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Discharge Sheet
Data Element ED5_13: Transfer Delays

**DEFINITION:**
Documentation of factors which caused a delay in patient transfer out to higher level of care. Multiple entry pick list. Select all that apply.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2013 change:** New field for Level III and IV Trauma Centers.
- This field is submitted by Level III and Level IV Trauma Centers.
- Not Documented should be used if the transfer delay cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was not transferred or if patient was transferred out and there was NO delay.

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<td>Difficulty locating a receiving facility to accept patient</td>
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<td>Waiting on diagnosis or treatment before transfer</td>
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<td>PATIENT STATUS</td>
<td>Patient's medical status delaying transfer</td>
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**NTDS Data Element #:**  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy:**  
1. Discharge Sheet
Data Element ED5_25: ED/Hospital Initial GCS - Total

**DEFINITION:**
First recorded Glasgow Coma Score (total) in the ED/Hospital. GCS measures basic neurological functions of eye-opening, verbal response, and motor response. First recorded vitals should be within 30 minutes or less of ED/hospital arrival. Value range = 3 (worst) - 15 (best).

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Please note that first recorded hospital vitals do not need to be from the same assessment.
- Not Documented and Not Applicable may be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** VITALS (TRA)
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** GCS;
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric  **FIELD WIDTH:** 2  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_13  **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. Nurses notes
TOXICOLOGY SECTION
DEFINITION:
Use of alcohol by the patient. Single entry pick list. Select most appropriate option.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 change**: New field
- Alcohol testing may be documented at any facility (or setting) treating this patient event.
- Per NTDS, "Trace levels" is defined as any alcohol level below the legal limit of the testing state, but not zero. ASTR instructions: If lab result indicates alcohol value <10mg/dL or a result too low to specify a value, enter "No (confirmed by test)".
- "Beyond the legal limit" is defined by a BAC above the legal limit for the testing state. In AZ, the legal BAC limit is .08 (BAC >= 80 mg/dL). For patients under age 21, any conclusive level would be "beyond legal limit."
- Not Documented may be used if there is no documentation regarding alcohol testing.
- Not Applicable should not be used. "No, not suspected" should be used if patient was not suspected of alcohol use and no testing was performed.

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**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)***: A_INDICATE
**FIELD TYPE:** Character   **FIELD WIDTH:** 15   **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_17   **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. EMS Run Sheet
4. Nurses notes
5. Self/Family report
TOXICOLOGY SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element T6_02: Blood Alcohol Content - mg/dL

DEFINITION:
Level of blood alcohol concentration (BAC) detected in the patient's blood (milligrams per deciliter, no decimals). Must be submitted as mg/dL (3 digit value, no decimal).

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- If lab result indicates alcohol value <10mg/dL or a result too low to specify a value, enter 0 (zero).
- Blood alcohol concentration (BAC) may be documented at any facility (or setting) treating this patient event, including referring facility lab results. Only one BAC value is submitted to ASTR. If multiple results are available, submit the first recorded result (blood draw closest to the time of injury).
- Not Documented may be used if there is no documentation in record regarding alcohol testing.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient's BAC was not tested.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): VITALS (TRA)
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: ETOH_LEVEL;
FIELD TYPE: Numeric   FIELD WIDTH: 3   COPY FIELD: 
NTDS Data Element #: 
PICK-LIST?: N

Data Source Hierarchy:
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. Nurses notes
TOXICOLOGY SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element T6_03: Drug Use Indicator

**DEFINITION:**
Use of drugs by the patient (prescription and illegal). Single entry pick list, per software system design.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** Entirely new pick list adopted to match NTDS list. Many system codes are different from the 2005-2007 list, even if long text appears similar. When querying multiple years of data, pay special attention to the old and new codes.
- Enter "Yes, confirmed legal AND illegal use drugs" if patient used both legal and illegal drugs.
- Field applies to drugs used by patient prior to, or at the time of injury. This field does NOT pertain to drugs given to patient by EMS provider or drugs given at your hospital.
- "Illegal use drug" includes the illegal use of prescription drugs. Registrar should carefully review chart for indication if prescription drug was being used legally. If this cannot be determined, registrar will select "legal use" for prescription drug.
- Drug use may be documented at any facility (or setting) treating this patient event.
- Not Documented may be used if there is no documentation in record regarding drug testing.
- Not Applicable should not be used. "No (not suspected)" should be used if patient was not tested for drugs.

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<td>Suspected use, not tested</td>
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<td>YES- confirmed by test, legal use prescription drug</td>
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**NTDS Data Element #:** ED_18 **PICK-LIST?:** Y
TOXICOLOGY SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Source Hierarchy:
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. EMS Run Sheet
4. Nurses notes
5. Self/Family-report
Data Element T6_04: Toxicology Substances Found

**DEFINITION:**
Specific drugs used by patient. If drug screen was positive, select all substance(s) detected. Multiple entry pick list. Select all that apply.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Field applies to drugs used by patient prior to, or at the time of injury. This field does NOT pertain to drugs given to patient by EMS provider or drugs given at your hospital.
- "Illegal use drug" includes the illegal use of prescription drugs. Registrar should carefully review chart for indication if prescription drug was being used legally. If this cannot be determined, registrar will select "legal use" for prescription drug.
- Drug use may be documented at any facility (or setting) treating this patient event.
- Not Documented may be used if there is no documentation in record regarding drug testing.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient's blood was not tested for drugs or if no drugs were found.

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**NTDS Data Element #:** PICK-LIST?: Y

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. EMS Run Sheet
4. Nurses notes
5. Self/Family-report
Data Element D7_01: Final Outcome

**DEFINITION:**
Indicates whether patient was alive or deceased at the time of ED or inpatient discharge from your facility.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change**: Pick list updated. U (Unknown) removed from pick list.
- Not Documented may be used in rare instances, but every attempt should be made to determine patient outcome at discharge.
- Not Applicable should not be used. Outcome should be entered for all patients regardless of admission status.

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**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** POSTHOSP
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** FNL_OUTCM
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 1  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Triage Form / Trauma Flow Sheet
2. ED Record
3. Nurses notes
ADMISSION/DISCHARGE SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element D7_02: Total ICU Length of Stay

DEFINITION:
The total number of patient days in any Intensive Care Unit (ICU) - including all episodes. Values 1 - 400 or null values. For zero, use *NA null value.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 change**: Added NTDS clarification regarding calculation of ICU LOS.
- Per NTDS, record in full day increments with any partial day listed as a full day. Total time spent in ICU should be calculated in hours and rounded to the next full day increment.
- Field allows for multiple admission and discharge dates and autofills with total ICU LOS. If a patient is admitted and discharged on the same date, the LOS is one day. Refer to Appendix H1-A2 for example Total ICU calculations, per NTDB instructions.
- Only the total ICU value should be submitted to ASTR.
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient did not receive care in the ICU. Per NTDB, do not use 0 (zero).

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): ICU
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: LOS
FIELD TYPE: Numeric   FIELD WIDTH: 4   COPY FIELD: 
NTDS Data Element #: O_01   PICK-LIST?: N

Data Source Hierarchy:
1. ICU Nursing Flow Sheet
2. Calculate Based on Admission Form and Discharge Sheet
3. Nursing Progress Notes
Data Element D7_05: Hospital (Inpatient) Discharge Date

**DEFINITION:**
The date the patient was discharged (as an inpatient) from your hospital.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Entry of Not Applicable in this field will indicate to system that ED Exit date/time should be used in calculation of Total Hospital LOS.
- Field is used to calculate Admission LOS and Total Hospital LOS.
- Not Documented should not be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was never admitted as an inpatient to your hospital.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** POSTHOSP
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** PH_ENT_DT
**FIELD TYPE:** Date  **FIELD WIDTH:** 8  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** O_03  **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Hospital Record
2. ICU Nursing Flow Sheet
3. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
4. Physician Discharge Summary
ADMISSION/DISCHARGE SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element D7_06: Hospital (Inpatient) Discharge Time

**DEFINITION:**
The time the patient was discharged (as an inpatient) from your hospital.

hhmm - Military time format

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change**: New field
- If patient died while admitted to your hospital, the date and time of discharge is the time the patient was pronounced by the physician.
- Time fields should be entered in AZ Mountain Standard Time (MST).
- Field is used to calculate Total Hospital LOS.
- Not Documented should not be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was never admitted as an inpatient to your hospital.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** POSTHOSP
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** PH_ENT_TM
**FIELD TYPE:** Time  **FIELD WIDTH:** 6  **COPY FIELD:**

**NTDS Data Element #:** O_04  **PICK-LIST?:** N

**Data Source Hierarchy:**
1. Hospital Record
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. Physician Discharge Summary
Data Element D7_07: Hospital Admission Length of Stay (Days)

**DEFINITION:**
The total number of days the patient was an inpatient at your facility. Calculated in days.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Automatically calculated as the date difference between Hospital Admission Date and Hospital (Inpatient) Discharge Date. Admission and discharge times are not used in this calculation. Admission time is not an ASTR required field.
- **Note:** Admission and Discharge on the same day equals LOS of one day. (Admit 1/1/08 and D/C 1/1/08 = 1 day / Admit 1/1/08 and D/C 1/2/08 = 1 day / Admit 1/1/08 and D/C 1/3/08 = 2 days, Admit 1/1/08 and D/C 1/4/08 = 3 days, etc.)
- Not Documented should not be used.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was never admitted as an inpatient to your hospital.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** MAINDATA
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** LOS
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric     **FIELD WIDTH:** 4     **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**    **PICK-LIST?:** N
ADMISSION/DISCHARGE SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element D7_08: Total Hospital Length of Stay (ED + Admission)

**DEFINITION:**
The patient's total ED and hospital stay at your facility. Calculated in Days, up to 2 decimal places, no rounding. Auto-calculated by System.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** New field
- Calculation for admitted patients: If patient was admitted, the system will calculate Hospital (Inpatient) Discharge Date/Time minus ED/Hospital Arrival Date/Time.
- Calculation for ED only patients: If Hospital (Inpatient) Discharge Date is entered by the user as Not Applicable (null value), the system will use ED Exit Date/Time instead of Hospital Discharge Date/Time to calculate Total Hospital LOS.
- Not Documented and Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** A_THOSPLOS
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric **FIELD WIDTH:** 9.2 **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:** **PICK-LIST?:** N
ADMISSION/DISCHARGE SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

Data Element D7_09: Hospital (Inpatient) Discharge Disposition

**DEFINITION:**
The disposition of the patient at discharge from your hospital (after an inpatient stay). Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2014 Change:** Picklist items added per NTDB:
  - COURT/LAW - Discharge/Transfer to court/law enforcement
  - INPATIENT REHAB - Discharge/Transfer to Inpatient Rehab
  - LTCH - Discharge/Transfer to Long Term Care Hosp
  - PSYCHIATRIC - Discharge/Transfer to psychiatric hosp or unit
  - OTHER INSTITUTION - Discharge/Transfer to other institution
- **2013 change:** Per national changes, "Left against medical advice" was updated to "Left against medical advice or discontinued care".
- The NTDS purpose of this field is to "roughly characterize functional status at hospital discharge". "Discharged home with no home services" refers to any non-medical facility that is patient’s current place of residence. Prison, Child Protective Services, etc. are similar in the level of medical care that would be required at home. Discharge to any other medical facility, other than those on list, should be coded as "Discharged/ Transferred to another type of rehabilitation or long-term care facility".
- The ACUTE CARE option in AZ databases (Discharge/Transfer to another acute care hospital using EMS) should be mapped to NTDS option 1 (Discharged/Transferred to a short-term general hospital for inpatient care.)
- If disposition entered does NOT indicate an acute care transfer, the system should auto-fill Not Applicable (null value) for Hospital Discharge Destination Hospital, Hospital Discharge Destination Transport Agency, and Hospital Discharge Transfer Reason.
- Skilled Nursing Care is "daily nursing and rehabilitative care that is performed only by or under the supervision of skilled professional or technical personnel. Skilled care includes administering of medication, medical diagnosis and minor surgery.
- Intermediate care facility (ICF) is "a facility providing a level of medical care that is less than the degree of care and treatment that a hospital or SNF is designed to provide but greater than the level of room and board."
- Home Health Agency must be an organized home health service. This is a "a certified service approved to provide care received at home as part-time skilled nursing care, speech therapy, physical or
ADMISSION/DISCHARGE SECTION - "ED/ADMIT"

- Occupational therapy or, part-time services of home health aides.
- Hospice is "an organization which is primarily designed to provide pain relief, symptom management and supportive services for the terminally ill and their families."
- Not Documented may be used in rare instances, but attempt should be made to identify disposition.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was never admitted to your hospital.

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ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: DSCHG_TO
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NTDS Data Element #: O_05  PICK-LIST?: Y
Data Element D7_10: Hospital Discharge Destination Hospital

**DEFINITION:**
The name of the acute care hospital that your facility transferred this patient to, after patient received inpatient care at your facility. Patient must be transferred by EMS to an acute care hospital for this field to be applicable.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** New field
- See Appendix F for data values.
- Not Documented should be used if the discharge destination hospital cannot be determined.
- Not Applicable should be used if patient was not transferred from your hospital to another acute care hospital after inpatient care. (See auto-fill note under Hospital Discharge Disposition.)

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** STAT2008
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** A_HDESTH
**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 15
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**NTDS Data Element #:**
**PICK-LIST?:** Y
INJURY DIAGNOSIS SECTION
INJURY DIAGNOSIS SECTION - "DIAGNOSIS"

Data Element I8_01: ICD-9-CM Injury Diagnosis Code(s)

**DEFINITION:**
ICD-9-CM final injury diagnoses related to all identified injuries (Also referred to as N-codes, nature of injury). Multiple entry pick list. Select all that apply. (NTDS = max 50). Refer to ICD-9-CM coding manual for more details.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- Valid ICD-9-CM injury diagnosis codes. Submit to ASTR as a 3 digit number, followed by decimal, and 4th or 5th digit as required. If you double-click your selection from the pick list, the ICD-9-CM code will format properly and the system will generate the body region, severity value, and an ICD-9-CM Injury Severity Score based on injury diagnoses selected.
- Diagnosis codes 800.00-999.9 (do not enter E-codes in this field)
- ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes do not need to be entered together line by line. Do not leave extra spaces or *NA values in the middle of the coding.
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable (*NA) should be entered on the first diagnosis line if the patient meets the ASTR patient inclusion criteria but no injuries are detected.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDIAG (TRA)
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** INJ_COMP
**FIELD TYPE:** Character  **FIELD WIDTH:** 6  **COPY FIELD:** Multi
**NTDS Data Element #:** DG_02  **PICK-LIST?:** Y

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Hospital Discharge Summary
2. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
3. Trauma Flow Sheet
4. ER and ICU Records
INJURY DIAGNOSIS SECTION - "DIAGNOSIS"

Data Element I8_02: Severity Value (for ICD diagnosis codes)

**DEFINITION:**
Corresponding AIS severity code that reflects the severity of the ICD-9-CM injury diagnosis entered.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- One selection per diagnosis entered. Auto-generated by system after selecting a valid ICD-9-CM injury diagnosis from the pick list.
- AIS severity values include: 1 (minor), 2 (moderate), 3 (serious), 4 (severe), 5 (critical), 6 (maximum injury/virtually unsurvivable)
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable (*NA) should be entered on the first diagnosis line if the patient meets the ASTR patient inclusion criteria but no injuries are detected.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** INJDIAG (TRA)
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**FIELD TYPE:** Character **FIELD WIDTH:** 1 **COPY FIELD:** Multi
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INJURY DIAGNOSIS SECTION - "DIAGNOSIS"

Data Element I8_03: Body Part Injured (for ICD diagnosis codes)

DEFINITION:
Corresponding body region for the ICD-9-CM injury diagnosis entered.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):

- **2008 change**: 2005-2007 data for this field was a mix of AIS and ICD-9-CM body region values. For 2008, this field will only reflect the body region values for ICD-9-CM diagnoses only. Starting January 2008, a separate body region, severity and ISS is calculated for ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes.
- One selection per diagnosis entered. Auto-generated by system after selecting a valid ICD-9-CM injury diagnosis from the pick list.
- Body Part values include: 1 (head or neck), 2 (face), 3 (chest), 4 (Abdominal or pelvic contents), 5 (Extremities or pelvic girdle), 6 (external)
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable (*NA) should be entered on the first diagnosis line if the patient meets the ASTR patient inclusion criteria but no injuries are detected.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): INJDIAG (TRA)
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: BODY_PART
FIELD TYPE: Character   FIELD WIDTH: 1   COPY FIELD: Multi
NTDS Data Element #: PICK-LIST?: Y
INJURY DIAGNOSIS SECTION - "DIAGNOSIS"

Data Element I8_04: Injury Severity Score (calculated based on ICD-9-CM Injury Diagnoses)

DEFINITION:
Injury Severity Score calculated based on the ICD-9-CM injury diagnoses entered. Overall scoring system for patients with multiple injuries. Value range = 1 to 75.

COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):
- **2008 change**: 2005-2007 data for this field was a mix of AIS-98 and ICD-9-CM ISS values. For 2008 forward, this field will only reflect the ISS values for ICD-9-CM diagnoses only. Starting January 2008, a separate body region, severity and ISS is calculated for ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes.
- In most cases, system will generate the body region, severity value, and an Injury Severity Score based on the ICD-9-CM injury diagnosis codes entered.
- **Reporting note**: Hospitals have reported that some DOA patients have a low ISS score, even if the injuries were fatal. This happens in instances where no autopsy was completed and there is a lack of information regarding the patient's injury diagnoses.
- Not Documented may be used.
- Not Applicable (*NA) should be entered on the first diagnosis line if the patient meets the ASTR patient inclusion criteria but no injuries are detected.

ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE): MAINDATA
ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*: ISS
FIELD TYPE: Numeric FIELD WIDTH: 2 COPY FIELD: 
NTDS Data Element #: PICK-LIST?: N
FINANCIAL SECTION
**Data Element F9_01: Primary Method of Payment**

**DEFINITION:**
Primary source of payment to the hospital for this visit. Single entry pick list.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 changes:** Entirely new pick list was adapted to match NTDS list. Many system codes are different from the 2005-2007 list, even if the long text appears similar. Codes in **bold** are new or revised in 2008 (examples: SELF-PAY in 2007 is now SELF PAY in 2008, Medicaid and AHCCCS were combined in 2008). When querying multiple years of data, pay special attention to the old and new codes.
- Arizona's AHCCCS Medicaid program should be coded under "Medicaid (includes AHCCCS)." IHS should be coded under "Other Government". Auto Insurance should be coded under "Private/Commercial Insurance" unless patient had coverage under an out of state No Fault Auto plan. Arizona is not a No Fault Auto state so this option should not be selected frequently.
- Not Documented should be used if method of payment for this visit is unknown.
- Not Applicable should not be used. If patient does not have insurance and was billed, select "Self Pay". If patient was not billed, select "Not Billed (for any reason)."

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**COPY FIELD:** 1  
**NTDS Data Element #:** F_01  
**PICK-LIST?:** Y  

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet  
2. Hospital Admission Form
Data Element F9_03: Total Hospital Charges

**DEFINITION:**
Final amount (in whole dollars) billed for this visit. Submitted as nearest whole dollar, no decimal.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Updated data export instructions.
- Financial data is to be exported twice for each record, similar to the way other updates are sent to ASTR. The initial data should be sent on the record's regular quarterly due date. All updates should then be included with the next quarterly submission.
- Not Documented may be used if hospital charges for this visit cannot be obtained. Required data element. Not Documented for most records will not be accepted from designated trauma centers.
- If patient was not billed for this visit, enter 0. Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** FINANCE
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** T_HOS_CHRG
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric **FIELD WIDTH:** 12
**COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**
**PICK-LIST?:**

**Data Source Hierarchy**
1. Billing Sheet / Medical Records Coding Summary Sheet
Data Element F9_04: Total Reimbursements

**DEFINITION:**
Amount (in whole dollars) collected by hospital for this visit. Submitted as nearest whole dollar, no decimal.

**COMMENTS (including when null values are appropriate):**
- **2008 change:** Updated data export instructions.
- Financial data is to be exported twice for each record, similar to the way other updates are sent to ASTR. The initial data should be sent on the record’s regular quarterly due date. All updates should then be included with the next quarterly submission.
- Not Documented may be used if reimbursements for this visit cannot be obtained. Required data element. Not Documented for most records will not be accepted from designated trauma centers.
- If no reimbursement was received for this visit, enter 0. Not Applicable should not be used.

**ASTR TABLE NAME (CARE PHASE):** FINANCE
**ASTR DATABASE FIELD NAME (system only)*:** T_HOSP_RECP
**FIELD TYPE:** Numeric  **FIELD WIDTH:** 12  **COPY FIELD:**
**NTDS Data Element #:**  **PICK-LIST?:**
Appendix A1: Reporting Facility List

Appendix A2 - Copy of ASTR Trauma Data Submission Guidelines

Records of patients meeting the ASTR Trauma Patient Inclusion Definition must be submitted to the Arizona State Trauma Registry within 90 days of the close of the quarter, according to the following schedule:

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Trauma data must be submitted in a format authorized by the Arizona Department of Health Services and must include valid entries in all State required fields. All data must be accompanied by a Trauma Data Quarterly Submission Form.

The data file and a completed data submission form may be transferred to ASTR using ADHS-approved secure transfer protocol (sftp) or Secure Messenger. For those with access to the state trauma database, data can be entered directly into the state database and does not require a file transfer each quarter.

For questions regarding the Arizona State Trauma Registry, please contact Mary Benkert, State Trauma Registry Manager.

For more information on Arizona statutes and rules that pertain to the trauma registry, please refer to A.R.S. Title 36, Chapter 21.1 and A.A.C. Title 9, Chapter 25.
Appendix B - AZ City OF Residence & AZ City Of Injury Data Values (AZ codes for ASTR 2008 data forward / 2005-2007 data have different codes.)

**Note:** The ASTR city pick lists contain data values for common Arizona cities and towns only. Cities outside of Arizona are manually entered by the user.

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Appendix E - ASTR EMS Agency/Destination Pick list

(The EMS Agency field is found in the PREHOSPITAL section, ED/TRAUMA section, and HOSPITAL DISCHARGE section)

**Note:** Major changes were made to the EMS Agency codes for 2008 data forward. Refer to the ASTR 2005-2007 data dictionary for old coding system.

**Format of the EMS Agency pick list:**
Three MAIN pick list choices with the following sub pick lists:

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*Note: CON = Certificates of Necessity assigned to EMS Transport Agencies with designation of their ambulance service areas. CON registrations are monitored by the Bureau of EMS & Trauma System. IHS facilities are not required to register as CON holders.

To make it easier for reporting & data validation, 2008 forward EMS agency codes were assigned in the following manner:

**EMS Agency Air Transporter code assignment:**
- Agencies on BEMSTS Air Ambulance License List = System code TA (Transport Air) + B + assigned number;
- Agencies NOT on BEMSTS Air Ambulance License List = System code TA (Transport Air) + N + assigned number;

**EMS Agency Ground Transporter code assignment:**
- For CON holders (on BEMSTS Ground Transport List), system code = TG (Transport Ground) + an assigned number;
- For IHS transporters, system code = TG (Transport Ground) + IHS + an assigned number;
- For any other transporter not on BEMSTS list and NOT IHS, system code = TG (Transport Ground) + OTH + an assigned number
- For an unknown EMS ground transporter option, system code = TG (Transport Ground) + UNK + an assigned number

**EMS Agency 1st Response Non-Transport code assignment:**
- For First Responders who are also BEMSTS CON holders, the system code = FRT + an assigned #;
• For First Responders who are NOT BEMSTS CON holders, the system code = FRN + an assigned #;

Full list of entire EMS Agency pick list (includes main pick list in **bold**, sub pick lists, system codes, and long text):

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Appendix F - ASTR Hospital List

Note: Only "Acute Care" facilities are included on the ASTR Hospital pick list. Non-acute care facilities (rehab, long-term care, psych) do not meet the ASTR definitions for these fields. Urgent Care clinics may be considered "acute care" for this list, if patient was transferred out by EMS.

The Hospital/Destination pick list is used in the following fields:
- Pre-hospital: Transported From (Hospital), EMS (Actual) Destination;
- Referring: First and Second Referring Hospital / First and Second Destination Hospital;
- ED/Trauma: ED Discharge Destination Hospital;
- Discharge: Inpatient Discharge Destination Hospital;

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Appendix G – Data Dictionary Change Log

Revisions to the final version (v. 1.1) of the 2008 data dictionary after its official release on 2/6/08:

Change Notes:
- "Typing change only" indicates that a data dictionary error was identified and corrected;
- "SYSTEM CHANGE" indicates that an actual change was made to state and hospital databases;
- "Data Entry Clarification" indicates that additional information was added to clarify questions regarding the data entry process;

Revision 1 - 2/15/08 - Data Dictionary version number was updated from 1.1 to 1.2 to reflect the following changes:

- "Alcohol Use Indicator" (ED/Trauma - Toxicology)
  - Typing change only: System code "NOT SUSPECTED" updated to "NOT_SUSPECTED"
  - Typing change only: System code "CONFIRMED NO" updated to "CONFIRMED_NONE"
  - Typing change only: System code "SUSPECT_NO TEST" updated to "SUSPECTED"
- SYSTEM CHANGE: System code "TRACE LEVELS" was changed to "BELOW_LEGAL_LMT" (Jan-Feb data already entered will be updated)
  - Typing change only: System code "ABOVE LEGAL LMT" updated to "ABOVE_LEGAL_LMT"
- "Drug Use Indicator" (ED/Trauma - Toxicology)
  - Typing change only: System code "NONE" updated to "NOT_SUSPECTED"
  - Typing change only: System code for "NO- confirmed by test" was listed as "SUSPECTED" but should be "CONFIRMED_NO"
- SYSTEM CHANGE: Added new pick list choice 2/15/08: "SUSPECTED / Suspected use, not tested"
- SYSTEM CHANGE: System code "YES_PRESRIPTION" was changed to "YES_LEGAL_USE" (Jan-Feb data already entered will be updated)
  - Typing change only: System code "YES_BOTH" updated to "YES_LGL+ILLEGAL"

Revision 2 - 4/8/08 - Data Dictionary version number was updated from 1.2 to 1.3 to reflect the following changes:

"Co-morbid Conditions" (Demographics):
- Data entry clarification: Updated note: Definitions of co-morbidities can be found in Appendix H (Glossary of NTDS Terms) of this dictionary or in the NTDS Data Dictionary v. 1.2.1.

"Protective Devices" (Injury):
- Data entry clarification: Added note: For patients with EMS run sheets documented only as "Restrained" (but not further specified), select "Lap Belt"

"Airbag Deployment Details" (Injury):
- Data entry clarification: Old text: Indication of airbag deployment during a motor vehicle crash. Added to definition: "..., if an airbag was present"
- Data entry clarification: Added note: "Airbag Not Deployed" should be selected if an airbag was known to be present and did not deploy

"Triage Criteria" (Pre-hospital):
- Data entry clarification: Data Element Definition change, per TRUG request. Old definition: "Indicates the triage criteria used by any pre-hospital EMS provider to identify that this patient required care in a trauma center." New definition: Indicates the ACS triage criteria that apply to this patient and injury event, per available EMS and hospital documentation
- Deleted text at end of sentence: Not Documented should be used if no triage criteria are documented on the EMS Run Sheet

"Transport Type" (Pre-hospital)
- Data entry clarification: Added additional wording to end of sentence: All records must have one entry pertaining to the patient’s arrival into your facility even if there was no pre-hospital EMS involvement or run sheet is unavailable

"EMS Agency" (Pre-hospital)
- Data entry clarification: Added note: If agency is both the first responder and the transporter, select from the EMS Transporter pick list.

"Run Sheet Available?" (Pre-hospital)
- Data entry clarification: Added note: "Yes - Received but INCOMPLETE" means the EMS run sheet does not contain enough information for the registrar to complete all ASTR pre-hospital required data elements.

"Initial Field Respiratory Rate" (Pre-hospital Vitals)
- Data entry clarifications: Old definition did not specify if an assisted respiratory rate may be entered. NTDS clarified that only unassisted rate should be entered. New definition: First recorded unassisted respiratory rate in the prehospital setting (expressed as a number per minute)
- Updated note: Not Documented means that an unassisted rate cannot be determined from available documentation
- Updated note: Not Applicable should be used if patient was not treated by a pre-hospital provider

"Intubation Status at Time of Field Vitals" (Pre-hospital Vitals)
- Data entry clarification: Definition updated. Added note: Intubation before 1st Field GCS and RR can result in inefficient data for these values.

"Field Revised Trauma Score" (Prehospital Vitals)
- Data entry clarifications: Added reporting note: Field RTS could be affected by inefficient data for GCS
- Updated note: Not Documented means that patient was treated by an EMS provider, but a required value for the RTS calculation is unknown
- Updated note: Not Applicable should be used if patient was not treated by a pre-hospital provider

"Inter-facility Transfer?" (Referring)
- Data entry clarification: Added note: Includes EMS transports to your hospital from IHS clinics and other outlying facilities providing emergency care services and stabilization

"Initial Revised Trauma Score in Referring Hospital" (Referring)
- Data entry clarification: Added reporting note: Referring Facility RTS could be affected by inefficient data for RR and GCS

"ED Discharge Disposition" (ED/Trauma)
- Data entry clarifications:
- Added NTDS note: Patients treated in accordance with "Do Not Resuscitate" (DNR) order should be coded under "Died in ED (other than failed resuscitation attempt)"
- Added note: NTDS definition of "Dead on Arrival" can be found in Appendix H (Glossary of NTDS Terms) at the end of ASTR dictionary
- Added NTDS note: "No response 15 mins" refers to resuscitation activities in the reporting hospital

"ED/Hospital Initial Respiratory Rate" (ED/Trauma)
- Data entry clarification: Added note: First recorded RR may be entered as assisted or unassisted

"ED/Hospital Initial Respiratory Assistance" (ED/Trauma)
- Data entry clarification: Added NTDS definition: Assistance is defined as mechanical and/or external support of respiration.

"Intubation Status at Time of ED/Hospital Vitals" (ED/Trauma)
- Data entry clarification: Definition updated. Added note: Intubation before the 1st ED/Hospital GCS and RR can result in inefficient data for these values.

"Revised Trauma Score (ED/Hospital)" (ED/Trauma)
- Data entry clarification: Added reporting note: ED/Hospital RTS may be calculated using an assisted or unassisted respiratory rate (as indicated in the Respiratory Assistance field). RTS could be affected by inefficient data for RR and GCS.

"Alcohol Use Indicator" (ED/Trauma - Toxicology)
- Data entry clarification: Added note: For patients under age 21, any conclusive level would be "beyond legal limit."

"Total Ventilator Days" (Discharge)
- Data entry clarification: Added note: Includes all mechanical ventilation time, except mechanical ventilation initiated solely for an OR procedure. Includes ED vent time but not vent time for organ harvesting.
- Text update: Not Applicable should be used if patient did not receive any mechanical ventilation or if patient received ventilation solely for an OR procedure.

"Hospital Complications" (Discharge)
- Data entry clarification: Updated note: Definitions of complications can be found in Appendix H (Glossary of NTDS Terms) of this dictionary or in the NTDS Data Dictionary v. 1.2.1.

"Primary Method of Payment" (Financial)
- Data entry clarification: Added more detail to notes: Arizona's AHCCCS Medicaid program should be coded under "Medicaid." IHS should be coded under "Other Government". Auto Insurance should be coded under "Private/Commercial Insurance" unless patient had coverage under an out of state No Fault Auto plan. Arizona is not a No Fault Auto state so this option should not be selected frequently. (Pick list changes 2008.)

"Secondary Method of Payment" (Financial)
- Data entry clarification: Added note to definition: This field only applies if patient had two forms of payment for this visit.
- Also added more detail to notes: Arizona's AHCCCS Medicaid program should be coded under "Medicaid." IHS should be coded under "Other Government". Auto Insurance should be coded under "Private/Commercial Insurance" unless patient had coverage under an out of state No Fault Auto plan. Arizona is not a No Fault Auto state so this option should not be selected frequently. (Pick list changes 2008.)
Appendix A - Facility Codes in ASTR database
• SYSTEM CHANGE: Facility code for Flagstaff Medical Center was changed from 13169 to TFLG, per request of vendor. Vendor will convert all Flagstaff records in ASTR database to new code. Reporting will be unaffected.

Appendix H
• "Glossary of NTDS Terms" was added with definitions of NTDS Co-morbidities, NTDS Hospital Complications, and other NTDS terms.

Appendix I
• "ASTR Trauma Patient Inclusion Definition" was added to ASTR Data Dictionary.

Appendix J
• "ASTR 2008 Required Data Elements" list was added to ASTR data dictionary.

Appendix K
• "INDEX" was added to ASTR data dictionary.

Revision 3 - 12/30/08 - Data Dictionary version number was updated from 1.3 to 1.4 to reflect the following changes:

Cover Page
• The title "2008 DATA DICTIONARY" was updated to "2008-2009 DATA DICTIONARY".
• Effective date range January 1, 2008 - December 31, 2008 was changed to January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2009.
• 2008 and 2009 change notes were updated throughout the document to assist users relying on the data dictionary for reporting
  o "Registration Number" (Demographics)
    ▪ Updated data entry instructions requesting same format as submitted to ADHS HDD. This is to aid in linking ASTR data.
  o "Medical Record Number" (Demographics)
    ▪ Updated data entry instructions requesting same format as submitted to HDD. This is to aid in linking ASTR data.
  o "Street Address of Residence" (Demographics)
    ▪ Added a list of suggested abbreviations for entering address data.
  o "Alternate Home Residence" (Demographics)
    ▪ Added additional NTDS data entry information. NTDS definitions of pick list items were added to Appendix H.
  o "Co-morbid Conditions" (Demographics)
    ▪ NO_NTDS is no longer an option for 2009 data entry (NO_NTDS was on state pick list from 1/1/08 - 12/31/08)
    ▪ OTHER was added to list January 2009. Note: In 2008, user was instructed to enter NO_NTDS if user had no co-morbidities OR if patient only had co-morbidities not on the pick list. For 2009, user was instructed to enter OTHER when patient had other co-morbidities not on pick list. If patient did not have any co-morbidities at all, user was instructed to enter Not Applicable (*NA).
    ▪ Added PREGNANCY back to state co-morbidity list. This pick list option was previously removed, per NTDS list, on Jan. 1, 2008. However, TRUG decided this option is necessary so the choice was added back on Jan 1, 2009. Note: PREGNANCY was not a pick list option for 2008 data.
  o "Injury Location ICD-9-CM E-code (E849)" (Injury)
For January 2009, option 7 "Residential Institution" was expanded with a sub-pick list to document the type of residential institution where injury occurred. 7A - 7E are new to the pick list and supplement the E849 list.

- "Street Location of Injury Incident" (Injury)
  - Added additional data entry instructions (format, abbreviations, etc.) to facilitate geocoding of the trauma data.

- "Injury Event Details" (Injury)
  - Added this as a new field for 2009 with data entry instructions regarding what should be captured in this field.

- "Patient Position in Vehicle" (Injury)
  - Data element description name changed from "Patient Position in Vehicle" to "Position in Vehicle / Vehicle Type".
  - A new sub-pick list was added titled "Rider of off-road vehicle (street and non-street use)"
    - ATV_RIDER was moved under the "Rider of off-road..." pick list;
    - New off-road codes for 2009: RHINO_UTV, DUNEBUG_SANDRAIL, DIRTBIKE, GOLF_CART, GO_KART, SNOWMOBILE, OTHER_OFF-RD;
    - RAILWAY_OCCUPANT was added as a new pick list choice for 2009
    - WATERCRAFT_OCCUPANT was expanded into a sub pick list to identify the type of watercraft.
      - Note: In 2008, only WATERCRAFT_OCCUPANT was available to describe water vehicles.
    - New watercraft codes for 2009: MOTOR_BOAT, NONMOTORIZED_BOAT, PERSONAL_WATERC, UNSPECIFIED_WATERC;
    - AIRCRAFT_OCCUPANT was expanded into a sub pick list to identify the type of aircraft.
      - Note: In 2008, only AIRCRAFT_OCCUPANT was available to describe air vehicles.
    - New aircraft codes for 2009: FIXED_WING, ROTOR_WING, NON_MOTOR_AIRC, UNSPECIFIED_AIRC

- "System Access (Inclusion Criteria)" (Pre-hospital)
  - Added INTERF_TRNSFR "Acute care injury transfer in or out of your facility by EMS" to 2009 pick list, per inclusion criteria update.
  - The following long text (data entry descriptions) was also updated to clarify data entry questions. (These changes do NOT affect reporting.)
    - Data entry screen update: "Triaged from Scene to Trauma Ctr/ED per EMS Trauma Protocol" was changed to "Triaged from Scene to your facility per EMS Trauma Protocol"
    - Data entry screen update: "Trauma Team Activation" was changed to "Trauma Team Activation at your facility"

- "Triage Criteria" (Pre-hospital) - Data Dictionary typing corrections only. Hospital databases already had this information for 2008:
  - Short text for "Falls - Adult: >20 feet (1 story=10 ft.)" corrected to "ADULT FALL > 20 FEET".
  - Short text for "Amputation proximal to wrist and ankle" corrected to "AMPUT PROX WRIST/ANKLE".
  - Short text for "Crush, degloved, or mangled extremity" corrected to "CRUSH_DEGLV_MANGLED".

- "Transport Type" (Pre-hospital)
  - Added FIRST_RESP to pick list as new option for 2009.
"Transported From (Origin)" (Pre-hospital)
- Having "From Nursing Home" and "From Jail or Prison" on the pick list with "Injury Scene" was causing confusion in data entry. NURS_HM and JAIL_PRISO were removed from the pick list and data will be converted to data value INJ_SCENE. The nursing home and jail/prison information will now be captured in the Injury Location E849 picklist field.
- Added data entry clarification: The only time you will select "From Home but Home was NOT the injury scene" is if patient was NOT injured at home, went home before going to the hospital, and then was transferred from home to the hospital.

"Transported From (Hospital)" (Pre-hospital)
- Added data entry clarification: If you know that patient came from another hospital, but the hospital name is unknown, select "Unspecified Acute Care Hospital" from list.

"EMS Agency" (Pre-hospital)
- Added new EMS air agency to pick list: TAB016 Trauma Flight, Inc.

"Run Sheet Number" (Pre-hospital)
- Field was changed from optional to required, as it is necessary for ASTR data linkage.

Pre-hospital Run Sheet Data (Pre-hospital)
- Added data clarification notes to the EMS date and time fields. "Scene" may also refer to referring hospital or EMS rendezvous point depending upon which EMS leg of care is being entered. Notes added to help data entry users understand these fields.

Pre-hospital Vital Signs (Pre-hospital)
- 2008 data dictionary used to request only the first recorded vital signs. However, some hospitals are capturing more than one set of vital signs. Data dictionary was updated to require first recorded but allow optional submission of other vital signs.
- Notes were added regarding NTDS data export.

"Initial Field Respiratory Rate" (Pre-hospital)
- Constraint values were updated, per NTDS, from 0-59 to 0-99.

"Field Airway Management" (Pre-hospital)
- Pick list updated. PULSEOX, ETDLAD and LMA added to pick list. EOA removed from pick list. EOA/Combitube 2008 data will be converted to ETDLAD/Combitube so EOA was removed from list.

"Referring Hospital Respiratory Rate" (Referring Facility)
- Respiratory Rate constraint values were updated, per NTDS, from 0-59 to 0-99.

"ED Exit Date/Time" (ED/Trauma)
- Added data entry clarification note reminding registrars that if a patient dies in the ED, the exit date/time is when the patient was pronounced.

"ED Disposition" (ED/Trauma)
- Added NTDS definitions and data entry instructions to clarify several of the pick list choices.

"ED/Hospital Respiratory Rate" (ED/Trauma)
- Respiratory Rate constraint values were updated, per NTDS, from 0-59 to 0-99.

"Temperature Route" (ED/Trauma)
- Added TEMPORAL "Temporal Artery Sensor" as new pick list choice, per hospital request.
  - "Blood Alcohol Content" (Toxicology)
    - Added data entry clarification that only one BAC value is submitted to ASTR. Instructed registrars to submit the first recorded alcohol results (the blood draw closest to the time of injury).
  - "Hospital Discharge Date/Time" (Discharge)
    - Added data entry clarification note reminding registrars that if patient dies after admission, the discharge date/time is when the patient was pronounced.
  - "Hospital Discharge Disposition" (Discharge)
    - Added NTDS definitions and data entry instructions to clarify several of the pick list choices.
  - "Complications" (Discharge)
    - NO_NTDS is no longer an option for 2009 data entry (NO_NTDS was on state pick list from 1/1/08 - 12/31/08)
    - OTHER was added to list January 2009. Note: In 2008, user was instructed to enter NO_NTDS if user had no complications OR if patient only had complications not on the pick list. For 2009, user was instructed to enter OTHER when patient had other complications not on pick list. If patient did not have any complications at all, user was instructed to enter Not Applicable (*NA).
  - "State Patient?" (Discharge)
    - Moved this field to the discharge section of the dictionary, as this is where the field is located on the data entry screen.
  - "ICD-9-CM Diagnoses" (Diagnosis)
    - Following the NTDS data entry instructions, ASTR removed the note indicating that diagnosis codes must be entered in order of severity. Added data entry note clarifying entry of ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes: ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes do not need to be entered together line by line. Do not leave extra spaces or *NA values in the middle of the coding.
  - AIS 2005 Six Digit Injury Identifier(s) (Diagnosis)
    - Added data entry note clarifying entry of ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes: ICD-9-CM and AIS 2005 codes do not need to be entered together line by line. Do not leave extra spaces or *NA values in the middle of the coding.
  - "Primary Method of Payment" (Financial)
    - Typing change (correction): The short text for "Private/Commercial Insurance" was changed to "PRIV-COMMERCIAL". This short text change was already made with the AZ 2008 database changes, but this change was not reflected in the data dictionary.
    - Updated the data entry screen and long text for "Medicaid" to say "Medicaid (includes AHCCCS)". Will not change reporting, only assists registrars with correct data entry. System code "MEDICAID/AHCCCS" remains the same.
  - "Secondary Method of Payment" (Financial)
    - Typing change (correction): The short text for "Private/Commercial Insurance" was changed to "PRIV-COMMERCIAL". This short text change was already made with
the AZ 2008 database changes, but this change was not reflected in the data dictionary.

- Updated the data entry screen and long text for "Medicaid" to say "Medicaid (includes AHCCCS)". Will not change reporting, only assists registrars with correct data entry. System code "MEDICAID/AHCCCS" remains the same.

- Appendix F - "Hospital List"
  - Data Dictionary typing corrections only. Hospital databases already had this information for 2008: Short text for "Unspecified Acute Care Hospital" corrected to "UNS0012". Short text for "Urgent Care Facility (EMS transfer only)" corrected to "URG0001". Other hospital codes already matched HDD list. Any previous MED3242 data in the system will be converted to MED0195 so this change will not affect data reporting.
  - Removed MED0226 (Mesa General) - Hospital closed
  - Added new hospital MED3795 Arizona Regional Medical Center

- Appendix I - "ASTR Inclusion Criteria"
  - Inclusion Criteria 1B was added to the inclusion criteria, after Bureau of EMS & Trauma System (BEMSTS) clarification of the criteria on 11-19-08.

**Revision 4 - 8/3/09 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 1.5 to reflect the following minor changes:**

- Database schema changes:
  - In March 2009, the software vendor made changes to the database schema so that all reporting hospitals and the state system would have identical schema. Revised schema names were applied to all years of trauma data. Any changes to table names, care phases or fields names were updated in the 2008-2009 and 2005-2007 ASTR data dictionaries and field, table and care phase names in the Oracle data should be the same for all years of trauma data.

- NTDS national data element numbers:
  - A few of the national data element numbers were changed in the updated NTDS Data Dictionary version 1.2.5. These changes were made to the ASTR Data Dictionary and do not affect ASTR data entry or reporting.

- "Age" / "Age Units" (Demographics):
  - Data entry instructions for Age Units were not being followed by several trauma centers. Many centers were entering an age value using months for children between 12 and 23 months. Because this was consistent across several hospitals, the ASTR data dictionary instructions were changed to allow 13-23 months as a valid Age/Age Units entry.

- New data entry instructions (changes highlighted in bold):
  - Registrar note: If pt age is < 1 day, enter Age in "Hours". If pt age is >= 1 day but < 1 month, use "Days".
  - If patient age is >= 1 month but <1 year, use "Months".
  - If age is 13 - 23 months, you may enter the age in months or as 1 year. Age 2 or older must be entered in "Years".

- Old data entry instructions (deleted):
  - Registrar note: If pt age is < 1 day, enter Age in "Hours". If pt age is >= 1 day but < 1 month, use "Days".
- If patient age is >= 1 month but < 1 year, use "Months". Otherwise, enter patient age in "Years".
  - "Protective Devices" (data entry clarification):
    - Common data entry error was identified, so wording was added as data entry clarification: NONE means that protective devices were not used (or pt was not wearing) any type of protective device at the time of injury event.
    - If an airbag was present, do not select None + Airbag Present. (Airbag was a protective device in use at time of injury event, even if it did not deploy.)
  - Pre-hospital (calculated time fields):
    - The pre-hospital transport section may contain more than one leg of EMS care. The EMS time calculations represent the time per EMS Agency and not a total EMS time overall. The names of these data elements were changed to make the reporting variables more clear. Example "Total EMS Time (minutes)" refers to the time elapsed for that specific EMS Agency from notification to arrival at destination, NOT the total time from when the first EMS Agency arrived on scene to the time of arrival of the last EMS agency at the destination hospital.
    - To clarify what is captured by these data elements, the titles of the following data elements were updated:
      - "Total EMS Response Time (minutes)" was changed to "EMS Agency Response Time (minutes)"
      - "Total EMS Scene Time (minutes)" changed to "EMS Agency Scene Time (minutes)"
      - "Transport Time - Scene to Destination (minutes)" changed to "Transport Time - EMS Agency Scene to Destination (minutes)"
      - "Total EMS Time (minutes)" changed to "EMS Agency Total Time (minutes)"
      - These data dictionary name changes do not affect the data entry calculation and name change is meant to help user when reporting.
  - Appendix A1 - Reporting Facility List
    - Updated reporting facility list to include new designation information and 2009 reporting hospitals.
  - Appendix A2 - Data Submission Guidelines
    - Added a copy of ASTR Data Submission Guidelines as an appendix in the data dictionary.
  - Appendix B - City of Residence and City of Injury Lists
    - It was discovered that the software city auto-fill and the ASTR city pick list did not match for 2008 data.
    - All ASTR data 2008 forward was converted to match the software auto-fill codes. Appendix B was edited to the new city codes.
    - ASTR 2005-2007 data did not use these new city codes, so caution is needed when reporting on multiple years of data.
    - Hospital databases may have some older codes leftover in their 2008 data.
  - Appendix E - EMS Agency List
- Added EMS Air Agencies - TAB015, TAB016, TAB017, TAN016, TAN017
- Added Ground Transport Agency TGCON086
- Added First Responder Agencies FRN0199, FRN0200

- Appendix F - Hospital/Destination List
  - Added Hospital - MED2568

- Index 2 - DATA ELEMENTS LISTED IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER OF DATA ELEMENT NAME
  - A second index was added to assist users in searching the data dictionary for specific data elements. Multiple naming variations are given in the event the hospital data entry screens are different than ASTR data dictionary. The previous index was maintained as Index 1 (listed in order as found in ASTR database, with the data element name of the ASTR data dictionary).

**Revision 5 - 1/1/2011 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 1.6 to reflect the following changes:**

- "Co-morbid Conditions" (Demographics)
  - NTDB added Cirrhosis to the list of national complications for 2011 data forward. ASTR accepted this change (per TEPI) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2011 forward.

- "Activity E-code" (Injury)
  - New state field for records 2011 forward (optional data for NTDB submission 2011 forward.) Supplemental code that provides additional reporting information about the activity being performed at time of injury event.

- "Signs of Life" (ED/Trauma)
  - NTDB added a new national required field "Signs of Life" for 2011 data. ASTR accepted these changes (per TEPI) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2011 forward.

- "ED Discharge Disposition" (ED/Trauma)
  - For 2011 data, NTDB retired the 3 ED Death national choices used for 2008-2010 data and replaced them with one ED Death choice. ASTR accepted these changes (per TEPI) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2011 forward:
    - NEW 2011 State and National ED Death choice:
      - ED DEATH:  Death in ED
    - 2008-2010 State and National ED Death choices (retired for 2011 data forward):
      - ED DOA:  Declared dead on arrival w/ minimal/no resuscitation attempt
      - DEATH RESU:  Death after failed resuscitation attempt-no response 15 mins
      - DIED IN ED:  Died in ED (other than failed resuscitation attempt)

- "Total ICU Length of Stay" (Discharge)
  - Per NTDB instructions, added note that ICU Length of Stay cannot be Zero. Instead registrar should use *NA (Not Applicable) if no ICU stay.

- "Total Ventilator Days" (Discharge)
  - Per NTDB instructions, added note that Total Ventilator Days cannot be Zero. Instead registrar should use *NA (Not Applicable) if no Vent Days.
o "Procedures Performed (ICD-9-CM)" (Discharge)
  ▪ For 2011 data, NTDB released a list of their minimum required procedures to be entered for trauma patients. Added Appendix H1-B to ASTR data dictionary listing the national required procedures for 2011 data. ASTR accepted these changes (per TEPI) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 2011 forward. Hospitals may enter any additional procedures needed at their institution, as NTDB list is the minimum. The Referring facility and Reporting facility procedure required lists are the same, per TEPI.

o "Hospital Complications" (Discharge)
  ▪ NTDB made changes to the national Hospital Complications List for 2011 data. ASTR accepted the new Hospital Complications list (per TEPI) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2011 forward.
  ▪ Hospital Complications (NTDB changes):
    o RETIRED for 2011 forward:
      ▪ ABCS: Abdominal compartment syndrome
      ▪ ABFA: Abdominal fascia left open
      ▪ BASE: Base deficit
      ▪ BLEE: Bleeding
      ▪ COAG: Coagulopathy
      ▪ COMA: Coma
      ▪ PRES: Intracranial pressure
      ▪ SEPS: Systemic sepsis
      ▪ WNDD: Wound disruption
    o CONTINUED from 2010:
      ▪ RENF: Acute renal failure
      ▪ ARDS: Acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)
      ▪ CAWC: Cardiac arrest with CPR
      ▪ DECU: Decubitus ulcer
      ▪ DINF: Deep surgical site infection
      ▪ DRUG: Drug or alcohol withdrawal syndrome
      ▪ DVTT: Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT) / thrombophlebitis
      ▪ EXCS: Extremity compartment syndrome
      ▪ FAIL: Graft/prosthesis/flap failure
      ▪ MYCI: Myocardial infarction
      ▪ INFE: Organ/space surgical site infection
      ▪ PNEU: Pneumonia
      ▪ PEMB: Pulmonary embolism
      ▪ SCVA: Stroke / CVA
      ▪ SINF: Superficial surgical site infection
      ▪ UINT: Unplanned intubation
      ▪ OTHR: OTHER COMPLICATIONS EXIST - not on this list
    o NEW for 2011 forward:
      ▪ UNTI: Urinary Tract Infection
      ▪ CRBI: Catheter-Related Blood Stream Infection
      ▪ OSTM: Osteomyelitis
      ▪ UROR: Unplanned return to the OR
      ▪ UICU: Unplanned return to the ICU
      ▪ SSEP: Severe sepsis
  o Appendix A1 - Reporting Facility List
- Updated reporting facility list to include any new reporting hospitals, as of April 2011.
  - Appendix E - EMS Agency List
    - Added EMS Air Agencies - TAB019
    - Added Ground Transport Agency TGCON087
    - Added First Responder Agencies FRN0201 & FRN0202. Changed text name for code FRN0080 to Northern AZ Cons. FD (was Hualapai Valley Fire Dist.)
    - First Responder code FRN0152 was archived, as Sonoita-Elgin now has a CON and was assigned EMS Transporter number TGCON087
  - Appendix F - Hospital/Destination List
    - Added Hospital - MED4239
    - Added Hospital - MED4420
    - Added Hospital - MED4382
    - Added Hospital - MED4346
    - Added Hospital - MED4160
    - Added Hospital - UNK0067

Revision 6 - 2/1/2012 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 1.7 to reflect the following changes:
  - "Alternate Home Residence" (Demographics)
    - NTDB updated text "Migrant" to "Migrant Worker". ASTR accepted this text change. Reporting code is the same.
  - "Co-morbid Conditions" (Demographics)
    - NTDB added DEMENTIA to the list of national complications for 2012 data forward.
    - NTDB added DRUGABUSE to the list of national complications for 2012 data forward.
    - NTDB added PSYCH to the list of national complications for 2012 data forward.
    - NTDB added PREHOSPCARDIAC to the list of national complications for 2012 data forward.
    - IMPAIRSENS was retired from list for 2012 data forward.
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "Advanced directive limiting care (DNR)" replaced original text "Do Not Resuscitate (DNR) status".
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "Currently receiving chemotherapy for cancer" replaced original text "Chemotherapy for cancer within 30 days."
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "Chronic renal failure" replaced original text "Currently requiring or on dialysis".
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "History of myocardial infarction" replaced original text "History of myocardial infarction within past 6 months".
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "History of PVD" replaced original text "History of revascularization / amputation for PVD".

ASTR accepted these changes (per TRUG & Program Managers) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2012 forward:
  - "Initial Field Respiratory Rate" (Prehospital)
    - Respiratory Rate constraint values were updated, per NTDS. RR cannot be >99 if age >=6; RR cannot be >120 if age<6.
  - "Initial Field GCS" (Prehospital)
- Added data entry instructions from NTDB Data Dictionary regarding documentation and scoring.
  - "System Access(Inclusion)" (Prehospital)
    - Per TEPI, Inclusion Criteria 1B was updated for 2012 data forward to: Level III or IV: Injury Transfer by EMS to other acute care (INTERF_TRNSFR2012)
    - Previous 2008-2011 1B criteria: "Acute care injury transfer in or out of your facility by EMS" (INTERF_TRNSFR).
  - "ED/Hospital Respiratory Rate" (ED/Trauma)
    - Respiratory Rate constraint values were updated, per NTDS. RR cannot be >99 if age >=6; RR cannot be >120 if age<6.
  - "ED/Hospital Initial GCS" (ED/Trauma)
    - Added data entry instructions from NTDB Data Dictionary regarding documentation and scoring.
  - "ED/Hospital Initial GCS Qualifier" (ED/Trauma)
    - NTDB added new paralytic options to required list. Picklist choices A through H were added to accommodate new options.
  - "Procedures Performed (ICD-9-CM)" (Discharge)
    - For 2012 data, NTDB updated the minimum required procedures list to be entered for trauma patients.
  - Added Appendix H1-A to ASTR data dictionary listing the national required procedures for 2012 data.
  - Special note was added to clarify data entry of blood products.
  - ASTR accepted these requirements (per TRUG & Program Managers) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2012 forward:
    - Hospitals may enter any additional procedures needed at their institution, as NTDB list is the minimum.
  - "Hospital Complications" (Discharge)
    - NTDB made changes to the national Hospital Complications List for 2012 data.
    - ASTR accepted the new Hospital Complications list (per TEPI) for ED/Hospital Arrival Dates 1/1/2011 forward.
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "Acute kidney injury / Acute renal failure" replaced original text "Acute renal failure."
    - NTDB text change (no code change): "Acute lung injury/Acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)" replaced original text "Acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)."
  - Appendix A1 - Reporting Facility List
    - Updated reporting facility list to include any new reporting hospitals, as of February 2012.
  - Appendix E - EMS Agency List
    - Added Air Agencies - TAB020, TAB021, TAB022.
    - Archived TGCON028 and FRT0028 - Agency no longer in service.
    - Archived TGCON042- No longer CON provider.
    - Archived TGCON070- No longer CON provider.
    - Added First Responder Agencies-FRN203, FRN0204, FRN0205, FRN0206, FRN0207, FRN0208, FRN0209, FRN0210, FRN0211, FRN0212, FRN0213, FRN0214, FRN0215.
    - Added Ground Transport Agency - TGCON088.
  - Appendix F - Hospital/Destination List
    - Text change for MED0257: "University of AZ Medical Center-UNIVERSITY CAMPUS (was UMC)"
• Text change for MED2863: "University of AZ Medical Center-SOUTH CAMPUS (was UPH Kino)"
• Text change for MED3005: "Tsehootsooi Medical Center - Ft Defiance"
• Facility Closed - archived MED4382
• Facility Closed - archived MED4160
• Added MED4433 as new stand-alone ER
• Added MED4578 as new stand-alone ER
• Text change for MED2640: updated text to include city: "West Valley Hospital (Goodyear)"
• Added new hospital - MED4766 "Florence Hospital"
• Text change for MED4346: updated text: "Florence Hospital" to "Florence Community Healthcare"

Revision 7 - 1/24/2013 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 1.8 to reflect the following changes:
  o "Co-morbid Conditions" (Demographics)
    • NTDB text change (no code change): "History of angina within 30 days" replaced original text "History of angina within past 1 month".
    • NTDB text change (no code change): "Pre-hospital cardiac arrest with resuscitative efforts by healthcare provider" replaced original text "Pre-hospital cardiac arrest with CPR".
    • NTDB text change (no code change): "History of PVD" replaced original text "History of revascularization / amputation for PVD".
  o "System Access(Inclusion)" (Prehospital)
    • Per TEPI advisory committee, Inclusion Criteria inter-facility 1B criteria were updated back to the 2008-2011 criteria.
    • 2008-2011 and 2013 forward: "Acute care injury transfer in or out of your facility by EMS" (INTERF_TRNSFR).
    • 2012 only - Level III or IV: Injury Transfer by EMS to other acute care (INTERF_TRNSFR2012)
  o All Initial ED/Hospital Vital Signs - national data entry clarification added. The following data entry instructions were added to all initial ED/Hospital vital signs, to be consistent with NTDB 2013 dictionary:
    • First recorded vitals should be within 30 minutes or less of ED/hospital arrival. Please note that first recorded hospital vitals do not need to be from the same assessment.
  o "ED/Hospital Initial Height" - new reporting field for NTDB and ASTR 2013 - Full Data set hospitals only
  o "ED/Hospital Initial Weight" - new reporting field for NTDB and ASTR 2013 - Full Data set hospitals only
  o "Transfer Delays" - new reporting field for ASTR 2013 - Level III and IV Trauma Centers only
  o "Hospital Complications" (Discharge)
    • NTDB text change (no code change): "Cardiac arrest with resuscitative efforts by healthcare provider" replaced original text "Cardiac Arrest with CPR".
  o Appendix A1 - Reporting Facility List
    • Updated reporting facility list to include any new reporting hospitals, as of January 2013.
  o Appendix F - Hospital/Destination List
• Facility Closed - MED4346 - option not archived yet as closure happened in 2012 and code may still be needed for 2012 data entry
• Added: MED4707, MED4535, MED4469
• Text change for MED2944: now "Oro Valley Hospital". Original text was "Oro Valley Hospital (Northwest Medical Center Oro Valley)"

Appendix I - ASTR Trauma Patient Inclusion Definition
• Per TEPI advisory committee, Inclusion Criteria inter-facility 1B criteria were updated back to the 2008-2011 criteria.
• 2008-2011 and 2013 forward: "Acute care injury transfer in or out of your facility by EMS" (INTERF_TRNSFR).
• 2012 only - Level III or IV: Injury Transfer by EMS to other acute care (INTERF_TRNSFR2012)

Appendix J - 2008-2013 ASTR Data Elements List
• Updated list to include 2013 ASTR reporting changes

Revision 8 - 7/22/2013 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 1.9 to reflect the following changes:
• Data Dictionary re-written to Word format;
• Appendices removed:
  • Appendix H removed; refer to the data dictionary on the NTDS website for NTDS definitions and coding ranges for Co-morbid conditions and Complications.
  • Appendix H1-A1 removed; refer to the data dictionary on the NTDS website for NTDS glossary of terms.
  • Appendix H1-A2 removed; refer to the data dictionary on the NTDS website for NTDS calculation of ICU and Ventilator Days.
  • Appendix H1-B removed; refer to the data dictionary on the NTDS website for NTDS glossary of terms.
  • Appendix H2-A, H2-A1 and H2-B removed; refer to the data dictionary on the NTDS website for NTDS required hospital procedures.
  • Appendix I removed, please find the ASTR Inclusion Criteria at the beginning of this document or on the ASTR website.
  • Appendix J removed, please find the list of data elements on the ASTR website.
  • Appendix K removed, refer to the data dictionary on the NTDS website for NTDS occupation definitions.

Revision 9 - 2014 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 2.0 to reflect the following changes:
• "ICD-9 Primary E-Code" (AZ-Injury)
  • NTDB field name change (no code change): "ICD-9 Primary External Cause Code" replaced original text "ICD-9 Primary E-Code ". Throughout this field, 'E-code' has been replaced with 'External cause code'.
• "ICD-9 Primary E-Code" (AZ-Injury)
  • NTDB field name change (no code change): "ICD-9 Primary External Cause Code" replaced original text "ICD-9 Primary E-Code ". Throughout this field, 'E-code' has been replaced with 'External cause code'.
• "Report of Physical Abuse" (AZ-Injury)
  • New Field for NTDB and ASTR 2014 - Full and Reduced Data set hospitals
o "Investigation of Physical Abuse" (AZ-Injury)
  ▪ New Field for NTDB and ASTR 2014 - Full and Reduced Data set hospitals
o "Caregiver at Discharge" (AZ-Injury)
  ▪ New Field for NTDB and ASTR 2014 - Full and Reduced Data set hospitals
o Added MED5410, Sonoran Health and Emergency Center, as new stand-alone ER (April, 2014)
o Added Picklist items to Discharge Disposition (April, 2014):
  ▪ COURT/LAW Discharge/Transfer to court/law enforcement
  ▪ INPATIENT REHAB Discharge/Transfer to Inpatient Rehab
  ▪ LTCH Discharge/Transfer to Long Term Care Hosp
  ▪ PSYCHIATRIC Discharge/Transfer to psychiatric hosp or unit
  ▪ OTHER INSTITUTION Discharge/Transfer to other institution

Revision 10 - 2015 - Data Dictionary version number was updated to 2.1 to reflect the following changes:
o Revisions to Trauma Criteria Picklist (Prehospital)
  ▪ Added: “For adults > 65; SBP <110”;
  ▪ Updated: “Glasgow Coma Score <=13”;

o Revisions to ED Discharge Disposition (ED/Trauma)
  ▪ Updated: “Deceased/expired”;

o Revisions to Hospital Discharge Disposition (Discharge)
  ▪ Updated: “Deceased/expired”;
  ▪ Updated: “Discharged to home or self-care (routine discharge);

o Revisions to Primary Method of Payment (Financial)
  ▪ Retired: “No Fault Automobile”;
  ▪ Retired: “Blue Cross/Blue Shield”;

o Added MED5829, Dignity Health – Arizona General Hospital;