

Tulsa-Area Medical Clearance Protocol of Acute Psychiatric Patients

Law Enforcement

- Law enforcement **should**:
 - Transport directly to the Mental Health Treatment Facility (MHTF) unless there is a medical concern for the patient
 - In the case of a medical concern, the law enforcement officer should transport directly to the Emergency Department (ED)
- Law enforcement **should not** transport directly to the ED out of fear the MHTF will request it
- Law enforcement officers **will not** be asked to transport medically unstable patients to a MHTF

Adhering Tulsa EDs:

- Oklahoma State University Medical Center
- Saint Francis Health System
- St. John's Medical Center
- Hillcrest Medical Center
- Hillcrest Hospital South

Adhering MHTFs:

- Brookhaven Hospital
- CREOKS Spring Creek Recovery Center
- Family and Children's Services Crisis Care Center
- Laureate Psychiatric Clinic and Hospital
- Parkside Psychiatric Hospital & Clinic
- Tulsa Center for Behavioral Health
- Wagoner Hospital