

# 1005 Risk Screening in the ED After Injury

## Abstract

This project aimed to refine and validate a screening protocol practical and feasible for use in the Emergency Department or during acute hospitalization, to aid health care providers in assessing risk of post-traumatic psychological sequelae in injured children and their parents.

The study addressed the following research questions:

1. Is it feasible to screen injured children and their parents for risk factors for PTSD during acute care?
2. Does the proposed screening tool predict which children will go on to develop symptoms of PTSD, when it is administered by ED clinicians?

### **PACT/R Dataset Number**

1005

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### **Number of assessment points**

2

### **Study language**

English

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### **Exclusion criteria**

Cognitive limitations or English-language skills preclude participation in study procedures. OR Child with suspected non-accidental, abuse-related injuries (defined as the presence of a SCAN referral) or injuries due to intentional, violent acts (e.g., assault).

### **Inclusion criteria**

Children age 8 - 17 presenting at the Emergency Department (ED) for treatment of unintentional injury.

## Temporal Coverage

2003 - 2004

## Spatial Coverage

United States

## Funding Information

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### **Analysis Unit**

Individual

### **Analysis Units Covered**

Child exposed to an index potentially traumatic event