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Polytrauma and Shock Room Management: Current Status, Challenges and Future Directions

Message from the Guest Editor

It is always challenging to treat critically injured patients. Decision making, timing and strategical planning are highly individualised and require long years of experience. In this sense, critical injury means a multi-system involvement and not only orthopaedic trauma. To find the best path in the treatment of such patients, a polypragmatic approach is often necessary, with sometimes unsatisfying results. New efforts and approaches have to be found to improve standards and outcomes in the treatment of multiply-injured patients. Besides the conventional scientific efforts, interprofessional projects could lead to new insights, interpretations, and unexpected conclusions in this dramatic field of medicine.

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