



MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

MEMORANDUM

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DATE: April 6, 2020

SUBJECT: Extension of Trauma Center Designations

Pursuant to Trauma System Rule 1.2.6.a and STEMI System Rule 1.2.3, respectfully, and the authority of the State Health Officer in this matter, the Bureau of Acute Care Systems requests the designation of all currently designated Trauma and STEMI centers be extended for one year due to COVID-19.