

~~(4)~~ (7) THE R ADAMS COWLEY SHOCK TRAUMA CENTER IS THE CORE ELEMENT OF THE STATE'S EMERGENCY MEDICAL SYSTEM AND SHALL CONTINUE TO SERVE AS THE STATE'S PRIMARY ADULT TRAUMA CLINICAL RESOURCE CENTER.

~~(5)~~ (8) THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SYSTEM COULD BE FURTHER ENHANCED BY ESTABLISHING A GOVERNING BODY THAT IS ACCOUNTABLE FOR AND VESTED WITH THE RESPONSIBILITY AND AUTHORITY TO ENSURE THE EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT OPERATION OF THE SYSTEM; AND

~~(6)~~ (9) THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS OF THE INSTITUTE AND ~~CLINICAL COMPONENT OF THE CENTER~~ THE R ADAMS COWLEY SHOCK TRAUMA CENTER SHALL REMAIN AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE OVERALL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEM.

13-1D-03.

(A) THERE IS A MARYLAND INSTITUTE FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES SYSTEMS.

(B) THE INSTITUTE IS AN INDEPENDENT AGENCY LOCATED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND AT BALTIMORE.

(C) THE INSTITUTE SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE STATE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES BOARD.

(D) FUNDING FOR THE INSTITUTE SHALL BE FROM:

(1) THE SURCHARGE IMPOSED UNDER § 13-954 OF THE TRANSPORTATION ARTICLE;

(2) GENERAL FUNDS; AND

(3) FUNDS FROM ANY OTHER SOURCE.

13-1D-04.

(A) IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBTITLE, THE INSTITUTE SHALL BE THE STATE ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COORDINATION OF ALL EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES.

(B) THE INSTITUTE ~~INCLUDES:~~ INCLUDES THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS.

~~(1) THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FIELD OPERATIONS; AND~~

~~(2) THE CHARLES MCC. MATHIAS JR. NATIONAL STUDY CENTER FOR TRAUMA AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SYSTEMS.~~

(C) THE INSTITUTE SHALL HAVE THE STAFF AND FUNDS AS PROVIDED IN THE STATE BUDGET.