

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN HOSPITALS AND CLINICS
AUTHORITY**

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors of the University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics Authority (UWHC) supports the mission and activities of the UWHC Level One Adult and Pediatric Trauma Centers; and

WHEREAS, achieving and maintaining Level One Trauma Center status is an important continuing strategic objective of UWHC; and

WHEREAS, the Board wishes to reaffirm its commitment to maintain the high standards of the UWHC Adult and Pediatric Trauma Center; and

WHEREAS, the Board further wishes to reaffirm its support for the important outreach and educational components that the UWHC Level One Adult and Pediatric Trauma Centers bring to the south central region of Wisconsin;

NOW THEREFORE, the Board approves the attached letter of support of the UWHC Level One Adult and Pediatric Trauma Centers.

March 6, 2013

Michael F. Rotondo, MD, FACS
Chair, Committee on Trauma
American College of Surgeons
55 East Erie Street
Chicago, IL 60611

Dear Dr. Rotondo:

The University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics Authority Board unanimously support the mission and activities of the University of Wisconsin Hospital and Clinics Level One Adult and Pediatric Trauma Centers. As we commit to maintain the high standards of care to adult and pediatric patients, we do so also support the important outreach and educational components our facility brings to the south central region of Wisconsin.

Achieving and maintaining Level I status since March of 1998 serves as a great source of pride for UWHC and we remain committed to supporting this high level of clinical quality and service excellence to patients in our region.

Sincerely,

David Walsh, Chair
University of Wisconsin Hospitals and Clinics Authority Board

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cc: Suresh Agarwal, MD
Ankush Gosain, MD