| | MULTNOMAH COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES | | | | | | |
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| | EMS OPERATIONAL POLICIES | | | | | | |
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| MEDICAL DIRECTOR: | | | TITLE: | | | | |
| JON JUI MD, MPH | | | GANG RELATED ACTIVITIES | | | | |

If the MCEMS emergency medical technicians who respond to a gang related incident can identify members of rival gangs who are to be treated and transported, they should seek to provide the following:

- 1. Nothing in this standard operating procedure should compromise the care given to these patients.
- 2. Transport of those patients in enough ambulances so that rival gang members are not placed in the same transporting ambulance.
- 3. Hospital destinations (even if trauma entry patients) so that rival gang members will not be received at the same hospital.
- 4. Notification to Trauma Communications Center/Medical Resource Hospital that this is a gang situation so that the patient destinations may be adjusted through the trauma system.