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Clinical Practice Guideline

Early Debridement of Open Fractures

Without Signs of Vascular/Motor/Sensory Dysfunction

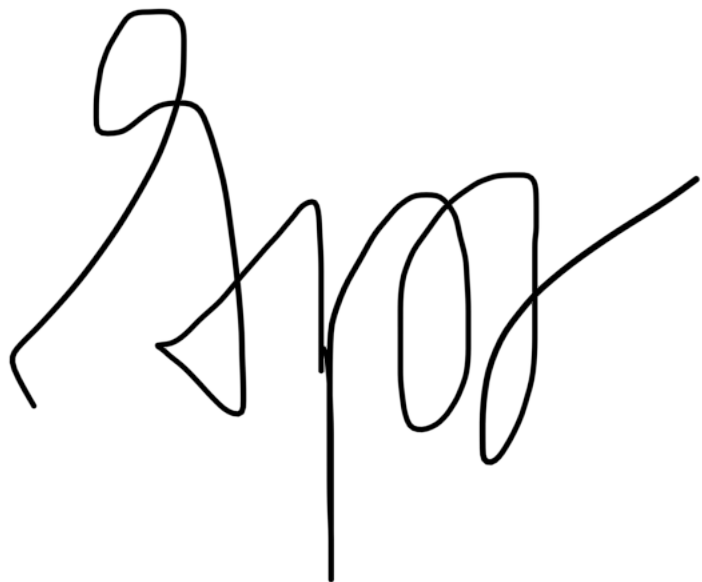
Summary:

To provide expeditious debridement to patients sustaining open fractures who present to the emergency department.

Specifics:

- Debridement should occur within 24 hours of presentation to the emergency department
- Documentation of ongoing neurovascular assessment must be conducted prior to fixation

References:

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