



Advisory 22-07: Sentinel Injuries

To: All EMS Agencies and Providers

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What is a sentinel injury you ask?

Dr. Elizabeth Murray was kind enough to record a brief training on sentinel injuries in pediatric patients. This is a profoundly important topic and I greatly appreciate her sharing her expertise to our EMS community. The recording is available at <https://youtu.be/2YAQRllDn2I> and I strongly encourage you take 15 minutes to sit in a quiet and undistracted place, listen, and learn. It may save a child's life.

Many of you know Dr. Murray is an Emergency Pediatrician at the University of Rochester who specializes in the evaluation and care of abused children. A former firefighter, EMT, and REMAC Chair, she is also a past recipient of the NYS Physician of Excellence Award, for reasons that will quickly become apparent while you watch this video.

My thanks to Dr. Murray for recording this presentation for us all.

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