Background and aims: Childhood accidents are the leading cause of health problems, death, and disability that can be prevented. Accidents can be predicted and avoided by identifying the risks. The aim of the study is to investigate the characteristics of paediatric forensic cases and to reveal the relationship between judicial decisions and trauma scores.

Methods: Forensic reports of the Children under 18 admitted to our emergency department of Van Military Hospital, a second level hospital, between January and November 2013 were retrospectively evaluated. Demographic data of the patients and life threat decisions were investigated and trauma scores were calculated. P-value under 0.05 was considered to be significant.

Results: Forty-four (15.1%) of 290 forensic cases admitted to our emergency department were under 18. Of the patients, 43.2% (19) were female and the mean age was 8.7 ± 5.41 (min-max: 0–17). Ten (22.7%) of them were traffic accident, 8 (18.2%) were falling from height, 12 (27.3%) were assault, 2 (4.5%) were burned, 10 (22.7%) were poisoning and suicide. Four of all patients (9.1%) were having life threat and 9 (20.5%) patients were having no injury requiring simple medical intervention. In the evaluation of the cases; Injury Severity Score (ISS) was 1.93 ± 2.27 (1–16), Revised Trauma Score (RTS) was 99.72 ± 0.17 (99–99.83), Trauma score- injury severity score (TRISS) was 7.082 ± 0.15 (7.108–7.841) and New Injury Severity Score (NITS) was 2.55 ± 3.52 (1–16).

Conclusions: Traffic accidents, falls, assaults and poisonings are the most common forensic cases in childhood and we found a significant relationship between life threat decision and anatomical and physiological trauma scores.

PO-0263 SAFETY NETTING IN PAEDIATRIC EMERGENCY CARE: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW AND PROTOCOL DEVELOPMENT

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Background: Safety netting strategies after emergency department (ED) discharge are mostly not standardised.

Aim: To develop a safety netting protocol for children at risk for serious infections (SI) discharged from the ED.

Methods: Patients: Children with fever, vomiting/diarrhoea or dyspnoea (1 month — 16 years).

Design: Systematic Literature Review to Select Best Evidence for Determinants of ED-Revists and Prospective Cohort Study Setting: ED of Erasmus MC-Sophia Children’s Hospital (May 2010—December 2012)

Intervention: Standardised telephone questionnaires on disease course three days after ED-discharge.

Outcome: ED-Revists with Intervention (Diagnostics or Treatment)

Analysis: All determinants and time until ED-revists were tested by multivariable logistic regression and Kaplan-Meier survival analysis.

Results: Follow-up data were available for 1366/1656 (83%) children, median age 21 months (IQR 10–45), 57% boys. 856 (63%) were febrile children, 300 (22%) children suffered from vomiting/diarrhoea and 210 (15%) children had dyspnoea. Overall there were 401 (29%) revists in which 54% (n = 216) interventions were performed.

We confirmed the determinants: age < 1 year, respiratory/circulatory symptoms and signs of dehydration, as identified in our systematic review, associated with ED-revists. Additional, parental concern was a determinant for revisit in febrile children. Unscheduled revists of children with vomiting/diarrhoea occurred mostly within one day and in febrile or dyspnoeic children within 2 days after initial ED-visit.

Discussion and conclusion: We identified strong determinants of revists by prospective data collection in ED-discharged children at risk for SI. We are preparing a multicentre efficacy study to use these determinants and time frames in ED safety netting management.