

## **Regional Trauma Boards**

The Regional Boards are ten member boards. There are four regions. The Director of Public Health appoints these boards. The members serve for three-year terms.

### **Regional Board Constitution:**

1. Regional trauma medical director.
2. One physician either an ER physician or a surgeon.
3. One nurse (preference to the individual who works in the ER).
4. One hospital administrator.
5. An emergency medical dispatcher.
6. A mid-level practitioner.
7. A consumer.
8. A rehabilitation professional.
9. \*A data analyst.
10. \*Regional support staff member.
11. An out-of-hospital provider.
12. An EMS Instructor.

\* = Not a voting member

### **Regional Trauma System Advisory Board's Role:**

- Advise the department regarding trauma care needs throughout the state.
- Advise the Board of Emergency Medical Services regarding trauma care provided by out-of-hospital services.
- Review and recommend changes to the regional trauma plans.
- Review and recommend changes to trauma systems statutes and regulations.
- Attend regional performance improvement meetings (optional).
- Participate in statewide trauma committee meetings (optional).
- Review and comment on trauma registry data.