



MISSOURI HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
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WITNESS NAME: <b>ARNIE "HONEST-ABE" DIENOFF-STATE PUBLIC ADVOCATE</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
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**I am in Support of this Bill. I look forward to the Recommendations of the Committee**



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WITNESS NAME: <b>CHRISTINE M. HOAG-APEL RN, TNS</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
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**This document has taken many hours/days, time and effort to complete. Members of hospital trauma centers have been involved working very diligently to complete for presentation.**



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WITNESS NAME: <b>CHRISTY S WARREN</b>		PHONE NUMBER:
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**A lot of work as been done updating the language for Time Critical Diagnosis. I fully support Time Critical Diagnosis language presented at this hearing.**



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Truman Medical Centers supports HB 1295. Thank you for your consideration.



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WITNESS NAME: <b>JASON WHITE</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>816-215-8524</b>
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WITNESS NAME: <b>JESSICA PABST</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-690-4553</b>	
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WITNESS NAME: <b>REESA VANHOOSER</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-754-5531</b>	
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**Pike County Memorial Hospital is in support of the Time-Critical Diagnosis initiative.**



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WITNESS NAME: <b>SARAH WILLSON</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>573-893-3700</b>
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The current language of HB1295, specifically the sections changing portions of the Time Critical Diagnosis system, fail to further the goal of an inclusive emergency care system. The language put forth is largely the product of the Missouri Hospital Association, and as a result serves hospital-related interests. As a member of the DHSS Director's advisory committee for TCD system development for over two years, we have well-crafted, consensus language that considers hospital issues while keeping THE PATIENT at the center of the system. It also uses recommendations from the 2020 Havron report; a consultant report funded by MHA (current 1295 language uses none of their findings). A group of committee members have communicated with Rep. Andrews directly and would be eager to share this alternative language. In summary, the Missouri Committee on Trauma STRONGLY OPPOSES the current language of HB1295 concerning the TCD program, especially 190.257, and recommends incorporation of DHSS advisory committee language specific to 190.100, 190.101, 190.240, 190.241, and 190.242. The PATIENT must remain the focus in on-going efforts to craft a comprehensive, mature emergency care system for the citizens of Missouri. Respectfully submitted, Jeffrey Coughenour MD  
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WITNESS NAME: <b>KATHERINE PROBST</b>		PHONE NUMBER: <b>314-591-5192</b>	
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This bill does nothing to solve the problems identified in the Havron report of 2020, the American College of Surgeons' report of 2009, or the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration's report of 2010 and adds an additional layer of bureaucratic cacophony that will create an obstacle to solutions instead of solving them. As an EMS medical director I long for support from an organized state system that has not been realized and will not be any more likely with this bill. Please do not support this. Help us work for real solutions.



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