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The Mayo Clinic Trauma Centers, located in Rochester, MN represent both a rural adult and pediatric level 1 trauma center. As a combined center there is a sharing of resources to strengthen both programs. One such shared resource is a group of specialized Emergency Department nurses called the Trauma Resource Nurse or TRN. This cadre is responsible for the leveling of trauma patients based upon EMS report. This idea was born more than 10 years ago as a way to improve trauma triage through a dedicated, specially trained and small group of front line nurses. ED nurses must apply and be selected for the role, undergo extensive training including didactic education and mentorship by an experienced TRN. During the early period of the TRN role and process, case based education, based upon actual cases of over or under triage, were created and distributed via email to the group. Leveling decisions are recorded to assist with review of over and under triage as well as continuous trauma center review of the trauma team activation criteria. Over and under triage rates, which continuously are below the national benchmark, are shared with the TRN group and the trauma center committees as well. This unique method for making sure the right resources are available for injured patients continues to work very well. The TRN group is an important part of the trauma team at the Mayo Clinic Trauma Centers.