

Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

Part A - General Questions

Rule Number: 4765-14-02

Rule Type: Amendment

Rule Title/Tagline: Determination of a trauma victim.

Agency Name: State Board of Emergency Medical, Fire, and Transportation Services

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I. Rule Summary

1. **Is this a five year rule review?** Yes
 - A. **What is the rule's five year review date?** 11/7/2017
2. **Is this rule the result of recent legislation?** No
3. **What statute is this rule being promulgated under?** 119.03
4. **What statute(s) grant rule writing authority?** 4765.11, 4765.40
5. **What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify?** 4765.40
6. **What are the reasons for proposing the rule?**

This rule is being filed according to a R.C. 106.03 periodic rule review.

7. **Summarize the rule's content, and if this is an amended rule, also summarize the rule's changes.**

This rule sets forth specific criteria for EMS personnel to use in evaluating whether an injured person qualifies as an adult, geriatric, or pediatric trauma victim. Criteria to consider includes anatomic and physiologic conditions in addition to mechanism of injury and special considerations as taught in EMS curricula. Rule 4765-14-02 is revised to end the intro paragraph and paragraphs (A), (B), (C), and (D) with a period

and standardize the punctuation within each paragraph. Revisions made in 2014 to rule 4765-14-2 added a cause of injury triage indicator at the end of paragraphs (A), (B), (C) based on advancements in vehicle telematics. A reference to the 2014 addition has been made in the beginning of paragraphs (A), (B), and (C), to provide a parallel structure. The cause of injury headings have been revised to include the word "indicator(s)" in paragraphs (A), (B), and (C), and the sentence structure in (A)(3) and (B)(3) have been improved by adding "provided by."

8. **Does the rule incorporate material by reference? No**
9. **If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.71 to 121.76, please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.**

Not Applicable

10. **If revising or re-filing the rule, please indicate the changes made in the revised or re-filed version of the rule.**

Not Applicable

II. Fiscal Analysis

11. **As a result of this proposed rule, please estimate the increase / decrease in revenues or expenditures affecting this agency, or the state generally, in the current biennium or future years. If the proposed rule is likely to have a different fiscal effect in future years, please describe the expected difference and operation.**

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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Not applicable.

12. **What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?**

It is estimated that this rule will not result in any costs of compliance for stakeholders.

13. **Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No**
14. **Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No**

III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions

15. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? Yes

16. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? No

- A. Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? No**

- B. Does this rule impose a criminal penalty, a civil penalty, or another sanction, or create a cause of action, for failure to comply with its terms? No**

- C. Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? No**